

Department of Environment and Natural Resources Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau Coastal Resources and Ecotourism Research, Development and Extension Center

June 20, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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ATTN. : **THE PENR-OFFICER**

PENRO Aklan

FROM: THE IN-CHARGE

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO THE ERDB TECHNICAL SEMINAR FOR

THE PROMOTION OF SCIENCE-BASED TECHNOLOGIES

AND INFORMATION

The Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau, through its Coastal Resources and Ecotourism Research, Development and Extension Center (ERDB-CRERDEC), will conduct the ERDB Technical Seminar (ETS) to promote science-based technologies and information. This initiative seeks to share findings and recommendations from ERDB-CRERDEC research and academic undertakings. It will also serve as an opportunity for internal peer review before we promote the technology to external clients and stakeholders.

The following are the ETS Topics: (1) the Microplastic Contamination in Tañon Strait Protected Seascape (TSPS) in Cebu, Taklong Island National Marine Reserve (TINMAR) in Guimaras Island, and Boracay Island in Malay, Aklan; (2) the Assessment of Pollution Threats to the Water Quality in Taklong Island National Marine Reserve (TINMR) in Southern Guimaras; and (3) Gender-based Participation of Vulnerable Groups in the Regenerative Development of an Ecotourism Destination: The Case of BAETAS in Aloguinsan, Cebu.

In line with this, we would like to invite four (4) technical staff from PENRO Aklan to join this learning event on **27 June 2023** at **Diversion 21 Hotel**, **Mandurriao**, **Iloilo City** from **8:00 AM to 5:00 PM**. For inquiries, please contact **For. Dimple Burgos** at **09171333938** or **09562441484**, or email at crerdec@erdb.denr.gov.ph.

Thank you and we look forward to your positive response.

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