

Republic of the Philippines Province of Romblon **MUNICIPALITY OF SAN FERNANDO** 

## OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

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Regional Executive Director Department of the Environment and Natural Resources MIMAROPA Region DENR by the Bay Bldg., 1515 Roxas Boulevard, Ermita, Manila

> Attention: Dir. JOE AMIL M. SALINO Regional Director EMB MIMAROPA Region

## Dear RED Claudio:

Warmest Greetings!

This is in reference to the first renewal of the Exploration Period of Mineral Production Sharing Agreement (MPSA) No. 304-2009-IVB granted by the Mines and Geosciences Bureau-Central Office (MGB-CO) to Altai Philippines Mining Corporation (APMC).

During the meeting of Task Force Pangangasiwa ng Kapaligiran on December 2, 2022, it has been discussed that it is essential to test the waters near the site locations of APMC in Barangay Taclobo and Barangay Espana before, during, and after the mining activities. This is to ensure that the waters of the municipality are not affected by the mining activities of APMC. The Task Force Pangangasiwa ng Kapaligiran in the Municipality of San Fernando, Romblon, was created as a proper venue or platform where consultation, coordination, monitoring, reporting, dialogue, decisions, and resolutions shall be made as a collective action of the municipal government whenever issues and concerns arise concerning environmental management.

Relative thereto, the undersigned would like to respectfully request for your good office to conduct water analysis in the municipality before, during, and after the mining activities of APMC.

We do hope that you give this letter the utmost attention and consideration.

Thank you, and God bless!

Very truly yours,

