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Dear **Capt. Sydiongco**:

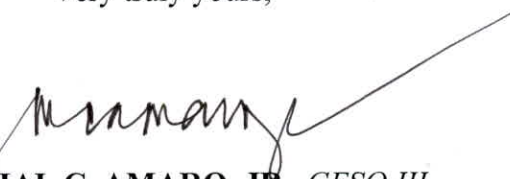
Greetings!

This pertains to your letter dated 01 October 2021 requesting for updates on the submitted Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and the Department of Transportation (DOTr) through the Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines (CAAP) on the utilization of 299.7342 hectares of land within the Busuanga Pasture Reserve (BPR). This is for the proposed expansion of the existing 34-hectare Francisco B. Reyes airport for the establishment of a fully-functional aerodrome.

Kindly be informed that the draft MOA endorsed by your Office last 04 June 2019 was forwarded to the Office of the DENR Secretary thru channels. Thereafter, it has undergone anew several reviews and amendments as a result of coordination with the Office of the Undersecretary for Legal, Administration, Human Resources and Legislative Affairs, and Office of the Director, Legal Affairs Service (LAS), DENR.

In line with this, please be informed that this Office already submitted and endorsed the completed staff work incorporating all comments and submitted the same to the Office of the DENR Undersecretary for Field Operations and Environment for consideration. We will inform you once we receive updates on the matter.

Very truly yours,


MARCIAL C. AMARO, JR., CESO III
Assistant Secretary for Policy, Planning and
Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects and
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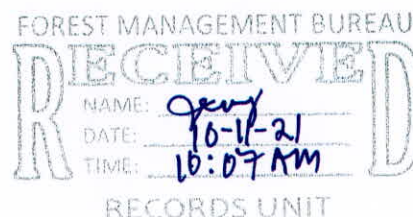


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Dear Asec. Amaro:

We write in connection with the submitted Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) by and between the Department of Transportation (DOTr) and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) on the establishment of the Busuanga Airport Reorientation Project covering 299.7432 hectares of land within the Busuanga Pasture Reserve (BPR).

It can be recalled that a copy of the said MOA duly signed by Hon. Arthur P. Tugade, DOTr Secretary, was forwarded to the Forest Management Bureau (FMB) last 13 June 2019 for endorsement to the DENR Secretary, Hon. Roy A. Cimatu. A copy of the signed MOA and endorsement letter is hereby attached for ready reference.

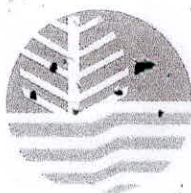
In line with this, may we request for the status of the MOA considering that in FMB's previous letter dated 05 April 2019, we have been informed that it has gone through review and was found in order by the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration, Finance, Human Resources, Information Systems, Legal, Legislative Affairs, and Anti-Corruption.

Your attention on this matter is highly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


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Dear **Captain Sydiongco**:

This pertains to the revised draft Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) on the proposed establishment of the Busuanga Airport Reorientation Project covering 299.73 hectares of land within Busuanga Pasture Reserve (BPR), forwarded to your Office on 13 June 2018.

It can be recalled in the letter that the draft MOA has gone through review from this Office and was found in order by the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration, Finance, Human Resources, Information Systems, Legal, Legislative Affairs, and Anti-Corruption. Furthermore, it can be inferred that the said draft MOA is ready for your review for possible endorsement to the Department of Transportation (DoTr) Secretary, Atty. Arthur P. Tugade.

In line with this, may we request for the status of the said MOA considering also that this Office is receiving reports/complaints on the construction of perimeter fences in the area covered by the Busuanga Airport Reorientation Project

Attached herein is a copy of the letter dated 13 June 2018 and a copy of said draft MOA for your ready reference.

Your immediate attention on this matter is highly appreciated.

Thank you and warm regards.

Very truly yours,


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