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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
DENR Region IV-B  
DENR by the Bay 1515 L&S Bldg., Roxas Blvd., Manila

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

**SUBJECT :** ALLEGED ILLEGAL FILLING OF SAND/SOIL ON A  
MANGROVE AREA IN BARANGAY BINTUAN, CORON,  
PALAWAN

**DATE :** MAR 24 2023

This has reference to the electronic mail dated February 23, 2023 from Mr. Francisco Castil, referred to this Office on March 21, 2023, indicating that their Barangay Captain Larry Pe has allegedly discarded soil in mangrove area of around two (2) hectares in the above-mentioned barangay.

May we refer the matter to your Office for verification and appropriate action pursuant to existing laws, rules, and regulations. Reply directly to the letter writer, furnishing this Office of the actions taken citing document tracking number DENRCO-OSEC-2023-001162 for monitoring and record purposes.

For compliance.

  
ATTY. JUAN MIGUEL T. CUNA, CESO I

cc: The OIC Assistant Secretary for Field Operations – Luzon and Visayas  
and EMB Director, in concurrent capacity



OSEC-2023-001162: Concern of Mr Francisco Castil on mangrove area

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**DENR OSEC Referral** <osec.referral@denr.gov.ph> Tue, Feb 28, 2023 at 9:37 AM  
To: Office of the Undersecretary for Field Operations and Environment  
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Sir/Madam:

Good day.

Respectfully referred to your good office for information and appropriate action, with EDATS No.  
OSEC-2023-001162.

Thank you.

NOTE: DO NOT REPLY TO THIS EMAIL. For updates, inquiries and other  
communications, please send to [osec@denr.gov.ph](mailto:osec@denr.gov.ph).



OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
4/F DENR Main Building  
Visayas Avenue, Diliman  
Quezon City

From: **Francisco Castil** <castilf04@gmail.com>  
Date: Thu, Feb 23, 2023 at 6:21 PM  
Subject: Dear sir, madam  
To: <[osec@denr.gov.ph](mailto:osec@denr.gov.ph)>

ako po ay nakatira dito sa barangay bintuan coron palawan, nais ko pong ipabatid sa inyong  
kaalaman na ang barangay kapitan po namin dito sa barangay bintuan ay tinambakan ang nasa  
mahigit dalawang ektaryang kabakawan ( mangroves) dito sa barangay. ang bintuan po ay coastal  
area na nagigiliran ng makapal na [bakawan.at](http://bakawan.at) isa pa pong nakapagtataka nasa gilid lang ito ng  
kalsada pero parang di nakikita ng lokal na denr. ang pangalan po ng kapitan ay si kapitan larry pe

**Juan Miguel Cuna** <usecmitchcuna@denr.gov.ph> Tue, Feb 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM  
To: Office of the Undersecretary for Field Operations and Environment <officeofuseccuna@denr.gov.ph>

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