



April 11, 2023

MR. CHESTER LIM

MR. RICHARD LIM

Claimant, Pinagbuyutan Island
Brgy. Manlag, El Nido, Palawan

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Sir,

DENR CENRO
 TAYTAY, PALAWAN
 RELEASED
 BY: *Lee*
 DATE: APR 26 2023 *1578*

This is to notify you that based on the investigation conducted by the CENRO Taytay and El Nido-Taytay Managed Resourced Protected Area-Protected Area Management Office (ENTMRPA-PAMO) Team pursuant to Section 20 of National Integrated Protected Areas System (NIPAS) Act of 1992 or Republic Act (RA) 7586 as amended by Expanded NIPAS Act of 2018 or RA 11038, it was verified that you are illegally occupying a portion of **Pinagbuyutan Island** situated in Barangay Manlag, El Nido, Palawan which is classified as protected area under Presidential Proclamation No. 32. Hence, your continuous occupation and possession of the subject area without any clearance and/or permit from the Protected Area Management Board (PAMB) and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), respectively, constitute a criminal offense. Section 18 (n) of RA 11038, as amended, provides that:

SECTION 18. Section 20 of Republic Act No. 7586 is hereby amended to read as follows:

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(n) Occupying or dwelling in any public land within the protected area without clearance from the Protected Area management Board (PAMB).

In view hereof, you are hereby ordered to **VACATE, REMOVE AND SELF-DEMOLISH THE STRUCTURE/You have built in the subject land** within **FIFTEEN (15) DAYS** upon receipt hereof. Otherwise, we will be compelled to take the necessary action on the matter.

We are hoping that you will give this matter your utmost and preferential attention.

Very truly yours,

CONRADO M. CORPUZ
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