

Republic of the Philippines Department of Environment and Natural Resources MIMAROPA Region

AUG 16 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Director

Special Projects and Priority Programs, Project Transform

Office of the Secretary

FROM

The OIC, Regional Executive Director

SUBJECT

REQUEST FOR ISSUES AND CONCERNS ON MANGROVE

ECOSYSTEM PLANTING CONSERVATION AND OTHER

RELATED MATTERS

Relative to the Memorandum dated August 14, 2023 regarding the above-mentioned subject, hereunder are the three issues/concerns of the Region on mangrove conservation:

 Monitoring and maintenance including restoration process/methods of mangrove and other marine resources affected by oil spill incident such as that of the MT Princess Empress tanker which sank off the coastal areas of Oriental Mindoro on February 28, 2023;

2. Conversion of mangrove areas into land reclamation projects for commercial

purposes;

3. Coastal development such as construction of causeways and other tourism activities that pose threats to the mangrove ecosystems.

This Office recommends proper training/capacity building on restoration, prevention and mitigation methods to address the above-cited issues.

For information and record.

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FOR

ALL REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

ALL ASSISTANT REGIONAL DIRECTORS FOR TECHNICAL

SERVICES

THE DIRECTORS

Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau, Biodiversity

Management Bureau, Mines and Geosciences Bureau, Environmental

Management Bureau and Forest Management Bureau

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14 August 2023

In relation to our activity on August 17, 2023, "LEARNING SESSION ON MANGROVE ECOSYSTEM CONSERVATION", our speaker Dr. Jurgenne Primavera is requesting for the top three (3) issues and concerns per region.

This will help guide us in the conduct of the program. Please send us on or before Wednesday, August 16, 2023 via email sppp@denr.gov.ph.

Thank you for your cooperation

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NOTICE OF MEETING

TO

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SERVICES

THE DIRECTOR

Biodiversity Management Bureau

FROM

THE UNDERSECRETARY

Chief of Staff and Supervising Undersecretary for Strategic

Communications

DATE

17 August 2023 (Thursday)

TIME

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

VENUE

DENR Central Office, 2nd Floor Social Hall

AGENDA

Learning session on Mangrove Ecosystem Conservation
 Dr. Jurgenne H. Primavera, Chief, Mangrove Scientific Advisor

Zoological Society of London;

2. A presentation on Project TRANSFORM

Your participation is hereby enjoined. /

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