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MEMORANDUM

TO : All DENR-Regional Executive Directors

The Director, Mines and Geosciences Bureau
All MGB-Regional Directors

The Director, Environmental Management Bureau
All EMB-Regional Directors

The Director, Ecosystem Research Development Bureau (ERDB)
The OIC Director, Forest Management Bureau (FMB)
The Acting Director, Land Management Bureau (LMB)
The Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB) concurrent capacity

FROM : The Undersecretary for Legal, Administration, Finance, Human Resources and Information Systems

SUBJECT : **REQUEST ASSISTANCE RE: USE OF DIGITAL SIGNATURE THROUGH THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL PUBLIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE**

DATE : **JUN 03 2020**

This refers to the letter dated 30 April 2020 from the Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) Secretary Gregorio B. Honasan II to the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) Secretary Roy A. Cimatu to requesting assistance for proper dissemination, notice and posting for the reference and information of all concerned regarding the Use of Digital Signature through Philippine National Public Key Infrastructure. Machine copy hereto attached.

Relative thereto, you are hereby directed to take appropriate action and submit compliance thereof within fifteen (15) days upon receipt hereof to the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Finance, Information System and Mining Concerns or e-mail at asecmcco@gmail.com.

For strict compliance.


ATTY. ERNESTO D. ADOBO JR., (CESO I)

Copy furnished:

Gregorio B. Honasan II
Secretary
Department of Information and Communications Technology

The Head Executive Assistant
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

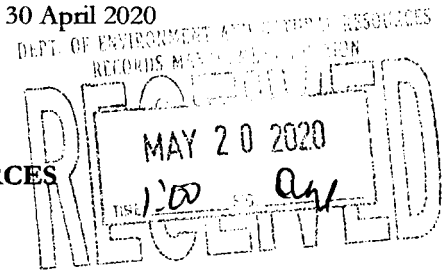
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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND
COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY

30 April 2020



ROY A. CIMATU

Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City

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Subject : Use of Digital Signature through the Philippine National
Public Key Infrastructure

Dear Secretary Cimatu:

Greetings from the Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT)!

In light of the President's Proclamation declaring a State of Public Health Emergency due to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), and the Memorandum from the Executive Secretary, re: "Community Quarantine over the Entire Luzon and Further Guidelines for the Management of the COVID-19 Situation" circa March 2020, work-from-home arrangements both in the public and private sector have increased significantly resulting in the acute need to ensure the confidentiality, authenticity, integrity, and non-repudiation of electronic transactions and documents, including those used relating to environment and natural resources administration, development, and regulation.

In this regard, the DICT respectfully **offers** one of its core services, the **Philippine National Public Key Infrastructure (PNPKI)**, for the Honorable Secretary, Undersecretaries, Assistant Secretaries, Bureau/Attached Agency heads, and other key personnel of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources who are interested in securing their **digital signatures**. The PNPKI service is free of charge.

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 810, s. 2009, entitled: "*Institutionalizing the Certification Scheme and Directing the Application of Digital Signatures in E-Government Service*", the DICT operates the Root Certification Authority (RootCA) and the Government Certification Authority (GovCA) for the processing of applications for digital signatures. It is also the issuing authority of digital signature certificates, for the use of digital signatures in e-government services. The PNPKI allows users of public networks to exchange private data in a secure manner. This would, for example, be useful for the issuance of decisions, orders, circulars, memoranda, and in the conduct of internal administration.

We likewise respectfully **request assistance** in the proper dissemination, notice, and posting hereof for the reference and information of all concerned. The Guidelines on the Application and Issuance of PNPKI Digital Certification during the COVID-19 situation may be accessed at [https://dict.gov.ph/wpcontent/uploads/2020/04/SIGNED DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR No 6 GUIDELINES ON THE APPLICATION AND.pdf](https://dict.gov.ph/wpcontent/uploads/2020/04/SIGNED_DEPARTMENT_CIRCULAR_No_6_GUIDELINES_ON_THE_APPLICATION_AND.pdf). For queries on the filing and immediate processing of PNPKI applications, please contact the DICT PNPKI Team at info.pnpki@dict.gov.ph.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

GREGORIO B. HONASAN II

Secretary



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