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2. *We also understand that the farmer cooperatives have suffered from unfair land acquisitions and/or lease agreements with Agumil (with a 14% interest on loans). May we ask about what is being done about this?*
 - We regret to inform you that the said matter is no longer within the jurisdiction/authority of this Office. Hence, this Office respectfully advise you to coordinate with the concerned cooperative to shed light the matter.
3. *We also learned that the DENR has stopped the operations of Agumil in July 2019 for polluting the Calabugan River in Brookes Point. May we request for a copy of records regarding DENR's investigation on this? We would also like to request information on the status of Agumil's operations. Is the mill still closed?*
 - Kindly coordinate with CENRO Brookes Point, Palawan which have the jurisdiction over the subject area wherein Agumil Processing facilities were constructed.
4. *With Agumil's operations closed, the farmers/cooperatives are not able to sell their harvest which makes it hard for them to pay off loans. Please comment.*
 - This matter is no longer within the authority of this Office.

For your information, reference and record.



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