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**FOR:**

- ☐ Study/Recommendation      ☐ Notation and Return  
☐ Immediate Action              ☐ Dissemination  
☒ Information

**REMARKS:** *Sending here response letter from Tarsagel Kalikasan for your reference.*

*Thanks.*

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pinion/Comment to the MOU

bruary 2022 regarding the comments/suggestions of Understanding (MOU) between VSU and Tanggol

s are explained below:

**Answer**

Yes.

Will this differ in this MOU that will be renewed?	Yes, for some provisions but with the same objectives
Will the following parties of the original MOA will be the same parties to this MOU?	No.
What is the difference between the original MOA and renewed MOU now since almost all of the provisions of the original MOA were carried over to this MOU.	<p>The differences between the MOU and the original MOA dated 27 April 2012 are the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As to parties, there will be one HEI for the proposed MOU. TK has prepared separate MOUs for the other HEIs;</li> <li>As to recitals, the MOU includes the increased funding of the LGUs in light of the Mandanas Ruling to improve the delivery of basic services including capacity building training on environmental governance;</li> <li>The civil society organizations are included as additional participants for the capacity building training;</li> <li>As to objectives, the MOU was enhanced to include a provision on technical assistance to the LGUs in the implementation of environmental projects by both HEI and TK;</li> <li>Lastly, as to funding source, the original MOA is covered by a project funded by the USAID. The proposed MOU is not. Hence, its purpose is primarily to continue and sustain the existing partnership of TK and HEI and the activities with the LGUs, considering the upcoming elections and the</li> </ol>