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DENR ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
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**SUBJECT : AMENDING DENR ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 12, 2001 AND SPECIAL ORDER NO. 492, 2001 "STRENGTHENING THE SUPPORT SYSTEM FOR THE MANILA BAY ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROJECT (MBEMP)"**

In line with the continuing commitment to strengthen the operations, coordination and administrative linkages for the Manila Bay Environmental Management Project which was identified as one of the pollution hotspots, under the GEF/UNDP/IMO Regional Programme on "Building Partnership for Environmental Protection and Management for the Seas of East Asia. The Department hereby amends DENR Administrative Nos. 12 and Special Order No. 492, 2001, and hereby places the technical supervision of Manila Bay Management Project-Project Management Office under the supervision of Environmental Management Bureau (EMB).

In this regard, the EMB Director Julian D. Amador is designated as Project Director, while Renato T. Cruz, EMB Water Quality Management Section as Project Manager. Both shall serve in concurrent capacity. As such, the Director shall be responsible for the direction and supervision of the project, while Mr. Cruz shall be responsible for the day to day operations.

Further, in accordance to the DENR-IMO Memorandum for the Project, the MBEMP Project Coordinating Committee (PCC) is hereby constituted for the following offices :

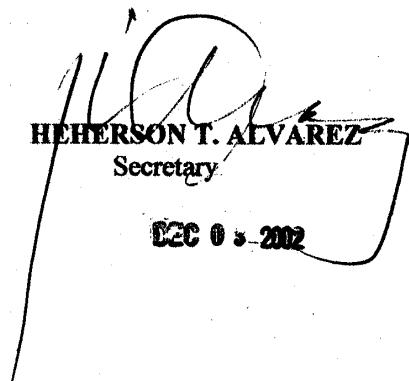
EMB/DENR	Chairperson
MBEMP Site Management Offices (NCR, R-3, R-4)	Members
PEMSEA/Phils-Project Management Office	Member
Philippine Coast Guard	Member
Philippine Ports Authority	Member
Department of Interior and Local Government	Member
Department of Health	Member
Department of Tourism	Member
DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources	Member
Provincial Government of Bataan and Batangas (ICM Parallel Sites)	Members
Management Association of the Philippines	Member
Earthsavers Movement	Member
Regional Development Councils (Regions 3 & 4)	Member
Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management Council (Bay-wide)	Member
Philippine Rural Reconstruction Movement (PRRM)	Member
GEF/UNDP/IMO Regional Programme Office	Observer

The Project Coordinating Committee shall be responsible for the overall policy directions of the Project. To assist the Committee, the MBEMP-Project Management Office shall serve as PCC Secretariat, and the Project Director shall constitute Technical Working Groups (TWGs) for the component activities of the MBEMP. The TWG's shall assist the MBEMP and provide expert advice; conduct and review evaluation and/or provide recommendations on the different components of the project. As such, the Director may coordinate with offices and other offices/agencies in constituting the aforesaid TWGs.

Furthermore, the MBEMP shall report to the PEMSEA/Philippines National Focal Point through the PEMSEA-PMO. All transactions made by the project shall be in accordance with the DENR Manual of Approval.

All other provisions of previous Administrative Orders inconsistent herewith are revoked. This Order shall remain in force unless otherwise modified and/or repealed accordingly.

This Administrative Order shall take effect immediately.

  
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Secretary

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