



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

TRAVEL ORDER
No.

Name: ERNESTO E. TAÑADA
Position: PENR Officer

Date: May 3, 2023
Salary : _____
Div./Sec./Unit: PENRO
Official Station: PENRO

Departure Date: May 8, 2023
Destination: Puerto Galera, Oriental Mindoro
Purpose of Travel: To attend Orientation and Consultation Workshop on the Selection of Exemplar Sites for the Implementation of GEF8 Project entitled "Integrated Approach in Management of Major Biodiversity Corridors in the Philippines"

Arrival Date: May 10, 2023

Per Diems/Expenses Allowed: _____
Appropriation to which Travel should be charged: _____
Remarks or special instructions: _____

CERTIFICATION:

This is to certify that the travel is necessary and is connected with the functions of the official/employee of this Div./Sec./Unit.

Recommending Approval:

Approved:

DONNA MAYOR-GORDOVE, CESO IV
ARD-Management Services

LORMELYN E. CLAUDIO, CESO IV
Regional Executive Director

AUTHORIZATION

I hereby authorize the accountant to deduct the corresponding amount of the unliquidated cash advance from my succeeding salary for failure to liquidate this travel within the prescribed thirty-day period upon return to my permanent official station pursuant to item 5.1.3 of COA Circular 97-002 dated February 10, 1997 and Sec. 16 of EO No. 248 dated May 29, 1995.

ERNESTO E. TAÑADA
Official/Employee



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April 14, 2023

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ERNESTO E. TAÑADA

OIC-PENRO Occidental Mindoro
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Occidental Mindoro

Dear **Sir Ernesto**:

Greetings in pursuit of agricultural excellence!

The Bureau of Soils and Water Management (BSWM) in partnership with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) is currently implementing a GEF6-funded project on **"Integrated Approach in Management of Major Biodiversity Corridors in the Philippines"** in the Mindoro Biodiversity Corridor (MBC). The project aims to address land degradation and the impacts of agriculture as a driver of forest fragmentation through the promotion of Sustainable Land Management (SLM) measures and biodiversity-friendly agricultural practices (BDFAPs).

The initial data from the national land degradation maps of 2020 showed that portions of the province's cropland area were identified with negative trends of land degradation. From this data, we have selected some municipalities as part of the initial list for validation in the establishment of an exemplar site which will showcase SLM technologies covering an area of 3-5 hectares. In line with this, our office will conduct an Orientation and Consultation Workshop on the Selection of Exemplar Sites to orient the LGUs on the objectives and implementing guidelines of the project. This workshop also aims to consult the stakeholders on possible areas of the exemplar sites in their respective biodiversity corridors.

Anent to this, we would like to invite you to the orientation and consultation workshop on **May 9, 2023**, in **Puerto Galera, Oriental Mindoro**. The workshop venue will be announced at a later date.

We would also appreciate receiving your confirmation using the attached slip on or before **April 21, 2023**, via email at gef6.bswmscmd@gmail.com. Should you have further clarifications, your staff may contact **Jodel P. Barraca** at **0948-236-1794** or email at the same email address above.

Kind regards.

Respectfully yours,

GINA P. NILO, Ph.D.
Director

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Implementation of the GEF6 Project entitled "Integrated Approach in Management of Major
Biodiversity Corridors in the Philippines"**

Confirmation Slip

Name	Designation/ Position	Office	Contact No. and Email Address

