



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
PROVINCIAL ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE
MIMAROPA Region

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MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
1515 DENR by the Bay Building
Roxas Blvd., Brgy. 668
Ermita, Manila

FROM : The OIC, PENR Officer
Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro

SUBJECT : REQUEST FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A REGIONAL SPECIAL
ORDER FOR THE CONDUCT OF COMMUNITY
CONSULTATION FOR THE RESTORATION PLAN OF
RANCHING AREAS IN MTS. IGLIT-BACO NATURAL PARK

In line with the service and effective implementation of the BD Cor Project in Mindoro, the undersigned requests of the issuance of a Regional Special Order (RSO) for the conduct of the Community Consultation for the Restoration Plan of Ranching Areas in Mts. Iglit-Baco Natural Park on December 13 to 14, 2023 in San Jose and Rizal, Occidental Mindoro.

The conduct of the activity is in relation to the presentation and workshop of the Technical Working Committee (TWC) on Biodiversity Conservation and Monitoring of the Protected Area Management Board (PAMB) on November 15 to 17, 2023; approval of the activity during the project's presentation in the 4th Quarter PAMB Meeting on November 21, 2023; and the recommendation of the newly elected *Punong Barangay* of Manoot, Rizal, Occidental Mindoro to include community-based knowledge and practices of *Buhid-Bangon* in the overall plan.

The latter group is directly affected by the ranching activities and with several strategies needed to be employed in the implementation of the SER-IUCN Ecological Restoration for Protected Areas. This is also for assurance of the holistic development of the plan that integrates social, cultural, and anthropological complexities of the current initiative.

For information and approval.


ERNESTO E. TAÑADA



Regional Special Order
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SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF THE CONSULTATION MEETING FOR THE RESTORATION PLAN OF RANCHING AREAS IN MTS. IGLIT-BACO NATURAL PARK

In line with the implementation of the DENR-UNDP/GEF Project on Integrated Approach in Management of Major Biodiversity Corridors in the Philippines or BD Corridor Project, please be informed that the Consultation Meeting for the Restoration Plan of Ranching Areas in Mts. Iglit-Baco Natural Park (MIBNP) will be conducted on December 13 to 14, 2023 in San Jose and Rizal, Occidental Mindoro.

The activity, under Activity 2.3.6 of the Project, aims for the formulation of the Initial Restoration Plan for the Current Ranching Areas in MIBNP in contribution to the management effectiveness of under relevant landscape planning indicators and multi- and annual work plans.

The following personnel are hereby authorized to attend:

MIBNP-PAMO	
Roberto T. Suaverdez	Park Maintenance Foreman
John Paul M. Santelices	Forest Ranger (PA)
Rosa Flor M. Mangupit	Park Ranger
Michelle R. Garcia	Park Ranger
Kevin M. Santelices	SCMD Mapper
Steeven Paulo E. Casuncad	SCMD Mapper
Mary Grace V. Dela Cruz	Researcher
Alberto Crispin A. Delos Santos	Researcher
Mae Fatima M. Laderas	CEPA Assistant
Perlito A. Villador	Technician / Driver
Tamaraw Conservation Program	
Neil Anthony A. Del Mundo	Coordinator
Dr. Mikko Angelo G. Reyes	Resident Veterinarian
Alvin N. Tabuga	Technical Staff
John Ramer G. Casuncad	Community Development Staff
Geronimo S. Barcena	Tamaraw Ranger III
Arjay R. Dapatinapu	Tamaraw Ranger II
Nehemias S. Samson	Tamaraw Ranger I
Jeward L. Dela Cruz	Tamaraw Ranger I
Joshua P. Ortega	Tamaraw Ranger I
Mindoro Biodiversity Corridor Project	
Jan Lloyd I. Balon	Regional Landscape Planning Specialist
Clinth Jezter G. dela Cruz	Community and Stakeholder Coordinator

PENRO Occidental Mindoro through the Mindoro Biodiversity Corridor Project Management Unit shall invite other representatives from relevant local government units and national government agencies.

Food and accommodation during the activity will be provided. All other expenses incurred in the activity shall be charged against the Mindoro Biodiversity Corridor Project funds, subject to availability of fund and existing accounting and auditing rules and regulation.

Attendance at the abovementioned event, including Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays shall be considered an official time. Regular and Contract of Service employees attending the activity who will incur official time in excess of 22 days for this month, shall be entitled to equivalent offsetting privilege to be used until December 31, 2023, in accordance with the schedule as agreed upon with their supervisor.

An individual learning report using the prescribed format shall be submitted within seven (7) days after the event.

This Order shall take effect on the dates herein specified.

FELIX S. MIRASOL, JR., CESO IV
OIC, Regional Executive Director

