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ATTENTION : **ATTY. ERIKA FRANCES S. BULURAN-MONZON**
State Solicitor
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SUBJECT : **ENDORSEMENT OF THE NOTICE OF HEARING FOR 24 MARCH 2023 FOR CIVIL CASE NO. 6177 ENTITLED, "ROXANNE R. BARLAS, ET AL. V. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, REP. BY SEC. MANUEL M. BONOAN, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES REP. BY ACTING SEC. JIM O. SAMPULNA, ET AL."**

Dear ASG Reyes:

This refers to the Notice of Hearing¹ dated 25 January 2023 for **Civil Case No. 6177**, entitled, "*Roxanne R. Barlas, et al. v. Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), represented by Sec. Manuel M. Bonoan, Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), represented by Sec. Jim O. Sampulna, et al.*" pending before the Regional Trial Court of Palawan and Puerto Princesa City, Branch 51.

The Notice of Hearing provides:

You are hereby notified that the **PRE-TRIAL** of the above-entitled case will be conducted at the sala of this Court at the Hall of Justice Building, Sta. Monica Heights, Puerto Princesa City on the **24th day of March, 2023 at 8:30 a.m.** at which place, date and time you should appear together with your witness.

Considering that the above-captioned case was previously endorsed to your Office in the Letter² dated 28 July 2022, this Office hereby endorses the Notice of Hearing to your end.

We trust that this request merits the appropriate action from your office. You may seek assistance from the Environmental Management Bureau, its Regional Office in MIMAROPA Region through the email addresses below. Respectfully endorsed.

Very truly yours,


ATTY. MICHELLE ANGELICA D. GO, CESO II
Assistant Secretary, Legal Affairs

¹ Copy of the Notice of Hearing attached as ANNEX "A".

² Copy of the Endorsement Letter attached as ANNEX "B".

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