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SUBJECT: **CREATION OF STEERING COMMITTEE FOR THE STUDY ON
COMPREHENSIVE FLOOD MITIGATION FOR CAVITE
LOWLAND AREA IN THE PHILIPPINES**

To ensure the effectiveness and coordinated implementation of the Study on Comprehensive Flood Mitigation for Cavite Lowland Area in the Philippines, with technical assistance from the Government of Japan (GOJ), under the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), a Steering Committee (SC) is hereby created.

Steering Committee:

1. RAUL C. ASIS ----- Chairman
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10. PHILVOLCS Representative ----- Member
11. OCD Representative ----- Member
12. Representative of the Province of Cavite ----- Member
13. NIA Representative ----- Member
14. NWRB Representative ----- Member

The main functions of the Steering Committee are to monitor the progress of the study, provide guidance, resources and support in the formulation of plans for the mitigation of flooding problems in the Cavite Lowland Area and ensure the success and outcome of the Study. The Steering Committee shall hold meetings during the Presentation of Status Reports and as may be requested by the Study Team.

The resident JICA Expert for River Management and the Chief Advisor for ENCA Project shall be Honorary Members of the Committee. A Technical Working Group (TWG) is also hereby correspondingly created to assist the Steering Committee. The TWG shall hold regular monthly (or as the need arises) coordination meeting with the JICA Study Team to discuss/monitor the progress of the study.

Technical Working Group:

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