



Republic of the Philippines
(Republic Act No. 7611)

PALAWAN COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT STAFF

February 21, 2022

MR. ANGELO RUEL P. BELEN

Brgy. V (Pob.), Coron, Palawan

0969-166-7123

tagbanuatourscoron@gmail.com

Dear **Mr. Belen**:

Greetings from the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development Staff!

This pertains to your concern that was received through the 8888 Citizen's Complaint Hotline (Ticket Reference Number P20220216-781-6) on February 16, 2022 regarding your request to our office for a copy of the "Environmental Clearance" issued by the PCSD to "Travis Land Corporation" and Nameless Corporation.

Please be informed that we have already sent a reply to your letter informing you that the PCSD has not yet issued any SEP Clearances to the Travisland Archipelago, Inc. and Nameless Corporation although they do have pending applications, and that we are constrained to deny your request for copies of the documents they submitted since they fall under the List of Exceptions under Annex C of the DENR FOI Manual which excepts "personal and sensitive information concerning natural persons resulting in invasion of privacy unless waived in writing by the person concerned pursuant to Republic Act No. 10173 (Data Privacy Act of 2012)." The representatives of the said corporations did not sign any waiver allowing us to disclose to other parties their submitted documents that contain their personal information.

We would also like to apprise you that under Section 9 (d) of Executive Order No. 02, s. 2016 issued by the Office of the President, entitled "Operationalizing in the Executive Branch the People's Constitutional Right to Information and the State Policies to Full Public Disclosure and Transparency in the Public Service and providing guidelines therefor," a period not exceeding fifteen (15) working days is provided for a government office to respond to a request concerning disclosure of official and public records.

We hope that we have enlightened you on the aforementioned matters.

Thank you very much and best regards!

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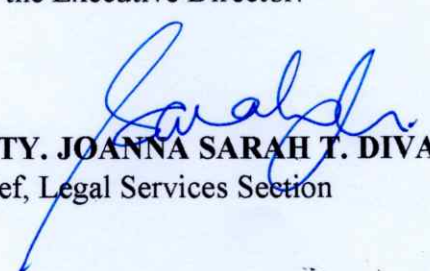
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Very truly yours,

ATTY. TEODORO JOSE S. MATTA
Executive Director

For the Executive Director:



ATTY. JOANNA SARAH T. DIVA
Chief, Legal Services Section

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8888 Citizens' Complaint Hotline
complaints@8888.gov.ph

Mr. Felizardo B. Cayatoc
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February 16, 2022

Subject: Request for copy of Environmental Clearance in Palawan Council for Sustainable Development

The Executive Director
Palawan Council for
Sustainable Development

Sir:

Environmental Greetings!

Referred is the attached complaint call by Angelo Ruel P. Belen of Brgy. V. Coron, Palawan lodged to the 8888 Citizens' Complaint hotline with ticket reference number P20220216-781-6 indorsed to our agency related to the Government Regulations/process/services and requesting for copy of Environmental Clearance from your office regarding to the land being develop allegedly by Travis Land Corporation.

Looking forward to your consideration on the said request.


Thank you and more power.

Very truly yours,


FELIZARDO B. CAYATOC
OIC-PENRO

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8888 Citizens' Complaint Hotline

Ticket Reference Number : **P20220216-781-6**
Status: Ticket indorsed
Head of Agency : N/A
Agency : Department of Environment
and Natural Resources
Agency Address : N/A
Attention (Focal Person) : Maria Matilda A. Gaddi

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 6¹, s. 2016, may we respectfully transmit the following concern received through the 8888 Citizens' Complaint Hotline:

Date: 16 February 2022
Name of Caller: Angelo Ruel P. Belen
Address: , Barangay V (Pob.), Coron,
Palawan
Contact Details: 0969 166 7123
tagbanuatourscoron@gmail.com
Nature of call: Complaint Against
Government
Regulations/processes/services
Subject: Request For Copy Of
Environmental Clearance In
Palawan Council For
Sustainable Developmen (For
Referral To Palawan Council
For Sustainable Development)
Details:

"Nais ko lang magpatulong sa aming concern regarding sa hiningi naming public documents sa Palawan Council for Sustainable Development (PCSD). Isa kasi ako sa representative ng Tagbanua Foundation of Coron Island na siyang tumatayo sa mga katutubong Tagbanua. Mayroong foreign investor na gustong mag-develop ng mga lagoon at cave. Ang dini-develop dito ng isang foreign investor na Travis Land Corporation ay Pesed Lagoon at ang Nameless Corporation naman ay Tocaway Lagoon-cave. Ito ay binigyan ng Environmental Clearance ng PCSD without prior notice sa mga katutubo dahil itong lupa na dini-develop nila ay under Coron Island Ancestral Domain title. Kaya nagri-request kami ng copy ng Environmental Clearance at mga copy ng application ng mga investor, pero hanggang ngayon ay hindi pa nila ito ibinibigay."

Please be reminded of Section 5 of EO No. 6, which states that "a citizen's concern lodged through any of the communication channels shall have a concrete and specific action within 72 hours from the receipt of

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the concern by the proper government agency or instrumentality".

Kindly send your reply directly to the concerned person/entity, copy furnished complaints@8888.gov.ph, on any action/s taken, citing the above ticket reference number. Thank you very much.

T "Institutionalizing the 8888 Citizens' Complaint Hotline and Establishing the 8888 Citizens' Complaint Center", under the direction and supervision of the Office of the Executive Secretary.

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Tagbanua Foundation of Coron Island (TFCI)
Bgy. Cabugao, Coron Island, Coron, Palawan

February 14, 2022

ATTY. TEODORO JOSE MATTA
PCSDS, Executive Director
Coron, Palawan



Dear Atty. Matta,

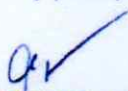
Greetings! In behalf of the Tagbanua Tribe of Coron Island I am requesting a copy of public documents pertaining to the following:

1. Copy of PCSDS clearances issued to Mr. Michael Reich of Travisland Achipelago, Inc. and Mr. Elia Gold
2. Copies of all documents as required by your office submitted to you by the foreign investors seeking for clearances.

Hoping for your favorable consideration on this matter that will help the interest of the IP community and indigenous leaders on resolving the internal conflict within their ancestral domain/water territory.

Thank you and Godbless!

Very truly yours,


ANGELO RUEL P. BELEN
TFCI Project Coordinator

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PCSDS DMD CALAMIAN
Date 2-14-2022 By: [Signature]



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Project Coordinator

Tagbanua Foundation of Coron Island (TFCI)

Brgy. Cabugao, Coron Island, Coron, Palawan

Dear **Mr. Belen**:

Greetings from the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development Staff!

This pertains to your letter dated February 14, 2022 requesting for copies of the "PCSD Clearances" issued to Mr. Michael Reich of Travisland Archipelago, Inc. and Mr. Ilia Gold, and copies of all documents submitted to our office by the said foreign investors seeking for clearances.

Please be informed that despite their pending applications, the PCSD has not yet issued any SEP Clearances to Travisland Archipelago, Inc. and to Nameless Corporation (represented by Mr. Ilia Gold). With regard to your request for copies of all documents submitted by them to our office, please be informed that as much as we want to serve you, the information/records you have requested fall under the List of Exceptions under Annex C of the DENR FOI Manual, specifically No. 10 thereof which excepts "*personal and sensitive information concerning natural persons* resulting in invasion of privacy unless waived in writing by the person concerned pursuant to Republic Act No. 10173 (Data Privacy Act of 2012)." The representatives of the said corporations did not sign any waiver allowing us to disclose their submitted documents that contain their personal information to other parties.

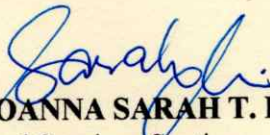
Thank you very much and we are happy to serve you.

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