

Unit 1520 Cityland 10, Tower 2 Bldg. H. V. dela Costa cor. Valero Sts. Salcedo Village, Makati City 1227 Tel. Nos. (02) 810-0565 / 812-7931 Fax No. (02) 812-7931 Email Address: jljlawoffice@yahoo.com

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Dir. Maria Lourdes G. Ferrer, CESO III Regional Executive Director DENR-MIMAROPA, Roxas Blvd. Ermita, Manila (via mimaroparegion@denr.gov.ph)

Dear Dir. Ferrer:

Anent to your letter of 30 September 2031 (in response to our letter of 24 August 2021), may we be apprised or informed if Mr. Allan Valle, CENR Officer, Taytay, Palawan has already filed his counteraffidavit or comment to the administrative complaint filed against him within the five-day period as stated in your letter of 30 September 2021 as we have not received the desired counter-affidavit or comment up to this time. Unless we are mistaken, it can readily be assumed that he has already received your Show Cause Memorandum dated 01 July 2021 because the time lapse of going four (4) months (August-November 2021). If for one reason or another, he has not filed any counter-affidavit or comment despite the long period of time, does it mean that the administrative complaint is now deemed submitted?

In the same vein, may we be apprised or informed too, if your Office has already assigned a person (other than CENR Officer Valle) who shall conduct an investigation on the questionable approval or issuance of FP-00453320-10-208818 in favor of Susana Ma? It need not be emphasized that this matter is of utmost importance and should not just be ignored by your Office as what CENR Officer, Allan Valle did. The presumption that your Office is not tolerating an anomalous transaction in the issuance of free patent is still in your favor.



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Thank you and we look forward to hearing from you soonest.

Sincerely yours,

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