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MEMORANDUM

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The PENR Officer

DENR-PENRO Palawan

Santa Monica, Puerto Princesa City

Palawan

FROM

The OIC, CENR Officer

CENRO Calamianes Islands

SUBJECT

REPORT ON LAWIN MONITORING AND PATROLLING

ACTIVITIES OF BPRMO WITHIN THE FOREST CONSERVATION AREA (FCA) OF BPR FOR THE MONTH OF

AUGUST 2022

DOCUMENTS

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BPRMO Report on Lawin Accomplishment for August 2022

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Respectfully forwarded is the report of the BPR Management Office for the month of August 2022 Lawin Monitoring and Patrolling Accomplishments. Based on the report, the BPRMO patrolled a total of 32.27 km or 107.57% of their monthly target as per BRPMO's 3rd Ouarter Lawin Patrol Plan of 2022.

For the Regional Executive Director's information and record.

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Coron, Palawan

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BPRMO SMART-generated report

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With the implementation of the Lawin Forest and Biodiversity Protection System, respectfully submitted is the detailed report of the Busuanga Pasture Reserve Management Office (BPRMO) on the results of the Lawin monitoring and patrolling conducted in the Municipalities of Coron and Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR area for the month of August 2022.

I. Findings and Result

Two (2) Patrol Teams were dispatched during the conduct of this activity within the Forest Conservation Area (FCA) of BPR situated in the Municipalities of Coron and Busuanga, Palawan. The target distance for the month of August 2022 is 30 kilometers (km) based on the Lawin Patrol Plan for the 3rd Quarter of 2022. On the said month, the BPRMO Patrol Teams were able to traverse an aggregate distance of 32.27 km or 107.57 % (Table 1).

Table 1. BPRMO LAWIN monitoring and patrolling accomplishment for August 2022

Month	Target (km)	Accomplishment (km)	Difference (km)	Accomplishment (%)
August	30	32.27	2.27	107.57

^{*}The accomplishment rate is computed based on the 30 kilometer target per CENRO/CA per month compared to the sum of the distance patrolled per CENRO/CA.

Table 2 shows a total of 480 Forest Condition Counts (FCCs) recorded during the patrolling. Open-Uncultivated (OUC) appears to have the highest figure recorded for August 2022 with 175 counts or 36%, while Old Growth Forest (OGF) has the least recorded observation with 18 counts or 4%. The remaining forest conditions such as Open-Cultivated

(OC), Advanced Secondary Forest (ASF), and Early Secondary Forest (ESF) with corresponding total figures of 66 (14%), 70 (15%), and 151 (31%), respectively. Based on the SMART analysis, the total FC with the good condition has a total count of 239 or 49.79% which includes OGF, ASF, and ESF.

Table 2. Patrol Observation: Forest Condition Counts

	813			Fo	rest (Condition					
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Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
18	4	70	15	151	31	175	36	66	14	480	100

OGF-Old Growth Forest. ASF-Advance Secondary Forest. ESF-Early Secondary Forest. OUC-Open, Un-cultivated. OC-Open, Cultivated

For the presence of natural regenerants, 282 FCCs or 58.75% of the total FCC was recorded with the presence of natural regenerants while 198 FCCs or 41% were with the absence of natural regenerants. There were twenty-two (22) or 5% recorded dense natural regenerants, while one hundred twenty-one (121) FCCs or 25% and one hundred thirty-nine (139) or 29% recorded as moderate and sparse natural regenerants, respectively (Table 3).

Table 3. Patrol Observation: Natural Regenerant Count

					Re	egeneran	ts					
		Prese	nce o	of Regene	erant			No		Total Fo	rest	
Dens	e	Moder	ate	Spars	ie -	To	tal	Regener	ants	Condit	Condition	
Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	
22	5	121	25	139	29	282	58.75	198	41	480	100	

Table 4 shows the observed and recorded threats within the FCA of BPR. A total of two (2) threats were observed and recorded during the Lawin Patrolling for the month of August and this was accounted for two (2) huts or houses and other infrastructures

Table 4. Patrol Observation: Threat Count

Threats	No. of observation
Huts or houses and other infrastructures	2
Total	2

As can be viewed from the map in Annex C, the threats observed/documented in the FCA during the month of August 2022 were found in Barangay Bintuan in the Municipality of Coron, Palawan. The current threat index was computed as 0.12 threats per kilometer (T/Km) in January 2022, up to 0.21 T/Km in the month of March 2022, down to 0.03 T/km in April 2022 up to 0.26 T/Km for the month of June. The highest recorded was 0.40 T/km for the month of July and down to 0.06 on August. On the other hand, there are no threats recorded in the month of February 2022 and May 2022.

II. Actions Taken by the BPRMO for the observed threats

1. Current month (August)

Pertaining to the two (2) observed/recorded threats for the month of August the BPRMO sent communication letter dated July 26, 2022, address to the Barangay Bintuan for information regarding the conducted LAWIN patrolling and monitoring within their area of jurisdiction. Furthermore, as a follow-up action this office also sent a coordination letter dated August 16, 2022 to the said Barangay for assistance in the conduct of further investigation regarding the unlawful occupation, under the threats of huts or houses and other infrastructures.

2. Follow through action for observed threats for previews month:

Date of the conduct of Lawin activity	Threats	Actions taken
March 17, 2022	(1) huts or house and other infrastructure	Submitted internal memorandum dated August 23, 2022 pertaining to the evaluation report dated August 23, 2022, re: the unlawful occupation of Ms. Buena-Gracia P. Dela Cruz in So. Cabangcoroan, Brgy. Guadalupe, Coron, Palawan within the BPR
June 09, 2022	(2) tree cutting	Conducted joint Information Education Campaign (IEC) on Aug. 3, 2022 together with
July 05, 2022	(8) tree cutting	the CENRO Calamianes Island in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan
March 04, 2022	(2) tree cutting	Facilitated tree-planting activity on Aug. 27,
April 12, 2022	(1) slash and burn farming / kaingin *apprehension of one (1) unit of chainsaw	2022 at Sitio Bobot, Brgy. San Rafael, Busuanga, Palawan
July 08, 2022	(1) tree cutting	Conducted IEC on August 30, 2022 at Brgy. New Busuanga, Busuanga, Palawan

III. Remarks and Recommendations

- Frequency of the visibility of patrolling and LAWIN monitoring within the Forest Conservation Area of BPR is being intensified to include weekends, if necessary, in order to prevent and immediately address any possible threats within the forested areas of BPR;
- To send follow-up letter address to the Barangay for information with a record of threats observed in every conduct of LAWIN patrolling and monitoring to inform and assists them if it requires urgent action;
- Observed unlawful activities on the ground are being thoroughly investigated and documented and filing of appropriate criminal complaints against the offenders pursuant to Presidential Decree No. 705 and other environmental laws, if so warrant;

- 4. Conduct of seminar/IEC to every barangay recorded with a high incidence of unlawful activities within the area covered by the BPR to provide awareness and educate the community on the importance of maintaining ecological and environmental balance in the locality and the benefits that could be derived from the forest and climate change mitigation; and
- 5. Conduct of rehabilitation activities such as tree planting, enrichment planting and assisted natural regeneration to maintain and accelerate the recovery of forest cover.

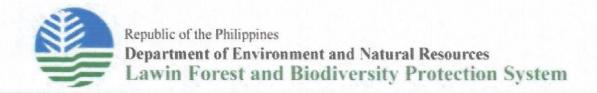
For the OIC, CENRO's information, record and further instruction/s, if any.

Prepared by:

RICHARD JOHN P. GALAGATE
Project Operations Control Officer

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Project Development Officer



Summary Patrol Report

Region 04B - BPR

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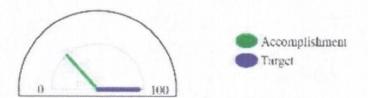
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This report presents the patrol performance and quality of the implementing unit during the above stated period of time (number of days). The report contains information on accomplishment rate, coverage and intensity of patrolling in different forest types on patrol distance covered per patroller. The information is meant to provide a basis for patrol planning for the next planning period and implementation of adaptive measures to enhance patrolling as necessary.

Overall accomplishment rate*

Level of Accomplishment



Accomplishment* Target* distance for the period for the period

32.27

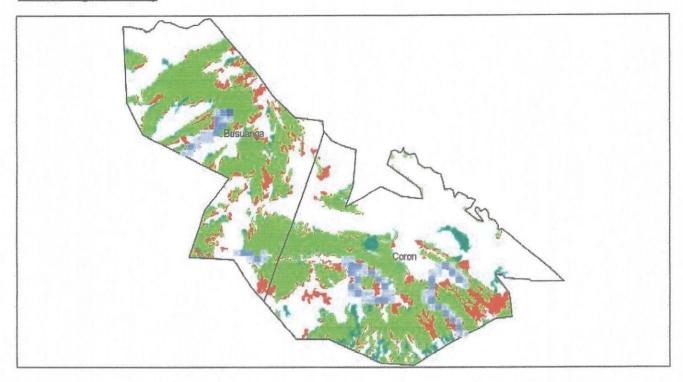
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Accomplishment Rate:

37.57

^{*}Target is computed based on 10km target per team of 4 DENR patrollers per month

Patrol coverage and intensity



Forest Ranger	Patrol Distance Accomplished
Leonardo Puno	32.28
Archie Agnes	22.62
Emerson Montanez, Jr.	22.62
Desiree Yvette Sandoval	20.74
Dindo Sarmiento	20.74
Michael Acbang	20.74
Rommel Gacayan	20.74
Gricilito Lagao	11.53
Jojie Montanez	11.53
Joy Kristel Degorio	2.93

Forest Protection Effectiveness Report

Region 04B - BPR

Number of days analyzed:

243

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This reports presents trends in observations of forest condition, regeneration, threats and indicator species. The combined presentation allows for an evaluation if protection efforts are effective, conservation targets are met and the forest achieves the desired future forest condition. Protection efforts are effective, when records of forest condition, regeneration and indicator species show an upward trend towards more observations more and denser regeneration, particularly in degraded forest areas. Increasing trends in indicator species suggest that the improved forest condition is providing a better habitat for forest dependent species. All trends presented are put in relation to the patrol effort to provide comparability. Forest cover data were derived from 2003 and 2010 NAMRIA land cover maps.

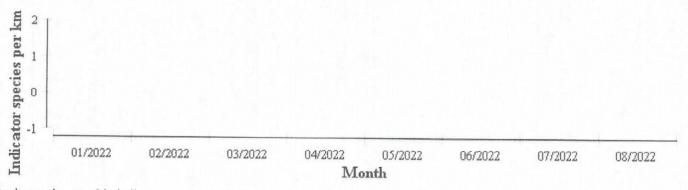
Trends of Observations per Patrol Kilometer in the Forest Conservation Area

Trend in Threats



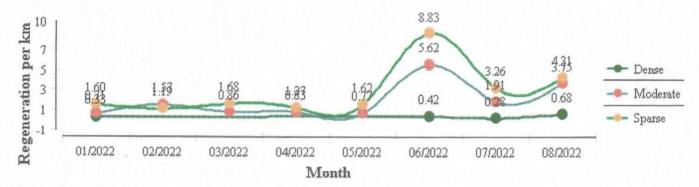
A decreasing trend in threats in the forest conservation area mean effective forest protection; an increasing trend means the opposite.

Trend in Indicator Species



An increasing trend in indicator species in the forest conservation area means effective forest protection; a decreasing trend means the opposite.

Trends in Regeneration Density



An increasing trend in regeneration means effective forest protection; a decreasing trend means the opposite.

Trends of most common Threats





Region 04B - BPR

Number of days analyzed: 31

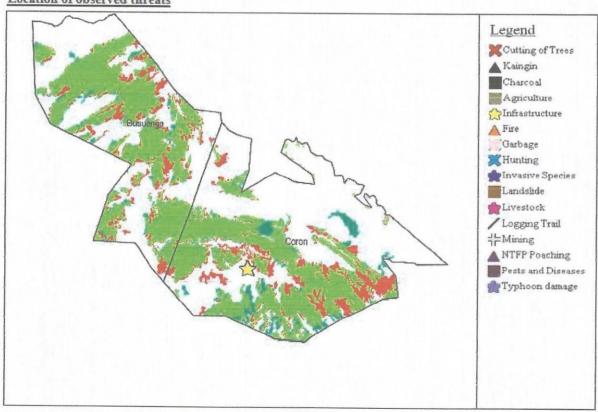
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This report presents information for the implementing units of DENR to effectively plan and carry out actions for adressing observed threats to the forest.

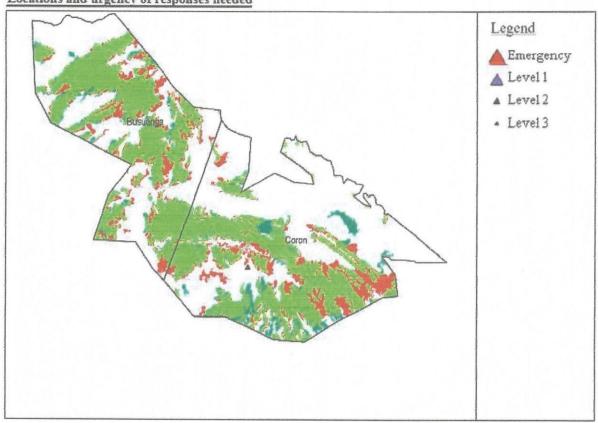
Threats observed and level of response required

Threat	No. of Observations	Emergency - Immediate action required!	Level 1 - Action required within a week	Level 2 - Action required within a month
Hut or House and Other Infrastructure	2	0	0	2

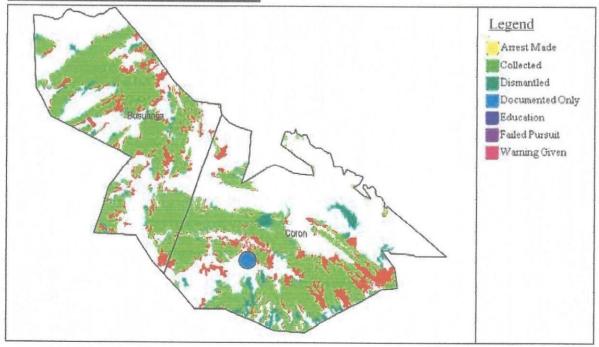
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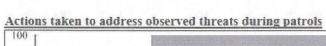


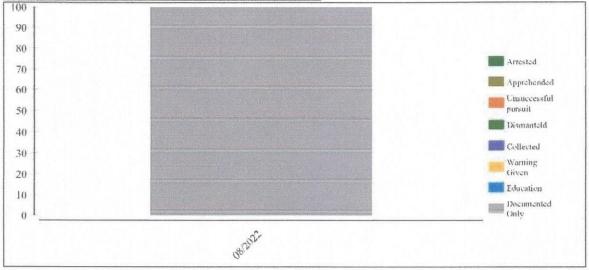
Locations and urgency of responses needed













Summary Response Report

Region 04B - BPR

Number of days analyzed:	31		Aug 30, 2022 1:55 Al
This report presents the response perf lays). The report contains information a meant to provide a basis for respon- enhance responses to threats as necess	n on threats requiring responses, stat se tracking and planning for the next	us of threats and types of responses j	per threat. The information
Number of threats observed	l <u>a</u>		2
Distribution of level of respo			
Distribution of level of respo Immediate action required			No further action required

Status of threats

No action yet	Requires further action	Addressed	Invalid observation

Responses per threat

Threat	Coordination with LGU	Devt. project	Education	Garbage cleanup	Inv. sp. removal	The second secon	Policy formulation	Wildlife rescue

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July 26, 2022

LARRY B. PE BARANGAY CHAIRMAN Barangay Bintuan, Coron, Palawan

Dear Hon. Pe:

Warm greetings from the Community and Environment and Natural Resources Office Calamianes Islands, Coron, Palawan!

Furnishing you herewith is the report pertains to the Lawin monitoring and patrolling activity conducted by the Technical Staff and Office Support Staff/ Bantay Gubat of BPR Management Office on July 19, 2022 in Barangay Bintuan to Guadalupe, Coron, Palawan.

On the report, it was disclosed that during the Lawin activity, patroller's encountered four (4) threats within your area of jurisdiction under slash and burn farming/kaingin and huts or house and other infrastructures. The said illegal activity is in violation Section 78 "Unlawful Occupation or Destruction of Forest Lands and Grazing Lands" of P.D. 705 as amended.

Much to our concern to help conserve and protect the remaining forest within your barangay and the enforcement of forestry and environmental laws, we are however have limited manpower, mobility and fund resource to undertake the activity.

To deter illegal activity happening in your area of jurisdiction may we seek support from your barangay as we endeavor in safeguarding, conserving and protecting the remaining forest stand in your area from unlawful activities by reporting illegal activities to this office.

For future action, the BPR Management Office will provide Information Education Campaign (IEC) during your Barangay session to educate the residents of your Barangay regarding Laws and Regulations pertaining to our forest resources.

We are looking forward to your consideration on this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

For and in the absence of the CENRO

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In-Charge, Office of the CENRO

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August 16, 2022

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On that note, may we request the assistance of your barangay for the conduct of field investigation/documentation of the DENR-FMB BPR Management Office personnel, regarding the threats encountered in the Lawin monitoring and patrolling activity in your area of jurisdiction.

Hopefully, this investigation will be scheduled on August 23, 2022, at 9:00 AM.

We are looking forward to your consideration of this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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FOREST MANAGEMENT BUREAU INTERNAL MEMORANDUM

FOR : The OIC, Forest Investment Development Division

THRU: The OIC, Forest Revenue Development Section

FROM : The Undersigned, BPR Management Office

SUBJECT: EVALUATION REPORT ON THE DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED

REGARDING THE UNLAWFUL OCCUPATION OF MS. BUENA GRACIA P. DELA CRUZ IN SO. CABANGCURUAN BRGY. GUADALUPE, CORON, PALAWAN WITHIN THE BPR

DOCUMENTS

ATTACHED: 1. Highlights of the Meeting

2. Documents of Ms. Buena Gracia P. Dela Cruz

3. Matrix of the evaluation

DATE : August 23, 2022

Respectfully submitted herewith is the evaluation report on the documents submitted regarding the unlawful occupation of Ms. Buena Gracia P. Dela Cruz in So. Cabangcuruan, Brgy. Guadalupe, Coron Palawan within the BPR.

Background Information

Please be informed that upon the follow-up investigation conducted on April 07, 2022, by the BPRMO personnel regarding the observed/ documented threats during the conduct of Lawin patrolling and monitoring in Brgy. Guadalupe, Coron Palawan within the BPR, the subject area of Ms. Dela Cruz was found to be within the jurisdiction of the Busuanga Pasture Reserve.

A series of Clarificatory Technical Conferences were scheduled by the BPRMO on the matter on June 30, 2022, and finally on July 15, 2022, a representative of Ms. Dela Cruz in the name of Ms. Diana Pinto attended the said Clarificatory Technical Conference together with Ms. Path Lagrosa. A memorandum dated July 18, 2022, for the OIC, CENRO from the BPRMO personnel was prepared for the matter for the highlights of the meeting pertaining to the unlawful occupation of Ms. Dela Cruz.

As a result, documents were provided by the representatives of Ms. Dela Cruz the said documents were subjected by this office for evaluation.

Evaluation

The documents provided during the Clarificatory Technical Conference on July 15, 2022, by the Ms. Diana Pinto and Ms. Path Lagrosa - representatives of Ms. Dela Cruz are the following:

- For the 20,400 square meters or 2.04 hectares of lot from Florenda Marcelino- Jose
 - 1. Waiver of Rights between Florenda Marcelino-Jose and Buena Gracia P. Dela Cruz

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The OIC, CENR Officer CENRO Calamianes Islands

SUBJECT

REPORT ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE BPRMO IN THE CONDUCT OF JOINT INFORMATION EDUCATION

CAMPAIGN (IEC) TOGETHER WITH THE CENRO CALAMIANES ISLAND IN BRGY. SAN NICOLAS, CORON,

PALAWAN

DATE

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Respectfully forwarded herewith is the report pertaining to the participation on the conducted joint Information Education Campaign (IEC) together with the CENRO Calamianes Island in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan.

Please be informed that on August 3, 2022, the BPRMO personnel conducted an Information Education Campaign (IEC) in the Barangay Hall of Barangay San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan. The presentation of the FMB-BPRMO for this IEC focuses on results of Lawin monitoring and patrolling of the BPRMO personnel conducted in their barangay within the BPR from the month of January to July 2022.

From the CENRO Coron NGP Section as presented by For. Mary Ann Valones and For. Roy D. Pascual. It was highlighted the main purpose of the National Greening Program is to plant 1.5 billion trees to 1.5 million hectares in a period of six (6) years for the degraded forest cover of the Philippines. Later, it become the Enhanced National Greening Program (ENGP) to continue the aim of the NGP. Moreover, it has given opportunity of employment for about 600, 000 people in the Philippines.

Followed by presentation of the Chief of Conservation Development Section, For. Ferdinand D. Gatchalian. He highlighted the key priorities of the DENR particularly: the Clean Water Program, Solid Waste Management, Intensified Forest Protection and Anti-Illegal Logging.

Lastly, the presentation of the Monitoring Enforcement Section by For. Darius Jagmis on the introductory message on the duties of his section and the area of re-assignment of MES personnel in the two (2) sectors in Coron Palawan.

After the presentation, the following are some of the issues and concerns raised by attendees to the BPRMO and the CENRO Coron personnel:

- The issue on the garbage collection of NHA in their area raised by Ms. Violeta Abaca, the member of the Katutubong Tagbanua. The POCO-BPRMO explained that the BPR Management Office will conduct inspection/verification in the NHA site to be scheduled next week;
- The application of King Carlos was also mentioned by one of the Barangay Kagawad Mondragon regarding the application for the Provisional Agreement with the FMB-BPR;
- Issuance of Torrens Title in Brgy. San Nicolas, it was explained by the POCO-BPRMO that the said issuance of Torrens property was not recognized by the DENR;
- Likewise, the Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR) has no authority to give an area of parcel lot within the BPR;
- The issue on the occupation in the Abugan Watershed, the NGP Section said that there is already an intervention by the DENR and a planting site of the NGP.

Recommendations of the BPRMO

- 1. The BPR Management Office will conduct inspection/ verification in the NHA site to be schedule on the following week;
- For future actions, this Office will conduct regular Lawin monitoring and patrolling in the areas with the threats observed/recorded and to deter other illegal activity within the BPR;
- 3. The CENRO Coron will send a copy furnished to the barangay regarding the stand of DENR on the proliferation of Torrens title;
- This Office will send a communication letter for the conduct of tree planting in San Nicolas
 to compensate the deforested areas due to illegal cutting of trees with proper coordination
 of the BPRMO prior to the activity.

For the Regional Executive Director's information and record.

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CENRO Calamianes Islands

Coron, Palawan

FROM

The Undersigned, BPRMO personnel

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CONDUCT OF TOINT. **INFORMATION EDUCATION** CAMPAIGN (IEC) **TOGETHER** WITH THE CALAMIANES ISLAND IN BRGY. SAN NICOLAS, CORON,

PALAWAN

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1. Communication letters

2. Attendance on the IEC

3. Presentation for IEC

4. Photo Documentation

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Respectfully submitted herewith is the report pertaining to the participation on the conducted joint Information Education Campaign (IEC) as per Travel Order No. 2022-167 together with the CENRO Calamianes Island in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan.

In a letter dated July 26, 2022, addressed to the Barangay Chairman of San Nicolas, pertaining to the request of this Office for the conduct of IEC hosted by the FMB-BPRMO on their barangay with their officials as the participants. In reference to the Monday forum dated August 1, 2022, regarding the involvement of the CENRO personnel in any activities concerning issues and concern to the environment and other activities. On the matter, the CENRO Coron coordinated with the BPRMO for the conduct of joint IEC.

The presentation of the BPRMO personnel for this IEC focuses on results of Lawin monitoring and patrolling of the BPRMO personnel conducted in their barangay within the BPR from the month of January to July 2022.

Please be informed that on August 3, 2022, the program for the IEC started at around 2:51 PM at the covered court of Barangay San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan and it was presided by the POCO-BPRMO. It started with a brief message of the OIC, CENRO Rodney G. Verian and Barangay Chairman, Jerson Elbat.

Accordingly, it started with the presentation of the FMB-BPRMO. The topics presented are the background/ legal basis of the Busuanga Pasture Reserve used from the updated BPR presentation of the FMB-BPRMO. This is to inform the barangay that the BPR has existing

laws/policies particularly the Presidential Proclamation 1387 of 1975, Presidential Proclamation 2057 of 2010 and Presidential Proclamation 663 of 2013.

The next topic discussed is the brief background of Lawin monitoring and patrolling within the BPR. Followed by the results and recommendation of the conducted Lawin from January to July 2022 in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan. On the Lawin presentation, POCO-BPRMO highlighted the threats recorded/documented to their barangay. This is to inform and raise awareness to the barangay that such illegal activities was happening in their area of jurisdiction. Furthermore, explained to them the next actions of this office on dealing the matter.

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Recommendation of the BPRMO

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The OIC, Forest Investment Development Division

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The Undersigned, BPRMO personnel

SUBJECT

REPORT ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE BPRMO IN THE CONDUCT OF JOINT INFORMATION EDUCATION CAMPAIGN (IEC) TOGETHER WITH THE CENRO CALAMIANES ISLAND IN BRGY. SAN NICOLAS, CORON,

PALAWAN

DOCUMENT

ATTACHED :

1. Communication letters

2. Attendance on the IEC

3. Presentation for IEC

4. Photo Documentation

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Respectfully submitted herewith is the report pertaining to the participation on the conducted joint Information Education Campaign (IEC) as per Travel Order No. 2022-167 together with the CENRO Calamianes Island in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan.

In a letter dated July 26, 2022, addressed to the Barangay Chairman of San Nicolas, pertaining to the request of this Office for the conduct of IEC hosted by the FMB-BPRMO on their barangay with their officials as the participants. In reference to the Monday forum dated August 1, 2022, regarding the involvement of the CENRO personnel in any activities concerning issues and concern to the environment and other activities. On the matter, the CENRO Coron coordinated with the BPRMO for the conduct of joint IEC.

The presentation of the BPRMO personnel for this IEC focuses on results of Lawin monitoring and patrolling of the BPRMO personnel conducted in their barangay within the BPR from the month of January to July 2022.

Please be informed that on August 3, 2022, the program for the IEC started at around 2:51 PM at the covered court of Barangay San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan and it was presided by the POCO-BPRMO. It started with a brief message of the OIC, CENRO Rodney G. Verian and Barangay Chairman, Jerson Elbat.

Accordingly, it started with the presentation of the FMB-BPRMO. The topics presented are the background/ legal basis of the Busuanga Pasture Reserve used from the updated BPR presentation of the FMB-BPRMO. This is to inform the barangay that the BPR has existing

laws/policies particularly the Presidential Proclamation 1387 of 1975, Presidential Proclamation 2057 of 2010 and Presidential Proclamation 663 of 2013.

The next topic discussed is the brief background of Lawin monitoring and patrolling within the BPR. Followed by the results and recommendation of the conducted Lawin from January to July 2022 in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan. On the Lawin presentation, POCO-BPRMO highlighted the threats recorded/documented to their barangay. This is to inform and raise awareness to the barangay that such illegal activities was happening in their area of jurisdiction. Furthermore, explained to them the next actions of this office on dealing the matter.

The next presentation is from the CENRO Coron NGP Section as presented by For. Mary Ann Valones and For. Roy D. Pascual. It was highlighted the main purpose of the National Greening Program is to plant 1.5 billion trees to 1.5 million hectares in a period of six (6) years for the degraded forest cover of the Philippines. Later, it become the Enhanced National Greening Program (ENGP) to continue the aim of the NGP. Moreover, it has given opportunity of employment for about 600, 000 people in the Philippines.

Followed by presentation of the Chief of Conservation Development Section, For. Ferdinand D. Gatchalian. He highlighted the key priorities of the DENR particularly: the Clean Water Program, Solid Waste Management, Intensified Forest Protection and Anti-Illegal Logging.

Lastly, the presentation of the Monitoring Enforcement Section by For. Darius Jagmis on the introductory message on the duties of his section and the area of re-assignment of MES personnel in the two (2) sectors in Coron Palawan.

Issues and Concern

After the presentation, some of the issues and concerns raised by attendees to the BPRMO and the CENRO Coron personnel:

- The issue on the garbage collection of NHA in the area of Ms. Violeta Abaca, the member of the Katutubong Tagbanua. The POCO-BPRMO explained that the BPR Management Office will conduct inspection/ verification in the NHA site to be scheduled next week;
- The application of King Carlos was also mentioned by one of the Barangay Kagawad Mondragon regarding the application for the Provisional Agreement with the FMB-BPR;
- Torrens Title Issue –one of the main issues of the barangay residents is the issuance
 of the Torrens title in the Brgy. San Nicolas and it was explained by the POCOBPRMO that the said issuance of Torrens property was not recognized by the
 DENR;
- Likewise, the Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR) has no authority to give an area of parcel lot within the BPR;
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