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ATTN.

Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resource Protected Areas and Wildfire Bureau Biodiversity Management Bureau Ecosystem Research and Development Bureau Planning and Management Division Survey and Mapping Division Conservation and Development Division

Dear Mr. Mirasol,

This is to introduce Ms. Merry Rose R. Delarmente, 5th Year BS Architecture Student of the Technological Institute of the Philippines – Quezon City who is currently enrolled in Architectural Design 9 working on her capstone design project entitled "Thalássia Treasures Initiative: Reviving Life Below the Surface - Architectural Solutions to Coral Conservation and Interactive Education" this study focuses on the conservation and restoration of damaged coral reefs in our ocean, specifically within the context of tourism and natural resources conservation.

In this regard, permission is sought from your office to enable her to conduct interviews, research, and other forms of data gathering. Moreover, we would like to request if she could be directed to the concerned office and/or person who could assist her.

Needed Papers / Data:

- List of municipalities in Palawan ranked according to the percentage of coral reefs that have been damaged or are dead.
- Survey Map that assesses and documented the current condition of the reef ecosystem in Palawan.
- List of name and number of corals in the most damage coral reef area in Palawan including the reef formation width & depth.
- List of fish that lives in coral reefs in Palawan.
- List of fish that we daily consume that was sourced from Palawan Ocean.
- Data that shows the gradually disappearing of daily consumed fish that was sourced from the Palawan Ocean due to coral destruction.
- List of currently operational coral nurseries or research facilities for corals in the Palawan.
- List of active and accredited organization engaged in the preservation and conservation of coral ecosystem in Palawan.

We look forward to your favorable consideration of this request. Kindly accept our sincerest gratitude for the help that you shall extend to our students.

Sincerely,

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