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Sir:

Environmental Greetings!

This pertains to your request for PAMB Clearance (MMPL) application for MPSA No. 220-2005-IVB covering areas located at Brooke's Point, Palawan.

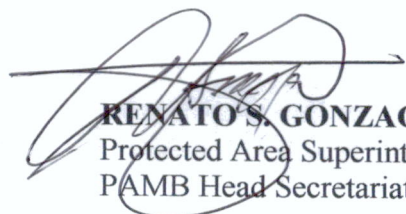
Please be informed that your request for PAMB Clearance (MMPL) has been referred to this Office per Memorandum dated August 18, 2022 from the Office of Assistant Regional Director (ARD) for Technical Services for corresponding appropriate action. Upon receipt of the subject memorandum instruction, the MMPL-PAMO referred the request of Macro-Asia together with the memorandum instruction to Committee on Biodiversity Conservation and Monitoring and Committee on Project and Development for review and further evaluation.

That on September 16, 2022 a back to back meeting of MMPL-TWG were convened however, due to lack of quorum the present TWG member agreed and decided that regular meeting be converted into special meeting. One of the agenda on that meeting was the request of Macro Asia for PAMB Clearance wherein after presentation, deliberation and discussion of the above memorandum instruction to be complied, it was agreed by the TWG member together with the representative from Macro Asia and other resource person via zoom from Mine and Geosciences Bureau (MGB) to facilitate the completion of the conduct of area verification/ validation of the approved MPSA No. 220-2005-IVB within MMPL before resolving the other needed data for the inventory of natural resources, taking into consideration the conducted biodiversity study of Palawan Council for Sustainable Development (PCSD) as basis for the inventory to be conducted. Moreover, it was also agreed during that meeting, that proposed activity be scheduled on the 3rd week of October, 2022 onwards.

In line with this, may we request an update on the scheduled activity for our reference in fixing our calendar of activities together with other member of the team who are joining the verification process.

Looking forward to your usual cooperation and prompt response.

Very truly yours,



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