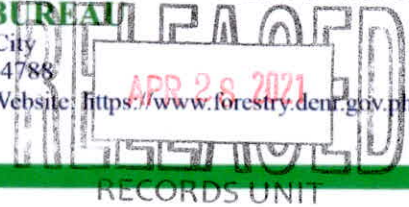




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<b>FOR: MARIA LOURDES G. FERRER, CESO III</b> REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DENR-MIMAROPA REGION DENR BY THE BAY BUILDING 1515 ROXAS BOULEVARD, ERMITA, MANILA	<b>FROM: MARCIAL C. AMARO, JR., CESO III</b> ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR POLICY PLANNING, AND FOREIGN ASSISTED AND SPECIAL PROJECTS, AND DIRECTOR, IN CONCURRENT CAPACITY FOREST MANAGEMENT BUREAU DILIMAN, QUEZON CITY

THIS PERTAINS TO YOUR MEMORANDUM DATED FEBRUARY 24, 2021 FORWARDING THE APPLICATION OF DASOS-ONE PLANTATIONS, INC. TO OPERATE A NEW WOOD PROCESSING PLANT (SAWMILL) LOCATED IN BRGY. MAMBALOT, BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN.

UPON REVIEW AND EVALUATION, THIS OFFICE NOTED THAT THE DAILY RATED CAPACITY (DRC) OF THE WPP WAS NOT CLEARLY DETERMINED. INSTEAD, THE FOLLOWING WERE SUBMITTED, TO WIT:

1. CERTIFICATION ISSUED ON JANUARY 21, 2021 BY THE DENR-EMB, MIMAROPA REGION INDICATING THAT THE ANNUAL PRODUCTION RATE OF THE PROPOSED WPP IS 2000 MT; AND
2. CERTIFICATION DATED APRIL 11, 2019 ISSUED BY THE CENRO BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN INDICATING THAT THE CONCERNED PERSONNEL HAD CONDUCTED ACTUAL SAWMILLING OPERATION AND OBSERVED THAT PROPOSED WPP HAS A PRODUCTION RANGE CAPACITY OF 375 BOARD FEET PER HOUR.

BASED ON MAO 50, SERIES OF 1986, THE DRC IS DEFINED AS "**THE MAXIMUM VOLUME OF OUTPUT THAT A MILL CAN NORMALLY PRODUCE IN ONE SHIFT OF 8 HOURS OF OPERATION BASED ON THE ACTUAL PERFORMANCE OF THE MACHINERIES/EQUIPMENT**".

USING THE 375 BOARD FEET (PER ITEM NO. 2 ABOVE), THE DRC OF THE PROPOSED WPP WOULD BE 7.07 CUBIC METERS, AS COMPUTED BELOW:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{DRC} &= 375 \text{ BD. FT./HR} \times 8 \text{ HOURS} \\ \text{DRC} &= 3,000 \text{ BD. FT. OR } 7.07 \text{ CU. M.} \end{aligned}$$

THEREFORE, THE SUBJECT WPP WOULD HAVE AN ANNUAL LOG REQUIREMENT (ALR) OF **2,356.667 CU. M.** AND A TOTAL LOG REQUIREMENT OF

**11,783.33 CU. M.** FOR FIVE (5) YEARS, AS REQUIRED UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 23, SERIES OF 2011 (SEE ATTACHED FORMULA).

HOWEVER, UNDER THIS APPLICATION, THE COMPANY HAS ONLY A TOTAL LOG VOLUME OF 7,023.49 CU. M. TO BE SOURCED FROM ITS OWN MAHOGANY TREE PLANTATIONS COVERED BY CTPO, AS SHOWN IN THE TABLE BELOW:

CTPO NO.	LOCATION	VOLUME (M <sup>3</sup> )
BP-010816-259	CALASAGUEN, BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN	1,516.690
BP-100217-350	MAMBALOT, BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN	5,506.80
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,023.49</b>

CONSIDERING THE ABOVE OBSERVATIONS, THE LOG SUPPLY OF THE APPLICANT COVERING A TOTAL VOLUME OF 7,023.49 CU. M. IS NOT SUFFICIENT TO SUPPLY THE WOOD REQUIREMENT OF THE WPP FOR FIVE (5) YEARS WITH A VOLUME OF 11,783.33 CUBIC METERS.

IN THIS REGARD, THE CONCERNED DENR FIELD OFFICE IS BEING REQUESTED TO SUBMIT AND/OR CLARIFY THE DAILY RATED CAPACITY (DRC) OF THE WPP OF DASOS-ONE PLANTATIONS, INCORPORATED. SHOULD THE ASSUMPTIONS MADE BY THIS OFFICE IN COMPUTING THE DRC OF THE SUBJECT WPP USING THE 375 BOARD FEET PER HOUR PRODUCTION CAPACITY, PLEASE SUBMIT ADDITIONAL LOG SUPPLY CONTRACT/S COVERING AT LEAST 4,760 CUBIC METERS, IN ORDER TO MEET THE 5-YEAR LOG SUPPLY OF THE WPP, AS REQUIRED UNDER E.O. NO. 23.

THE SUBMISSION OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS WILL BE THE BASIS OF THIS OFFICE IN TAKING FURTHER ACTION ON THE MATTER. KINDLY INFORM THE APPLICANT, ACCORDINGLY.

FOR INFORMATION AND FURTHER APPROPRIATE ACTION, PLEASE.

  
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