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MEMORANDUM

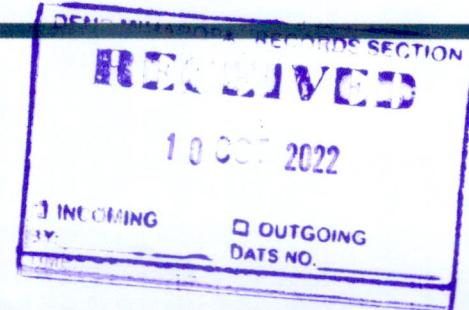
FOR : The Regional Executive Director
DENR-MIMAROPA

PENRO Palawan

FROM : The OIC Director

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF SERIES OF MEETING WITH CONCERNED
PENRO AND CENRO STAFF ON OCTOBER 5-7, 2022 IN
PENRO PALAWAN, PUERTO PRINCESA CITY**

DATE : OCT 06 2022



This has reference to the development of the Snake Island Operation Plan (SIOP) 2023-2028 and the project entitled "Implementing the Strategic Action Programme for the South China Sea" (SAP-SCS) financed and implemented by the Global Environment Facility/ United Nations Office for Project Services.

The SIOP for the period 2023-2028 is now currently being reviewed and updated by this Bureau together with Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau (ERDB), DENR MIMAROPA, PENRO Palawan, CENRO Puerto Princesa, and Palawan Council and Sustainable Development. As part of the next steps from the August 10-12 writeshop hosted by ERDB, this office will be organizing the updating and feedbacking meeting to discuss the progress of inputs to the draft operational plan. Further, the pending financial support to the repair of damages in the island caused by Typhoon Odette will also be discussed.

On the other hand, the SCS SAP Project reinforces the Philippines' coastal and marine biodiversity conservation initiatives and complements the DENR thrust in its Coastal and Marine Ecosystems Management Program. Taking off from the results of the UNOPS/GEF SCS SAP Project (Phase 1 2004-2008), the proposed sites in Palawan need to be validated and characterized, and an implementation strategy be drawn and finalized.

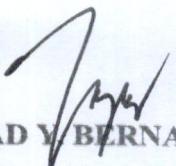
With reference thereto, this Bureau would like to request a meeting to discuss the activities and details hereunder, as well as your assistance in convening the participation from your concerned field offices and the PCSD on 5-7 October 2022.

Activity	Date	Expected Participants
Snake Island Request for repair Cost Discussion (3.8M request)	October 5, 2022	SI-NCMCR TWG Members, PCDS, SIMO Staff, PENRO Palawan, CENRO Staff

Snake Island Operational Plan Updating Meeting	October 6, 2022	SI-NCMCR TWG Members, PCSDS, SIMO Staff, PENRO Palawan, CENRO Puerto Princesa
SCS SAP Accomplishment Validation	October 6-7, 2022	PCSDS and CENROs - Coron, Taytay-El Nido, Roxas, Puerto Princesa, Quezon, PAMO ENTMRPA

The aforementioned activities will be held in the same venue to harmonize the schedules, and maximize our time and resources. Should you have any concerns, questions and/or further recommendations, you may contact Ms. Lea Avilla and/or Ms. Maria Katrina Apaya of the Coastal and Marine Division of this Bureau through telephone number (02) 8925 8948, or through email at cmd@bmb.gov.ph.

For your information and consideration.


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