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Dear **Dir. Rivera**,

This is in reference to your letter dated 17 February 2023 relative to your request for the most recent datasets on tenure instruments for forestry sector and National Greening Program (NGP) sites including reports, statistics and spatial data.

Relative thereto, this Office would like to provide you of the zip file containing the shapefiles of Production and Protection Forest which can be accessed thru <https://tinyurl.com/DHSUDRequest>.

With regard to the dataset relative to land classification, this Office recommends that you coordinate directly with the National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA), as the central mapping agency, depository and distribution of natural resources data including map making services.

On the other hand, please be informed that the data /information on the NGP and application for Forestry Tenure instrument is being implemented and processed respectively by the concerned DENR Regional and Field offices, pursuant to DENR Administrative Order (DAO) No. 2022-10 entitled "Revised DENR Manual of Authorities on Technical Matters". Hence, we further suggest that you also coordinate with the said DENR offices for the updated (real time) data and information on NGP and tenurial instruments, the matter is within their area of concerns and jurisdictions.

The contact information of the above-mentioned DENR offices is available to the DENR official website: <https://www.denr.gov.ph/>.

Thank you and best regards.

Very truly yours,



ARLEIGH J. ADORABLE, CESO III

The OIC-Assistant Secretary for Field Operations-Western Mindanao,
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Department of Environment and Natural Resources
Director, Forest Management Bureau

Attention: Ildefonso L. Quilloy
Officer-in-charge, Forest Resources Management Division

Ma. Teresa G. Aquino
Division Chief, Forest Resources Conservation Division

Dear OIC-Assistant Secretary Adorable:

As the primary national government entity mandated for the management of housing, human settlements and urban development, the Department is currently identifying potential sites/areas for future expansion and urban development.

Relative to this, we respectfully request a copy of the most recent datasets which shall be excluded in the identification of the aforementioned sites:

- Tenure Instruments for the forestry sector
- National Greening Program (NGP) Sites

The Department also intends to use these datasets in land use planning, as well as in the provision of technical assistance to local government units (LGUs) in the integration of forestland uses in their respective comprehensive land use plans (CLUPs).

It will be greatly appreciated if your good office can provide the information in spatial formats (.shp file, KMZ file, geotagged photos etc.) and reports/statistics. Should there be any questions or clarifications, you may contact Mr. Ibani C. Padoa or Ms. Charmaine Jeremy S. Galarosa of the DHSUD ELUPDB by sending an email at elupdb@dhsud.gov.ph / med.elupdb@dhsud.gov.ph

Thank you for your consideration of this request and we look forward to your positive response.

Very truly yours,


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