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Province of Occidental Mindoro  
MUNICIPALITY OF ABRA DE ILOG

**OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR**

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**FORESTER ATANACIO A. SANTOS**

CENRO

Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro

**SUBJECT : REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION AND PARTICULARS ON  
UNDERTAKINGS OF PARTIES IN RLTA PROGRAM**

**CENRO:**

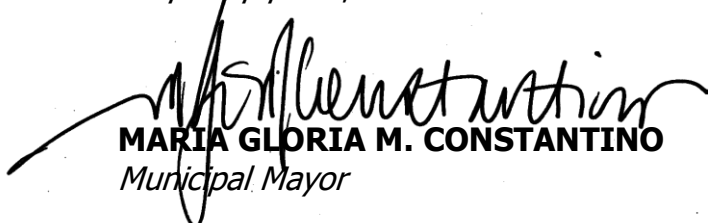
I received a request from field personnel of the RLTA Abra de Ilog Pilot Program that bears your attestation. While we agreed that we would coordinate and support the program, the details and scope that have just been revealed us are startling. As you are familiar with government budgetary processes the funds for the RLTA are not part of any PPAs of our 2022 budget.

We now see significant cost outlays that we were not apprised of in the MOA. Had these costs been communicated to us early on, clearly we would have negotiated for time to source these funds, plus whatever may be forthcoming. At the immediate moment, you are asking us to provide 7 tablets, a laptop, travel expenses and per diems to the field personnel. Something impossible to produce right away.

Let's meet to reconsider these needs of the RLTA field personnel and properly apportion the same between the DENR and the LGU in a more straightforward and transparent manner. The DENR would be more financially capable to address these with the RLTA being a special program of the department. Once you've communicated all the costs the program will entail through a work and financial plan then we could commit properly to our doable undertaking.

Looking forward to your immediate response.

Very truly yours,



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*Municipal Mayor*

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