

DENR Memorandum Order
No. 96-17
November 11, 1996

**SUBJECT : Turn-over of Forestry Sector
Project (Loan I)**

In the interest of the service, and pursuant to Forestry Sector Project Loan Agreement between the Republic of the Philippines and the Asian Development Bank, the ADB/OECF Forestry Sector Program (Loan I) shall be turned-over from the National Forestation Development Office (NFDO) to the Community Based Forest Management Office (CBFMO) of the Forest Management Bureau (FMB) immediately.

All activities to be undertaken related to the turn-over shall be properly coordinated between the National Forestry Development Office and the CBFMO/FMB in accordance with the following general terms:

1. All Forestry Sector Program documents shall be turned over to CBFMO;
2. All problems that will occur after the turn-over shall be addressed and answered by CBFMO in consultation with NFDO;
3. All inquiries related to legislative concerns and requirements shall be answered by CBFMO in consultation with NFDO; and
4. CBFMO and NFDO shall share in the responsibilities towards smooth and efficient turn-over and shall work out the most appropriate time for the eventual transfer of the ADB/OECF Forestry Sector Project (Loan 2)

This order shall take effect immediately and supercede all other orders
onsistent herewith.

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Secretary