

SPECIAL ORDER

No. 2023 - _____

SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF THE TRAINING OF TRAINORS AND PILOT-TESTING OF THE EARTHANGER IN SUPPORT TO THE STANDARDIZATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF BIODIVERSITY ASSESSMENT AND MONITORING TOOLS PHASE 2 ON 14-21 MAY 2023 IN THE PROVINCE OF ZAMBALES

In the interest of the service and to rationalize and improve the processes on the assessment and monitoring of biodiversity, the Training of Trainors and Pilot-Testing of the EarthRanger in Support to the Standardization and Enhancement of Assessment and Monitoring Tools Phase 2: Systems Upgrade and Set-Up is hereby authorized to be conducted on 14-21 May 2023 in the Province of Zambales at a venue to be announced later.

The participation of the following personnel from the Biodiversity Management Bureau, DENR Field Offices, and Protected Area Management Offices is hereby authorized:

Biodiversity Management Bureau

1. Meriden E. Maranan, NPD
2. Francisco B. Feliciano, NPD
3. Daniel S. Garino Jr., NPD
4. Reneo B. Vicente, NPD
5. Juliana A. Balogo, NPD
6. Morshid C. Dimaporo, NPD
7. Ramon Lorenzo Reyes, NPD
8. Elpidio B. Gelera Jr., NPD
9. John Alerta, BPKMD
10. Michelle Aplan, BPKMD
11. Selected representatives each from the CAWED, CMD, and WRD (2 representatives each)

Masinloc and Oyon Bay Protected Landscape and Seascape

1. Protected Area Superintendent or Assistant Protected Area Superintendent
2. Technical Staff with background in geospatial analysis (2)
3. Protected Area Ranger (1)

Mt. Mantalingahan Protected Landscape

1. Protected Area Superintendent or Assistant Protected Area Superintendent
2. Technical Staff with background in geospatial analysis (2)
3. Protected Area Ranger (1)

Siargao Island Protected Landscape and Seascape

1. Protected Area Superintendent or Assistant Protected Area Superintendent
2. Technical Staff with background in geospatial analysis (2)
3. Protected Area Ranger (1)

Puerto Princesa Subterranean River National Park

1. Protected Area Superintendent or Assistant Protected Area Superintendent
2. Technical Staff with background in geospatial analysis (2)
3. Protected Area Ranger (1)

Bataan Natural Park

1. Protected Area Superintendent or Assistant Protected Area Superintendent
2. Technical Staff with background in geospatial analysis (2)
3. Protected Area Ranger (1)

Personnel from the Sustainable Interventions for Biodiversity, Oceans and Landscapes (SIBOL) – Strategic Approach 1, as well as SIBOL SA1 focal persons for MOBPLS, PPSRNP, MMPL, and SIPLAS shall be invited as facilitators and Resource Persons for the Trainors' Training.

Expenses for food, venue, and accommodation that will be incurred during the activity shall be charged to BMB funds, while airfare and other traveling expenses of the DENR participants shall be charged against the funds of their respective offices, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Expenses for transport vehicles to ferry the participants from the BMB to the venue and vice versa, as well as mobilization within Region 3, shall be charged against the funds of the SIBOL Project. Expenses for supplies and materials shall be co-funded by the BMB and SIBOL Project.

The BMB Director is authorized to change the date and venue of the Trainors' Training in case of conflict and unforeseen circumstances. The BMB shall likewise submit to this Office an accomplishment report fifteen (15) days after the activity.

This Order takes effect on the dates specified herein.

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Undersecretary for Organizational
Transformation and Human Resources