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Sir:

This pertains to the letter dated November 17, 2021 of Dr. Rodolfo O. Abalus, Jr., Unit Head, SIFMA requesting for Billing Statement for rentals of PSU-SIFMA Project. The Socialized Industrial Forest Management Agreement (SIFMA) was issued to Palawan State University (PSU) on April 10, 2006 and to expire on April 10, 2031 covering 312.92 hectares of forestlands located in the Barangays of Culasian and Candawaga all in the municipality of Rizal, Palawan

Please be reminded that under Section 14.9 of DENR **Administrative Order No. 30 series 2004** (*“Revised Rules and Regulations Governing the Socialized Industrial Forest Management Program”*), the SIFMA holder (PSU) is required to pay the corresponding rentals for the use of the land as **Government Share**.

Pursuant to Item 25 of the terms and conditions of the Agreement and in reference to Section 14.9 of DAO 2004-30, the PSU is required to pay to the government the following amounts as annual rental / user’s fee / government share:

- a. 1st to 5th year (2006 – 2011) - No rental
- b. 6th to 10th year (2012 – 2017) - P-300 / hectare
- c. Every year thereafter until the expiration of the SIFMA - P-500 / hectare

However, records of this Office show that you have no yet settled the required rental from CY 2016 to present, computed as follows:

Year	Rental (P-)	No. of Months Delayed	Surcharge (8% per month)	Total Surcharge (P-)	Total (P-)
2016	93,876.00	60	7,510.08	450,604.80	544,480.80
2017	93,876.00	48	7,510.08	360,483.84	454,359.84
2018	156,460.00	36	12,516.80	450,604.80	607,064.80
2019	156,460.00	24	12,516.80	300,403.20	456,863.20
2020	156,460.00	12	12,516.80	150,201.80	306,661.80
2021	156,460.00	-	-	-	156,460.00
Total	813,592.00			1,712,298.44	2,525,890.44

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