



GOVERNMENT DE PUERTO RICO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES

PUBLIC NOTICE

Regulations for the Administration of uses through Authorizations and Concessions in Protected Natural Areas, 2010

Pursuant to the provisions of Law No. 23 of June 20, 1972, as amended, known as the Organic Act of the Department of Natural and Environmental Resources; of Law No. 170 of August 12, 1988, as amended, known as the Act of Uniform Administrative Procedures; and of Law No. 133 of June 1, 1975, as amended, known as the Puerto Rico Forest Act; the Department of Natural and Environmental Resources (DNER) has the intent of implementing the **Regulations for the administration of uses through authorizations and concessions in Protected Natural Areas, 2010** and revoking Regulations No. 7241 of November 2, 2006.

The purpose of these Regulations is to govern the authorizations, concessions, occupations, and uses, under a limited permit, of structures and improvements located in our state forests, natural reserves, wildlife refuges, marine reserves, as well as any other natural area, dully designated and under the jurisdiction of the Department.

To such effects, we are informing the general public that we have completed the draft of the **Regulations for the administration of uses through authorizations and concessions in Protected Natural Areas, 2010** and it will be available for review and submittal of written comments during working hours, from 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., in the Office of the Clerk of the DNER. Also, this draft will be posted in our web page: www.dnra.gobierno.pr and will be available in the DNER's regional offices throughout the island.

During the next thirty (30) days following the publishing of this Notice, the public may submit written comments, during the hours and at the places mentioned above, or by e-mail : reglamentodeconcesiones@dnra.gobierno.pr, or at one of the following addresses:

Department of Natural and Environmental Resources Office of the Clerk:

Physical Address

Dr. Cruz A. Matos Building, El Cinco Sector
Road 8838, Km. 6.3, Río Piedras, Puerto Rico

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After the thirty-days period one (1) public hearing will be held in the following date, time, and place:

Date	Hour	Place
December 28, 2010	10:00 a.m.	DNER – Conference Room 4th Floor, Dr. Cruz Matos Building, El Cinco Sector, Road 8838, Km. 6.3, Río Piedras, Puerto Rico

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, November 16, 2010.

Daniel J. Galán Kercadó
Secretary