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## MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Directors

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FROM : The OIC Director

SUBJECT : **REQUEST FOR THE PARTICIPATION OF THE PROTECTED AREA SUPERINTENDENTS (PASUs) AND CHIEF, CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT DIVISION TO THE NATIONAL NIPAS REVIEW COMMITTEE-TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP MEETING ON JUNE 9, 2022**

This is in reference to the proposed proclamation of Lower Agno Watershed Forest Reserve (LAWFR) in CAR, Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary (UIGRBS) and Torrijos Watershed Forest Reserve (TWFR), in MIMAROPA Region and Liangan-Lipatan Mangrove Swamp Forest Reserve, Bagumbang-Malaubang Mangrove Swamp Forest Reserve, Malasag-Mahugunao Watershed Forest Reserve and Mt. Tago Range National Park in Region X as protected areas under the NIPAS. As part of the establishment process, may we request the participation of the following concerned Regional and Field Office personnel to attend the National NIPAS Review Committee-Technical Working Group (NNRC-TWG) Meeting on June 9, 2022 at 9:00AM to be held face-to-face (NNRC-TWG) and via Zoom (DENR Regional and Field Office personnel):

1. Chief, Conservation and Development Division, DENR CAR;
2. Chief, Conservation and Development Division, DENR MIMAROPA Region;
3. Chief, Conservation and Development Division, DENR Region X;
4. Protected Area Superintendents of:
  - 4.1 Lower Agno Watershed Forest Reserve (LAWFR)
  - 4.2 Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary (UIGRBS)
  - 4.3 Torrijos Watershed Forest Reserve (TWFR)
  - 4.4 Liangan-Lipatan Mangrove Swamp Forest Reserve
  - 4.5 Bagumbang-Malaubang Mangrove Swamp Forest Reserve
  - 4.6 Malasag-Mahugunao Watershed Forest Reserve
  - 4.7 Mt. Tago Range National Park

May we also request the respective Conservation and Development Divisions to prepare a presentation highlighting the outstanding features/characteristics of their proposed protected areas for establishment, as well as the result of the Regional NIPAS Review Committee Meeting.

We have also attached a copy of the Notice of Meeting for reference.

For consideration and further action.

  
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PASu, Lower Agno Watershed Forest Reserve

PASu, Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary  
Bataraza, Palawan

PASu Torrijos Watershed Forest Reserve  
Torrijos Marinduque

PASu, Liangan-Lipatan Mangrove Swamp Forest Reserve

PASU, Bagumbang-Malaubang Mangrove Swamp Forest Reserve

PASu, Malasag-Mahugunao Watershed Forest Reserve



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