



MEMORANDUM

TO : **THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**
DENR Region IV B
L & S Bldg., Roxas Blvd., Manila

FROM : **THE UNDERSECRETARY**
Field Operations Luzon & Visayas and Environment

SUBJECT : **COMPLAINT AGAINST CORON WATERSHED
BENEFICIARIES ASSOCIATION-COMMUNITY-BASED
FOREST MANAGEMENT (CWBA-CBFM) IN CENRO, CORON,
PALAWAN FOR ALLEGED CONDONING OF ILLEGAL
FOREST ACTIVITIES**

DATE : **JAN 13 2023**

This pertains to the Memorandum dated 05 January 2023 from Undersecretary and OIC, Chief of Staff Augusto dela Peña endorsing the email dated 11 November 2023 from Ms. Violeta Mosquera Abaca, Leader of KPTSN in Coron, Palawan regarding the abovementioned subject.

May we refer the matter to your Office for complaint verification. Furnish this Office and parties concerned of the actions taken citing document tracking number DENR CO-OSEC 2023-000118 for monitoring and record purposes.

For compliance.


ATTY. JUAN MIGUEL T. CUNA, CESO I

c.c.

Office of the Secretary

The Director, FMB

Ms. Violeta Mosquera Abaca
Leader of KPTSN on Coron, Palawan
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cc: Osec, FMB Dir & Ms. Abaca

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Respectfully referred, for information and appropriate action, is the attached letter from Ms. Violeta Mosquera Abaca, complaining against Coron Watershed Beneficiaries Association – Community-Based Forest Management (CWBA-CBFM) in CENRO Coron, Palawan for alleged condoning of illegal forest activities such as *kaingin*, logging and coaling. In addition, public lands and forest areas in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan are allegedly being enclosed/fenced by CWBA-CBFM through alleged connivance with CENRO Coron.

Please inform party/ies concerned and the Office of the Chief of Staff of the action taken on the subject matter.


AUGUSTO D. DELA PEÑA

cc: **Ms. Violeta Mosquera Abaca**
Leader of KPTSN
violetaabaca18@gmail.com

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MS. VIOLETA MOSQUERA ABACA

Leader of KPTSN

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Dear **Ms. Abaca:**

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter complaining against Coron Watershed Beneficiaries Association – Community-Based Forest Management (CWBA-CBFM) in CENRO Coron, Palawan for alleged condoning of illegal forest activities such as *kaingin*, logging and coaling. In addition, public lands and forest areas in Brgy. San Nicolas, Coron, Palawan are allegedly being enclosed/fenced by CWBA-CBFM through alleged connivance with CENRO Coron.

In this regard, please be informed that we have referred your request to the Undersecretary for Field Operations – Luzon, Visayas and Environment for appropriate action and provide you with their actions taken on the subject matter. You may also directly coordinate with the said office through telephone number/s (02) 8925-2328 for the latest updates.

Thank you very much for your kind consideration.

Very truly yours,

AUGUSTO D. DELA PEÑA
Undersecretary and Officer-In-Charge, Chief of Staff



Office of the DENR Secretary <osec@denr.gov.ph>

REKLAMO

1 message

Violeta Abaca <violetaabaca81@gmail.com>

Fri, Nov 11, 2022 at 8:00 AM

To: osec@denr.gov.ph

Magandang araw po,

Ano po ang tungkulin ng CWBA CBFM sa inyong ahensya sa CENRO Coron. Sa Pagkakaintindi ko po ang CBFM ay ang inyong kaagapay sa pagsulong sa mga adbokasiya na may kinalaman sa pagprotekta sa kalikasan, sa reforestation at pagkondena sa mga gawain na siyang sumisira sa kalikasan katulad ng pagkakaingin, logging at pag-uuling. Bakit sila rin ang nangunguna sa paglalagari ng mga kahoy at sila rin ang nangunguna sa pagsira nito at higit pa riyan ang pagbabakod ng mga public lands, forest areas lalo na sa Brgy. San Nicolas Coron Palawan. Ang mga Lupa na kanilang binabakod ay pinapamahagi sa miyembro ng CWBA CBFM mga kamag-anak at ilang Kawani ng CENRO Coron. Ngunit, wala namang kapangyarihan ang CWBA CBFM mamahagi ng lupa at tinalo pa ang DAR o Department of Agrarian lalong lalo hindi naman ito ahensya ng gobyerno. Bakit inaagawan niyo ng lupain ang mga mamamayan at mga indigenous peoples. Malawak ang sabwatan sa inyong ahensya kawawa ang maliliit na tao kapag kami ang nahuli kinakasuhan kaagad bakit ito malaya sa ganitong gawain.

Imbestigahan niyo naman ito.

- Violeta Mosquera Abaca
Leader of KPTSN