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28 June 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR : **The PENRO and**
Concurrent Acting PMRB Chairperson
Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Office
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City
Province of Palawan

FROM : **The Regional Director**
This Office

SUBJECT : **Complaint Against San Miguel Corporation on the Alleged**
Non-Rehabilitation of the Silica Mine in Brgy. 3, Poblacion,
Roxas, Palawan

This refers to the attached copy of the 06 June 2022 letter addressed to the Presidential Complaint Center bearing **Code No. WG-NEM-06-06-2022-004** on the above subject.

The above complaint was forwarded to the DENR Action Center/Hotline and was endorsed to this Office through electronic mail on 27 June 2022 for our appropriate action.

In this regard, this Office is requesting for the conduct of investigation, render appropriate actions to address the allegations stated therein, and furnish us a copy of the report. Our embedded personnel assigned in the Community Environment and Natural Resources Office – Roxas may be assigned in this undertaking.

For the PENRO's action, please.

By Authority of the Regional Director:

Elengrace R. Galiste
ELLENGRACE R. GALISTE
Chief, Mine Management Division
OIC, Office of the Regional Director

Enc'l: **As stated**

cc: **The Presidential Complaint Center**
Office of the President
Malacañang, Manila
PCC Code No. WG-NEM-06-06-2022-004

The DENR Action Center/Hotline
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
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The Head Executive Assistant
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

The Regional Executive Director
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
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The Complainant
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MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Director
Mines and Geosciences Bureau Region IV B - MIMAROPA
1515 L & S Building, Roxas Boulevard, Ermita, Manila

FROM : The Head, DENR Action Center/Hotline

SUBJECT : **REFERENCE CODE NO. WG-NEM-06-06-2022-004 RE: COMPLAINT LETTER FROM MR. ROBERTO PAREDES AGAINST THE ALLEGED IRRESPONSIBLE SILICA EXPLORATION OF SAN MIGUEL CORP. IN POBLACION, ROXAS, PALAWAN**

DATE : June 23, 2022

Respectfully referred herein transmittal letter sent thru email dated 06 June 2022 from Dir. Jaime Llaguno Mabilin, Presidential Complaint Center (PCC) bearing Code No. **WG-NEM-06-06-2022-004** forwarded to the Office of the DENR Secretary, indorsed to the Head Executive Assistant, and conveyed to the DENR Action Center/Hotline endorsing the letter of Mr. Roberto Paredes of Brgy. 3, Poblacion, Roxas, Palawan, addressed to President Rodrigo Roa Duterte dated 06 June 2022 pertaining to his complaint against the alleged irresponsible actions of San Miguel Corporation thru Mr. Ramon Ang involving the mining of Silica in Brgy. 3, Poblacion, Roxas, Palawan from which the residents within Lot No. 907 PLS 232 are heavily and adversely affected. The company allegedly did not conduct rehabilitation and/or mitigating measures, thus, transferring the burden to the local people in the area. Hence, this merits for your appropriate action, consistent with existing laws, rules and regulations.

Kindly inform directly the requesting party of action taken in this regard furnishing the PCC, HEA, and this Office for monitoring/reference purposes. Expeditious action is requested in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act No. 11032, otherwise known as the Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act of 2018 as implemented and enforced by the Anti-Red Tape Authority. Please be reminded that failure to timely respond to the public's concern shall be ground for administrative sanctions under existing laws and regulations.

For immediate attention, please.


MERLINDA R. MANILA

Copy furnished:

The Presidential Complaint Center (PCC), Malacañang, Manila
Head Executive Assistant
The Undersecretary USEC for Field Operations and Environment
Mr. Roberto Paredes, Brgy. 3, Poblacion, Roxas, Palawan

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Office of the President
PRESIDENTIAL COMPLAINT CENTER
Malacañang, Manila

TRANSMITTAL

Manila, 06 June 2022

Respectfully transmitted to **The CHIEF OF STAFF**, Office of the Secretary, Department of Environment and Natural Resources, DENR Bldg., Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City, for appropriate action, consistent with existing laws, rules and regulations, on the matter, the attached letter dated 06 June 2022, addressed to **PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, from **Mr. ROBERTO M. PAREDES** of Brgy. 3, Poblacion, Roxas, Palawan, seeking intercession relative to issues and concerns which, as stated therein, may be best coordinated/addressed by that Department.

A reply direct to the party/ies concerned, copy furnished the Center, citing **PCC Code No. WG-NEM-06-2022-004**, will be highly appreciated. Expeditionary action is requested in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act No. 11032, otherwise known as the Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act of 2018 as implemented and enforced by the **Anti-Red Tape Authority**. Please be reminded that failure to timely respond to the public's concern shall be a ground for administrative sanctions under existing laws and regulations.


JAIME LAGUNO MABILIN
Director IV

Encl.: a/s
cc.: party/ies concerned

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DAGHANG SALAMAT PO.

Republic of the Philippines
Office for Senior Citizen Affairs (OSCA)
Municipality of Roxas

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Date Issued: July 4, 2016
Place of Issued: Roxas, Palawan

Roberto M. Paredes
Signature/Thumb mark

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