



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
MIMAROPA Region
COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE
Brooke's Point, Palawan

September 01, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan

THRU : The Chief Administrative Officer
Management Services Division

FROM : The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT : **PENRO SPECIAL ORDER FOR APPROVAL**

**DENR PENRO
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Respectfully forwarding herewith the copy of PENRO Special Order, re: Authorizing the conduct of Paralegal Training for the Deputation of Environment and Natural Resources Officers (DENROs) for the volunteers, Enforcers of Municipality of Brooke's Point, Palawan

For his evaluation and approval.


LEONARD V. CALUYA

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**PARALEGAL TRAINING FOR THE DEPUTATION OF ENVIRONMENT AND
NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICERS (DENROs) IN MUNICIPALITY OF BROOKE'S
POINT, PALAWAN**

Conference Hall, DENR- CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan
September 27-29, 2023

==PROGRAMME==

DATE/TIME	ACTIVITIES/TOPIC	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Day 1 (September 27, 2023)		
8:00-9:00 AM	Registration Pre-test (Participants)	MES Personnel DENR CENRO Brooke's Point
9:00 – 10:00 AM	Opening Program Prayer (Video) National Anthem (Video) Welcome Remarks/Message	MES Personnel DENR CENRO Brooke's Point CENRO Leonard T. Caluya
10:00-10:10 AM	Rationale of Training	For. Joselito A. Eyal FIII/ Deputy CENRO, Concurrent Chief- MES
10:10 – 12:00 NN	Highlights of Republic Act (RA) 7586 (NIPAS ACT) as amended by RA 11038 or ENIPAS Act of 2018	For. Rachel H. Appie EMS II, Planning Officer
	Plenary/Open Forum	
12:00-1:30 PM	Lunch Break	
1:30-3:30 PM	Highlights of Republic Act (RA) 9147 or Wildlife Act and RA 9175 or Chainsaw Act	PCSD Legal Staff
	Plenary/Open Forum	
3:30-5:00 PM	Existing Policies/Legal Basis: a.) Issuance of DENR Tenurial Instruments b.) Permit for tree cutting and transport of lumpers and Non-Timber Forest Products	For. Menelaus Rey Duller Forester I/Chief, Forest Utilization DENR CENRO Brooke's Point
	Plenary/Open Forum	
Day 2 (September 28, 2023)		
8:30-9:00 AM	Recapitulation	
9:00-10:30 AM	Highlights of Presidential Decree (PD) 705, Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines as amended by EO 277 and RA 7161	Atty. Thomas Lacandazo PENRO Legal Staff
10:30-12:00 AM	-Apprehension/arrest, search, Seizure/confiscation, detention in general -Investigation, documentation, evidence gathering –Preparation of documents and report writing	Atty. Thomas Lacandazo PENRO Legal Staff
	Plenary/Open Forum	
12:00-1:30 PM	Lunch Break	
1:30-3:00 PM	-Salient Provisions of DAO 97-32 (Administrative Adjudication Proceedings of Apprehended Forest Products, machineries/tools/equipment and conveyance	For. Franklin M. Aquino DMO IV/PASu, UIWS DENR CENRO Brooke's Point



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BACKGROUND

The DENR, is the primary agency mandated to conserve and protect the diverse natural resources, wildlife species and their habitats. It is also the lead agency responsible for implementing the provisions of Presidential Decree 705 as amended. As part of DENR mission, which is to mobilize the citizenry in the protection, conservation and management of environment and natural resources, DENR Administrative Order No. 2008-22 was issued, providing revised guidelines for the Deputation of Environment and Natural Resources Officers (DENRO's).

One of the key principles outlined in the guidelines is to engage in participatory activities involving stakeholders from various agencies and sectors of society. Thus, the Ipilan Nickel Mining Corporation (INC) is considered a valuable and potential partner in the efforts to protect and manage the environment and natural resources in the municipality of Brooke's Point.

RATIONALE:

Presidential Decree 705, known as the Forestry Code of the Philippines and as amended, outlines the Laws and regulations governing the use and protection of forestlands. However, the DENR (Department of Environment and Natural Resources) continue to face challenges in its implementation, despite having identified potential solutions. These challenges arise from limited resources, including financial constraints for manpower, a shortage of personnel assigned to fieldwork, and inadequate equipment.

Given the pressing environmental concerns and issues confronting DENR- CENRO (Centralized Enforcement and Investigation Division), it has become imperative to collaborate with partners and communities in educating them about environmental provisions. This includes familiarizing them with the provisions of PD 705, DAO 97-32 concerning apprehension on forestry matters, RA 9147 for Wildlife, RA 7942 for Mining, and RA 7586 as amended by RA 11038 (ENIPAS), along with the legal foundations governing the cutting, transporting, and harvesting of forest trees within Timberland and Private Land.

To address these challenges, the DENR is committed to adopt a common understanding and enhancing knowledge of both technical and legal requirements for effective environmental protection, conservation, and sustainable resource development. Additionally, the DENR's Thrust and Priorities emphasize the strict enforcement of existing rules, regulations, and local forest policies governing Forestry, Wildlife, Mining, and NIPAS Acts, leading to resolute apprehension and prosecution of violators.

BUDGETARY REQUIREMENTS:

All the materials and other expenses to be incurred for the conduct of the training will be charged to the allotted Deputation fund. The CENRO Brooke's Point Technical Staff will serve as Resource Speaker and will coordinate with the other Resource Speakers from different offices and/or agencies and will be the facilitator and act as secretariat for the 3-day event.

Prepared by:



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Attested by:



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Approved by:



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September 25, 2023

MEMORANDUM

TO : The Community Environment
and Natural Resources Officer
Brooke's Point, Palawan

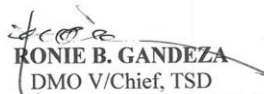
FROM : The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT : **PENRO SPECIAL ORDER FOR APPROVAL**

Furnished is the approved PENRO Special Order No. 2023-096 dated September 1, 2023, with enclosures and with the subject "*Authorizing the Conduct of Para Legal Training for the Deputation of Environment and Natural Resources Officers (DENROs) for the Volunteers and Enforcers of the Municipality of Brooke's Point, Palawan,*" scheduled for September 27-29, 2023, at Conference Hall, DENR CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan.

For information and guidance.

"For the PENRO"


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PENRO Special Order
No. 2023-096
Series of 2023

September 01, 2023

SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF PARALEGAL TRAINING FOR THE DEPUTATION OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICERS (DENROs) FOR THE VOLUNTEERS, ENFORCERS OF MUNICIPALITY OF BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN

In the interest of the service and in order to facilitate and strengthen the environmental enforcement monitoring and apprehension activities in the municipality of Brooke's Point, as well as strengthen and harmonize the linkages among the stakeholders, mobilize the citizenry in the protection, conservation and management of environment and natural resources, the following personnel are hereby authorize to facilitate the Paralegal training for the Deputation of Environment and Natural Resources Officers (DENROs) from Peoples Organization NGP Partners of Ipilan Nickel Corporation and other Law Enforcement representative of Municipality of Brooke's Point on September 27-29, 2023 at Conference Hall DENR CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan:


NAME	POSITION
Resource Speaker	
For. Leonard T. Caluya	CENRO
For. Franklin M. Aquino	DMO IV
For. Joselito A. Eyala	Deputy CENRO/ Chief, MES
For. Carina C. Manlapaz	Project Evaluation Officer II
Atty. Thomas Lacandazo	PENRO Legal Staff
For. Rachel H. Appie	EMS II/ Planning Officer
For. Menelaus Rey H. Duller	F1/ Chief, Forest Utilization
For. Ratib M. Melosin	FT I/ Mining Concern Staff
Participants	
Conrado D. Corpuz	Forest Ranger
Leonald Tupaz	Forest Ramger
PO Partners of Ipilan Nickel Corporation (Calasaguen)	
Philippines Marines	
PNP Maritime Representative	
MPS- Brooke's Point Representative	
PCG Representative	
MENRO Staff Representative	
Secretariat	
Roseville I. Mitra	Forest Technician II
Marie Kris M. Badilla	Forest Technician II
Emilyn A. Villanueva	Forest Technician II
April Anne T. Graciano	Forest Ranger

[Signature]

All traveling expenses to be incurred in connection herewith shall be charged against the respective funds of their offices while the supplies, materials and other expenses shall be charged against the fund of CENRO, Brookes Point, Palawan Enforcement Section subject to the usual accounting rules and regulations.

CENRO Brooke's Point through MES Chief shall submit an accomplishment report, 15 days after the conduct of the training/workshop.

This Order takes effect immediately and revokes/cancels the previous order inconsistent herewith.



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