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DOST-X SPECIAL ORDER NO.:
Series of 2017

Subject: Reconstitution of the GAD Focal Point System-Technical Working Group (GAD FPS-TWG)

Pursuant to the PCW Memorandum Circular No. 2011-01 dated 21 October 2011 informing “All Government Departments, including their attached Agencies, Offices, Bureaus, State Universities and Colleges (SUCs), Government-Owned and Controlled Corporation (GOCCs), and all other government instrumentalities the Guidelines for the Creation, Strengthening, and Institutionalization of the Gender and Development (GAD) Focal Point System” and PD 9710 – the Magna Carta of Women, the agency GAD Focal point System-Technical Working Group (GAD FPS-TWG) is hereby reconstituted with the following members:

Gender and Development Focal Point System
Chairperson: Dir. Alfonso P. Alamban

Technical Working Group
Chairperson: Ms. Felicidad V. Patañe
Vice-Chairperson: Ms. Meriam B. Mondia
Members:
- Regional Office: Engr. Romela N. Ratilla
- Regional Office: Mr. Narvinso S. Tan
- Regional Office: Engr. Ruel Vincent C. Banal
- PSTC-Bukidnon: Mr. Virgilio M. Fuertes
- PSTC-Camiguin: Ms. Miriam A. de la Plaza
- PSTC-Lanao del Norte: Engr. Ferdinand A. Soliven
- PSTC-Misamis Occidental: Ms. Eufresnie Ann D. Simbajon
Secretariat: Ms. Hazel M. Barbarona

The agency Gender and Development Focal Point System shall ensure that gender mainstreaming is included in the final planning scheme of the office.

The Technical Working Group shall:
1. Coordinate with the Provincial S&T Centers and other service units that gender related issues and concerns are addressed through programs and projects with funding support;
2. Prepare and submit to concerned agencies/institutions the GAD plan and required accomplishment reports;
3. Monitor closely the implementation of the entire GAD plan in DOST-X; and
4. Establish linkages and networking with other agencies (e.g. GA-X) with related agenda and concerns.

As such you are hereby authorized to sign pertinent papers and perform functions inherent/related thereto in accordance with appropriate government rules and regulations.

This order shall supersede the previously issued Special Order no. 014 series of 2016 and shall take effect immediately.

Please be guided accordingly.

ALFONSO P. ALAMBAR
Regional Director