



DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES
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MEMORANDUM

FOR : **The Directors**
Legal Affairs Service
Policy and Planning Service
Climate Change Service

All Bureau Directors

The Officer-In-Charge
Mines and Geosciences Bureau

All Regional Executive Directors

FROM : **The Director**
Legislative Liaison Office

SUBJECT : **INVITATION TO THE MEETING RE: THE PHILIPPINE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT SYSTEM (PEAS) AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) FROM THE COMMITTEE ON ECOLOGY OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

DATE : 31 October 2023

In reference to the electronic letter received by our Office on 29 October 2023, the Committee on Ecology of the House of Representatives will hold a meeting on **08 November 2023, Wednesday, 9:30 AM at the De Venecia Hall, South Wing Annex, House of Representatives**, to deliberate on the following legislative measures:

- **HOUSE BILL 8594** - AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PHILIPPINE ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEM AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (by Rep. Marlyn B. Alonte).;
- **HOUSE BILL 7959** - AN ACT TO RATIONALIZE THE PHILIPPINE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT SYSTEM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (by Rep. Marlyn B. Alonte); and
- **HOUSE BILL 1423** - AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 9 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE 1586 BY INCREASING THE PENALTIES THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (by Rep. Ramon N. Guico Jr.).

In this regard, we request your additional comments, if any, and your **participation in the abovementioned meeting**. Further, kindly inform us of the name/s of the representative/s from your office who will participate in the meeting so we may include him/her/them as resource person/s.

Attached herewith are the Letter Invitation, Agenda, and the House bills for your reference. The draft substitute bill will be forwarded once received by our office.



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cc: Undersecretary for Special Concerns and Legislative Affairs