

Department of Environment and Natural Resources Environmental Management Bureau Regional Office No. IV – B MIMAROPA



DENR PENRO PALAWAN RECORDS

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MEMORANDUM

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The Regional Executive Director

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The PENR Officer

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The OIC, PEMU Palawan

SUBJECT

LETTER COMPLAINT DATED APRIL 19, 2021 OF ATTY. GRIZELDA MAYO-ANDA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL LEGAL ASSISTANCE CENTER, INC. (ELAC) RE: ILLEGAL RECLAMATION ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN BY WILLIAM TAN ENTERPRISES, INC. (WTEI) AT SO. TAWIRAN, BRGY. LUZVIMINDA, PUERTO PRINCESA CITY, PALAWAN

DATE

May 26, 2021

In compliance to your memorandum dated May 21, 2021 regarding the above subject, please be informed that the CENRO Puerto Princesa City personnel already conducted an investigation on April 23, 2021 and a letter to Atty. Grizelda Mayo-Anda of ELAC was also prepared.

Based on the report, the following actions are hereby recommended, to wit;

- 1. Reiterating recommendation to file Temporary Environmental Protection Order or other appropriate charges, for ignoring the Cease and Desist Order issued by EMB MIMAROPA;
- 2. For EMB, to formulate a policy for cases involving violation of PD 1586 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, that may serve as a deterrent for the respondent to further implement the projects despite Notice of Violation/ Cease and Desist Order issued by the Office;
- 3. Refer to DENR Regional Legal Division for advise on appropriate case to file; and
- 4. For the Philippine Reclamation Authority be furnished with a copy of this report;

For information and further instruction;

EDNA S. VELASCO