



Republic of the Philippines  
**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**  
Elliptical Road, Diliman  
1100 Quezon City

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**SPECIAL ORDER**

No. 950

Series of 2022

**SUBJECT : DESIGNATION OF ATTY. DEMOSTHENES R. ESCOTO, BFAR OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, AS INTERIM PRESIDING OFFICER DURING NFARMC MEETINGS**

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In the exigency of service, **ATTY. DEMOSTHENES R. ESCOTO**, BFAR Officer-in-Charge, is hereby designated as the interim presiding officer during regular and special meetings of the National Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management Council (NFARMC).

As such, he shall perform the functions, duties and responsibilities inherent to the role of a presiding officer.

This order shall take effect immediately and shall be revoked upon the appointment of the Department's Undersecretary for the Fisheries who acts as the Chairman of the NFARMC as per Rule 70.1 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. No. 8550 as amended by R.A. No.10654 .

All orders, memoranda and other issuances inconsistent herewith are hereby revoked.

Done this 2nd day of November 2022.

**DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN**  
*Senior Undersecretary*



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