

Republic of the Philippines Department of Education Schools Division of Palawan

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

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HON. JOSE CHAVEZ ALVAREZ

Provincial Governor Province of Palawan

Attention: ENGR. SAYLITO M. PURISIMA

Department Head/ Project Director Infrastructure and Engineering Department Provincial Capitol Province of Palawan

Dearest Governor:

Greetings of Peace and Solidarity!

This is to respectfully submit to your esteemed office my complaint against Silverio Alvinda Jr., owner of JZ and JS Trading. I opt to submit this complaint because of the illegality occurs, to mention:

- 1. Mr. Alvinda Jr. continuously quarry the slopes inside the school property of the school despite the decision of Sir Kevin Kenneth Perez from DENR MGB to stop the operation unless otherwise Mr. Alvinda Jr. shall obey the conditions presented by the school authority, attached **Annex A**. The decision was made after our formal conversation together with Hon. Richard Tenorio, Acting Barangay Chairman, Silverio Alvinda Jr, PTA President Hon. Remegio Francisco, PTA Treasurer Elma Jongay, PTA Secretary Aiza Kaye Fernando, PTA Project Manager Samuel Batoy and Barangay Council Hon. Allan Bebiano in the barangay hall on August 4, 2021.
- 2. Mr. Alvinda Jr. equipment destroy the school fence just to make his backhoe enter inside the school property and start to excavate/extract the slopes on August 5, 2021, attached **Annex B-photo**;
- 3. The backhoe creates more danger inside the school property. All the big trees that was turned down when they operate mountain quarry were push at the pathway of the school, **Annex C-photo**. These big trees blocked the passageway which causes inconvenience to parents and topdowns that carries gravel and sand for brigada eskwela;



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- 4. The mountain quarry that Mr. Alvinda Jr. started since 2019 up to May 2021 creates much danger to school and its environment. They extracted the soil from the slopes without proper benching in which it causes landslide, **Annex D**;
- 5. The water/rain that comes from the mountain causes soil erosion. The eroded soil and water directly go in the school building because they did not make stable drainage that will block the water and eroded soil, **Annex E-photo**;
- 6. The quarry operation causes clogged to our comfort rooms and the soil materials almost cover the back of our classroom building, Annex H.
- 7. The Certificate of Accreditation issued on July 22, 2021 by Regional Director Engr. Glenn Marcelo C. Noble stated that JZ and JS Trading is accredited DEALER, TRADER AND RETAILER of minerals **NOT** to QUARRY the mountain, attached **Annex F**:
- 8. Mr. Alvinda Jr. claims that the School Principal, PTA members and any contractor has no rights to the mountain/slopes inside the school property. That he is the sole owner of the slopes because he is the only permittee.
- 9. Mr. Alvinda Jr. betrayed the school and other contractors who wanted to get the eroded soil materials by claiming that he was the only permittee. Since 2019, he did not present to us his permit. Only to find out that he has no permit since 2019 to May 2021 because he only presented his certificate of accreditation dated July 22, 2021. With due respect Sir Governor, I requested DENR-MGB last May 21, 2021 to revoke the permit of Mr. Alvinda Jr. because of the problem he causes in our school, but still he was given the certificate of accreditation this month of July 2021;
- 10. Mr. Alvinda Jr. quarry the mountain inside the school property for almost 2 years since 2019 to date. He sells all the soil materials to housing, to Hon. Aracel Bacolod, to Kingson construction and many other private individuals from 2019 to date. The soil materials from school property serves as his source of income and personal business even he has no permit or accreditation during those years;
- 11. Incapacity of JZ and JS Trading to quarry the mountain. Mr. Alvinda Jr.'s equipment usually malfunction which causes the delay of his operation. These delays create much danger to the school because the slopes that he extracted causes landslides and floods, **Annex G**;



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Fervently pray that your esteemed office will give immediate action in the aforementioned complaint. For the information of your esteemed office Dear Governor, I seek the assistance of the Barangay Officials and PNP when Mr. Alvinda's equipment continuously quarry the school property despite of the instructions from DENR MGB to stop the operation. The Barangay Police cannot stop them and even the PNP because according to them Silverio has permit.

Moreover, may I respectfully request from your esteemed office for the revocation or cancellation of the certificate of accreditation and ORE transport permit to JZ and JS trading owned by Silverio Alvinda Jr. to quarry, extract and haul the unstable slopes located inside the property of Barotuan National High School.

Thank you so much Dear Governor and God bless you more!

Very truly yours,

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Principal II