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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 14

SUBJECT : DESIGNATION OF LOURDES C. BONIFACIO AS FREEDOM OF INFORMATION DECISION MAKER (FDM) OF THE BUREAU

In the interest of service and in compliance with Executive Order No. 2, series of 2016 on Freedom of Information (FOI), **Lourdes C. Bonifacio** is hereby designated as the Bureau's **Freedom of Information Decision Maker (FDM)**.

As such, she is responsible for the conduct of evaluation of the request for information and has the authority to grant the request, or deny it based on the following:

- a. The Bureau does not have the information requested;
- b. The information requested contains sensitive personal information protected by the Data Privacy Act of 2012;
- c. The information requested falls under the list of exceptions to FOI; or
- d. The request is an unreasonable subsequent identical or substantially similar request from the same requesting party whose request has already been previously granted or denied by the Bureau.

All expenses that may be incurred in the fulfillment of this designation shall be charged against BAFE funds in accordance with existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 17th day of January 2023.

ENGR. ARIODEAR C. RICO
Director IV