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MEMORANDUM

TO : The PENR Officer
DENR Palawan, Region IV B - MIMAROPA
Brgy. Sta. Monica, Pto. Princesa City, Palawan

FROM : The Head, DENR Action Center/Hotline

SUBJECT : **REFERENCE CODE NO. PM-CAM-03-07-2022-060 RE: LETTER OF COMPLAINT FROM MR. SEVERO CABUGAYAN, JR. ON THE ALLEGED INACTION OF CENRO TAYTAY FOR TWO (2) YEARS NOW ON HIS APPREHENDED TRUCK LOADED WITH RATTAN**

DATE : March 14, 2022

Respectfully referred herein letter sent thru email dated 26 January 2022 addressed to President Rodrigo Roa Duterte thru Dir. Jaime Llaguno Mabilin, Presidential Complaint Center (PCC) bearing Code No. **PM-CAM-03-07-2022-060**, transmitted to OIC DENR Secretary Jim O. Sampulna, indorsed to the Head Executive Assistant, and further conveyed to the DENR Action Center/Hotline from Mr. Severo M. Cabugayan, Jr., of Purok Cherry, Brgy. Sicsican, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan pertaining to the alleged inaction by CENRO Taytay, Palawan on his apprehended truck loaded with rattan dated 25 May 2020. Mr. Cabugayan claims that even though the PENRO Palawan Appraisal Committee released a report regarding the temporary release of the truck in pursuant to DAO No. 97-32 which was referred by your office to CENRO Taytay on 10 August 2020, the latter, particularly CENR Officer Alan Valle, allegedly did not act on it accordingly – pending the truck and its loaded rattan in their checkpoint area for two (2) years now. The complainant claims that he followed this up multiple times, which also reached the DENR MIMAROPA Regional Office, and yet no clear actions were purportedly being executed regarding the matter, hence, merits for your appropriate action consistent with existing laws, rules and regulations.

Kindly inform directly the complainant 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
DENR Region IV B MIMAROPA, 1515 L & S Building, Roxas Boulevard, Ermita, Manila
Mr. Severo M. Cabugayan, Jr., Purok Cherry, Brgy. Sicsican, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan

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Date: Tue, Mar 8, 2022 at 3:29 PM
Subject: Fwd: SEVERIO M. CABUGAYAN
To: DENR Action Center <actioncenter@denr.gov.ph>

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Date: Tue, Mar 8, 2022 at 3:20 PM
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To: DENR HEA <chea.denr@gmail.com>

Please find enclosed, a copy of the Center's action taken on the subject matter. Thank you.

PRESIDENTIAL COMPLAINT CENTER

Office of the President of the Philippines

Malacanang Complex

San Miguel, Manila

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Office of the President
PRESIDENTIAL COMPLAINT CENTER
Malacañang, Manila

07 March 2022

USEC. JIM O. SAMPULNA

Officer-In-Charge

Office of the Secretary

Department of Environment and Natural Resources (**DENR**)

DENR Bldg., Visayas Avenue, Diliman

1101 Quezon City

Sir:

Respectfully forwarding the attached letter dated 26 January 2022, with enclosures, for appropriate action/comment, consistent with existing laws, rules and regulations on the matter, addressed to **PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, from **Mr. SEVERO M. CABUGAYAN, JR.** of Purok Cherry, Barangay Sicsican, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan, seeking Presidential intercession relative to issues and concerns which, as stated therein, may be best coordinated/addressed by that Department.

A reply direct to the party concerned, copy furnished the Center, citing **PCC Code Number PM-CAM-03-07-2022-060**, 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.

Thank you and cordial regards.

Very truly yours,


JAIME LLAGUNO MABILIN
Director IV

Cc: requesting party[#]

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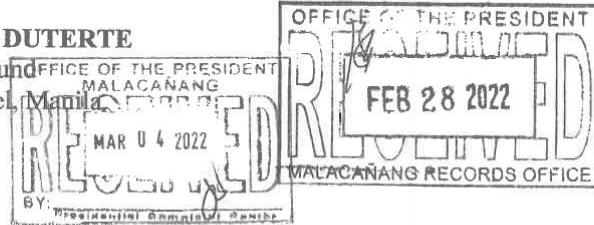
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BAHAY UGNAYAN, JOSE P. LAUREL STREET, MALACAÑANG, MANILA
Telephone Numbers: 736-8645 (Governance and Local Affairs Division);
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January 26, 2022

President RODRIGO R. DUTERTE

Malacañan Palace Compound
J. P. Laurel St., San Miguel, Manila
The Philippines



Dear President Duterte,

Nais ko pong ihingi ng katarungan ang kawalan ng aksiyon hingil sa aming truck na na-apprehend ng DENR-CENRO Taytay, Palawan noong May 25, 2020 na may kargang mga rattan (minor forest products) na nanggaling po naman ito sa license area ng Samahan ng mga Katutubo sa Hilagang Palawan, Roxas, Palawan at pagmamay-ari po ng mga residente doon, na kaya lamang po nila ibiniyahe ng walang kaukulang papeles ay para ibenta ito sa buyer sa Taytay, Palawan dahil wala na sila makain dulot po ng pandemya at lockdown at wala pang ayuda silang natatanggap.

Naki-usap po naman sila ngunit hindi talaga sila pinagbigyan at pati ang truck namin ay hindi nila pinakawalan hanggang sa dinaan po ito sa Administrative Proceedings at naganap po ang hearing sa DENR-CENRO office ng Taytay, Palawan noong July 13, 2020 at ang naging desisyon ng Hearing Officer ay temporary release ng truck base po sa DAO No. 97-32 at nag-request po ang Hearing Officer ng appraisal ng truck sa PENRO Office at tumalima po naman ang Appraisal Team ng PENRO Office at lumabas po ang report ng PENRO Appraisal Committee at inondorso po naman ng PENRO sa CENRO ng Taytay noong August 10, 2020 ang report ng Appraisal Committee para sa basehan nila ng tempory release ng truck ngunit hindi po umaksiyon ang CENRO Officer na si Mr. Alan Valle kahit may Memorandum Order galling sa PENRO at pinending ng matagal at binaliwala niya ang desisyon ng Hearing Officer na siya naman ang may kapangyarihan (authority) na mag release ng truck as per Sec. 9 ng DAO No. 97-32 ng DENR.


Maraming beses na po ako nag-follow-up sa opisina nila para mag bayad ng surety bond para sa truck pero ang sagot nila ay pag-aaralan pa raw ng CENRO hanggang tumagal ito at wala pa ring aksiyon. Noong December 28, 2020 napilitan po umaksiyon ngunit na-reject po ni CENRO Alan Valle ang temporary release ng truck sa napaka-babaw na dahilan at ipinasa na sa MIMAROPA REGION ang problema at nag-follow-up na po ako sa MIMAROPA REGION at hanggang ngayon ay wala pa ring malinaw na aksiyon ang Region ukol dito sa aming problema.

Bulok na rin po ang rattan na inaprehend nila pati na po ang truck ay kinalawang na dahil sa kapabayaang nila. Wala pong proteksiyon silang ginawa na dapat sana ay protektahan nila para hindi masira ang property sa tabing highway lang po nila ipinarada ang truck karga ang rattan malapit sa checkpoint nila at sagabal po ito sa mga motorista na maaring pagsimulan ng aksidente. Pinakialaman po nila ang dalawang battery ng truck at ginamit nila ng walang paalam, hindi na rin ibinalik at

ang rattan na dapat sana ay napakinabangan ng mga pobreng mamamayan at hinayaan nilang mabulok at wala ng halaga. Mabuti pa ang isang criminal na nakapatay ng tao madaling makalaya basta makapag-piyansya lang at bakit po ang malalaking truck na may kargang illegal na quarry/ gravel at kahoy pinapakawalan dahil po ba may kasunduan at ito pong forest ranger na si Leo Tabernilla na siyang naka apprehend sa truck namin ay nahulihan ng mga baril na walang kaukulang papeles ay bakit hindi naparusahan at malayang namumuhay na parang wala lang. Ganoon po ba ang batas natin na sa gobyerno at kahit gumawa ka ng kalokohan ay okay lang no problem? Makatarungan po ba ito? Batid po namin na may puso kayong maunawain sa katulad naming mahihirap kaya ako po ay humihingi ng tulong upang ma release ang aming truck sa lalong madaling panahon. Senior citizen na po ako (71 years old) at ito pong truck na ito ang inaasahan namin pang hanapbuhay at masasabi ko pong sa tagal ng panahon puro na po ako utang. Lakip po rito ang mga papeles na basehan ng temporary release ng aming truck.

Umaasa po kami sa inyong agarang pag-aksiyon pabor sa problema naming ito. Kasiyahan nawa kayo ng Poong may kapal. Mabuhay po kayo.

Lubos na gumagalang at nag-papasalamat,



SEVEROM CABUGAYAN, JR.

ANNEX "A"

Department of Environment and Natural Resources
Region IV- MIMAROPA
COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE
5312 Taytay, Palawan

Ika- 10 ng Hunyo, 2020

G. SEVERO M. CABUGAYAN
Bgy. Bato, Taytay, Palawan

DENR CENRO
TAYTAY, PALAWAN
RELEASED
BY: 
DATE: 06-10-2020 CN 1205

GNG. REMEDIOS CABUGAYAN
Puerto Princesa City, Palawan

Mga Ginoo,

Pagbati!


Ito ay tungkol sa nahuling isang unit ng truck (model 2015 canter na may plakang AWA 8032) na may lulang dalawang liho at limang daan (2,500) pirasong rattan poles sa Bgy. Bato, Taytay, Palawan noong ika-25 ng Mayo, 2020. Sa pagsisiyasat, ang nasabing rattan umano ay pagmamay-ari ninyo at ang trak naman ay kay Gng. Remedios Cabugayan.

Bilang paggalang sa proseso, kayo ay inaatasang pumunta dito sa tanggapan ng DENR-CENRO Taytay, Palawan para magpaliwanag sa ika-3 ng Hulyo, 2020 (araw ng Biyernes) sa ganap na ika- 10:30 ng umaga.

Mangyari po ay magdala kayo ng mga kaukulang papeles o dokumento kung meron man gayundin ng anumang pagkakakilanlan o Identification Card (ID). Karapatan nyo din na kumuha ng paglilingkod ng Tagapagtanggol (Legal Counsel).

Huwag po kayong inabibigo na pumuputa.

Lubos na sumasainyo,


ALAN L. VALLE
Community Environment and Natural Resources Officer