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December 6, 2021

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Director
MIMAROPA Region
Roxas Blvd., Ermita, Manila

THRU : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan

FROM : The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Quezon, Palawan

SUBJECT : RE: AOM NO. 2021-CA-003 (NGP) DATED NOVEMBER 24, 2021

Forwarded is the memorandum dated December 6, 2021 of NGP Coordinator For. II Cesar B. Santos in response to the above cited subject hereof.


As per report there are Two (2) areas within our area of Jurisdiction that were included in the inventory of reforestation projects destroyed/impaired as of December 31, 2020.

These areas were initially verified and found to be beyond recoverable due to very low survival rate. Hence, these areas were recommended by this office to be included for derecognition.

For his information and records.



For the CENRO:


ENGR. ROSITAY E. CASTULO
DMO IV/ Office In- Charge



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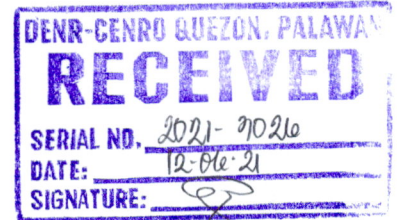
MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer

THRU : The Development Management Officer IV

FROM : Forester II Cesar B. Santos
NGP Coordinator

SUBJECT : **RE: AOM NO. 2021-CA-003 (NGP0 dated November 24, 2021)**



This pertains to the report of the COA Resident Auditor as of December 31, 2020 citing therewith that there are reforestation projects that were lost due to fires or casualty or force majeure consisting of 48 projects that were not requested for relief from property accountability which is not in compliance with the provision of Section 73 (1) of PD 1445, COA Memorandum No. 92-751 dated February 24, 1992 and COA Resolution No. 2018-020 dated February 1, 2018.

As per review conducted based on records regarding this matter there are no records on file in this office of any occurrence of forest fire nor any report of force majeure. However, as per attachment in the memorandum dated December 2, 2021 there are 2 polygons (NGP Site) that were included in the inventory of reforestation projects destroyed/impaired as of December 31, 2020 in our area of responsibility. The area is both located in Brgy Punta-baja, Rizal, Palawan and the said reforestation project were conducted from year 2012 to 2014 with a total area of 45 hectares consecutively and with impairment value of P630,000.00. These areas were initially verified and found to be beyond recoverable due to very low survival rate. There is also an indication that these areas were utilized into kaingin (shifting cultivation) by the members of Indigenous People since the area is within the CADC area and that members of IPs claims that kaingin system of cultivating their land is a traditional practice since birth. Hence, these areas were recommended by this office to be included for derecognition.

For his information, records and further instruction.


CESAR B. SANTOS