



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Environment and Natural Resources**  
MIMAROPA REGION  
PROVINCIAL ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE  
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February 13, 2023

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR** : The Regional Executive Director  
1515 DENR by the Bay Building,  
Roxas Boulevard, Barangay 668,  
Ermita, Manila

**THRU** : The Assistant Regional Director  
For Technical Services

**FROM** : The Provincial Environment and  
Natural Resources Officer

**SUBJECT** : **AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT BIDDING RE:  
MISCELLANEOUS LEASE APPLICATION NO. 045306-13  
FILED BY IPILAN NICKEL CORPORATION REPRESENTED  
BY CARLO MATULAC LOCATED IN BRGY. MAASIN,  
BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN [P-2022-83668]**

Respectfully forwarded is the Memo dated January 29, 2023 of CENR Officer **Leonard T. Caluya** of Brooke's Point, Palawan received 9<sup>th</sup> of February 2023 by this office, in relation with their compliance to that Office Memo Instructions dated December 9, 2022 authorizing CENRO Brooke's Point to proceed the bidding relative to the above subject.

However, in line with Manual of Authorities under DAO No. 2022-10 of May 30, 2022 the **conduct of bidding** does not lies within the authority of the CENRO but of **PENRO and RED in the case of NCR.**

In view of the above and prior to the set of deadline of notice of lease of posting and formal conduct of bidding process coming March 3, 2023, this office respectfully seeks clarification on the matter.

For your information, record and further instruction.

Copy Furnished:

The CENRO  
Brooke's Point, Palawan

Doc. Ref. No. 2022-1094  
TSD-RPS-DFD

  
**FELIZARDO B. CAYATOC**



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January 20, 2023

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DENR MIMAROPA Region  
1515 DENR By the Bay Bldg.,  
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FROM : The Community Environment and  
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**DENR PENRC  
PALAWAN RECORDS  
RECEIVED**  
BY: [Signature]  
DATE: 02-04-2023 23-1094

In compliance with Memorandum dated December 9, 2022 of the Regional Executive Director with instruction to facilitate the posting of the Notice of Bidding on the bulletin board of this Office for six (6) consecutive weeks, started on January 20, 2023 and remain posted until March 2, 2023 at 10:00 A.M. Geotagged photo and xerox copy of the letter from Ipilan Nickel Corporation hereto attached as evidence of their compliance.

For your information, record and further instruction.

Doc Ref. No. 2022-7290

 **DENR-CENRO  
BROOKE'S POINT**  
**RELEASED**  
DATE: JAN 20 2023  
BY: [Signature]  
NO: 2022-7290

[Signature]  
LEONARD T. CALUYA

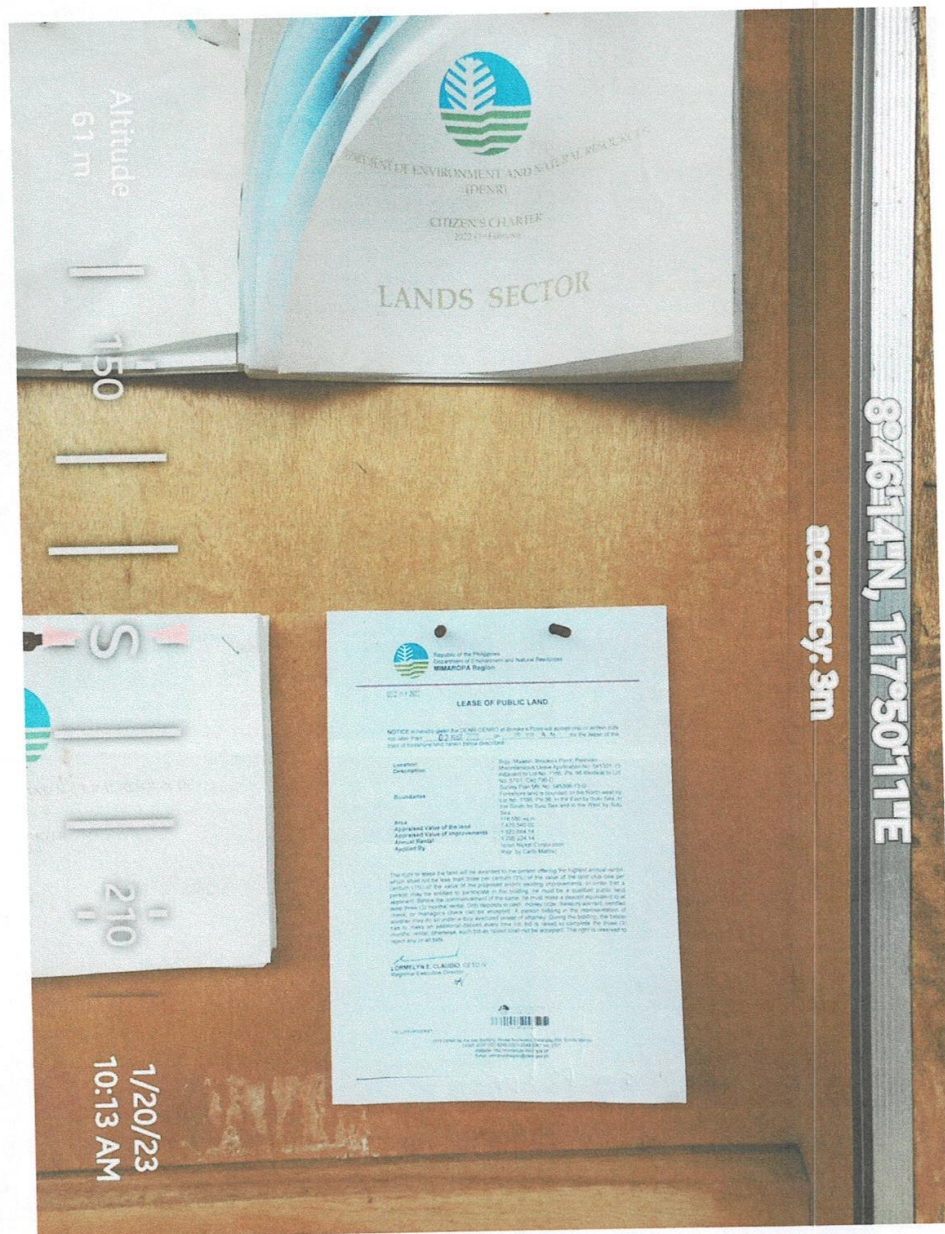
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**GEOTAGGED PHOTOS OF POSTING OF NOTICE AT  
DENR-CENRO BROOKE'S POINT BULLETIN BOARD  
IN RE: MLA 045306-13 ADJACENT TO LOT 1166, PLS 96 IDENTICAL TO  
LOT NO. 5701, CAD 796-D CONTAINING AN AREA OF 118,580, SQM**







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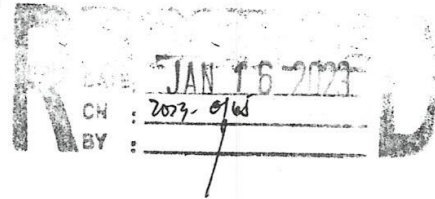
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OFFICE OF THE CENRO  
BROOKE'S POINT



January 16, 2023

Mr. Leonard T. Caluya  
CENRO  
Department of Environment and Natural Resources  
CENRO - Brooke's Point  
M. Rodriguez St., Poblacion,  
District I, Brooke's Point,  
Palawan, 5305

Dear CENRO Caluya:

***Publication of Ipilan Nickel Corporation MLA Application No. 045306-13***

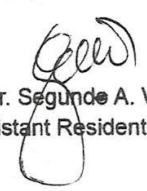
We refer to your letter, dated December 23, 2022, informing that DENR-MIMAROPA instructed the CENRO to proceed with the publication and posting of the required Notice of Lease of Public Land and directing INC to inform the CENRO of the publication dates of INC MLA Application No. 045306-13.

In compliance with the directive and relevant provisions of Commonwealth Act No 141, INC will commence with the 6-week publication of the Notice of Lease of Public Land on January 20, 2023, as scheduled:

First week	January 20, 2023
1 <sup>st</sup> Second week	January 27, 2023
2 <sup>nd</sup> Third week	February 3, 2023
3 <sup>rd</sup> Fourth week	February 10, 2023
4 <sup>th</sup> Fifth week	February 17, 2023
5 <sup>th</sup> Sixth week	February 24, 2023

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

  
Engr. Segundo A. Villanueva  
Assistant Resident Mine Manager