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MEMORANDUM

TO

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Palawan Wildlife Rescue and Conservation Center (PWRCC)

Puerto Princesa, Palawan

FROM

ALEXANDER M. LINDE

Officer-in-Charge, NRDC, and OIC, Administrative Division

SUBJECT

REQUEST FOR INVENTORY REPORT OF CROCODYLUS POROSUS IN

THE PALAWAN WILDLIFE RESCUE AND CONSERVATION CENTER

(PWRCC)

DATE

16 November 2022

This refers to the Crocodile Sales and Farming Agreement (CSFA) between the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), the Natural Resources Development Corporation (NRDC), and Primefresh Crocodile Farm, Inc. (the "Cooperator") for the sale of Crocodylus porosus from the Palawan Wildlife Rescue and Conservation Center (PWRCC).

To date, the CSFA has been signed by both the DENR and the NRDC. Moreover, the official representative of the Cooperator is scheduled to visit the NRDC Office for a business meeting next week to finalize the necessary arrangements.

Pursuant to Article 1.1 of the said Agreement, the DENR, thru PWRCC, shall "Allocate for the Cooperator a sale of 50 to 200 hatchlings or juveniles per year subject to the availability of stock at PWRCC." Meanwhile, Article 2.1 provides that the Cooperator shall "Commit to acquire/purchase its stock of one hundred twenty-eight (128) hatchlings and two hundred fifty-two (252) juveniles of Crocodylus porosus only from PWRCC...

In view of the above, please submit an Inventory Report, certifying the actual number of Crocodylus porosus, both hatchings and juveniles, as of 31 October 2022. This shall serve as basis for the number of crocodiles to be purchased this year and the corresponding amount due to be paid. Likewise, please prepare all the necessary documentation needed for the transport/delivery of the crocodiles, pursuant to DAO No. 99-45.

For compliance.

ER M. LINDE

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