

**[ DAR MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 11, S. 2011,  
October 03, 2011 ]**

**SUSPENSION OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ADMINISTRATIVE  
ORDER NO. 06, SERIES OF 2011 FOR THE PURPOSES OF  
TRANSITIONING FROM THE OLD CANCELLATION RULES TO THE  
NEW ONE**

**SECTION 1. SOURCE OF AUTHORITY.** – Section 47 of Administrative Order (A.O.) No. 06, Series of 2011 allows the Secretary of Agrarian Reform to suspend the application of the revised rules and Procedures Governing the Cancellation of registered emancipation Patents (EPs), Certificates of Land Ownership Award (CLOAs), and Other Titles Issued under any Agrarian Reform Program (hereafter referred to as the “Rules”) in order to serve and protect the interest of justice.

**SECTION 2. SUSPENSION OF SECTION 6.** – Section 6 of the Rules provides:

**“Section 6. ALI Cases Covering The Grounds Mentioned In Section 4.** – All ALI cases pending with the Office of the regional director of the DAR, involving any of the grounds mentioned in Section 4 of Article II, insofar as there are already registered EPs or CLOAs covering the subject landholding, shall be dismissed with instructions to file a verified Petition for Cancellation in accordance with this AO.”

The applicability of the aforementioned provision to all pertinent Agrarian Law Implementation cases where an Order or Resolution has been promulgated by the Regional director on or before 5 October 2011 is hereby suspended. This includes the following:

- i. All ALI cases with pending motion for reconsideration with the regional director as of 5 October 2011;
- ii. All decided ALI cases where a notice of Appeal has been filed on or before 5 October 2011; and
- iii. All ALI cases where an Order or Resolution has been promulgated on or after 20 September 2011, yet not later than 5 October 2011, where no Notice of Appeal or motion for reconsideration has yet been filed.

All regional directors are hereby directed to continue applying the procedures set by A.O. No. 03, Series of 2003 (2003 Rules for Agrarian Law Implementation Cases) to the above-mentioned cases.