July 25, 2022

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

FOR :

The Regional Executive Director

**DENR MIMAROPA-Region** 

L&S Building, Roxas Blvd., Ermita Manila

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The Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services

FROM

The OIC, PENR Officer

SUBJECT:

WILDLIFE TRAFFIC MONITORING REPORT

FOR THE MONTH OF JULY C.Y. 2022

Respectfully submitting herewith, the Wildlife Traffic Monitoring report for the month of July 2022. There were ten (10) seaports and one (1) airport monitored for the period. There is no trip schedule and activities at Looc Feeder Port. The resumption of vessel voyages to Cajidiocan Port shall be on July 27, 2022. MV Masbate City of Kho Shipping Lines Incorporated shall have regular trips from Masbate to Cajidiocan and Cajidiocan to Batangas. Also, resumption of regular flights at Romblon Airport is tentatively scheduled in September. Additional port- San Fernando - was monitored for this month.

No wildlife species were found upon inspection.

For your information and record.

ARNOLDO A. BLAZA JR.

July 25, 2022

#### **MEMORANDUM**

**FOR** 

The OIC, PENR Officer

Odiongan, Romblon

**THRU** 

Chief- TSD

**FROM** 

Chief, Monitoring and Enforcement Section

**SUBJECT** 

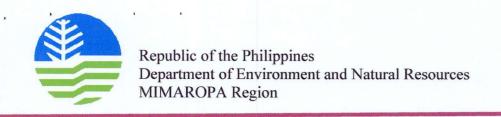
SUBMISSION OF COMPLETED STAFF WORK REPORT FOR WILDLIFE TRAFFIC MONITORING CONDUCTED AT 10 SEAPORTS AND 1 AIRPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2022

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SHEILLA JANE M. FORLALES



July 25, 2022

#### **MEMORANDUM**

FOR

The OIC, PENRO

FROM

Wildlife Traffic Monitoring Unit

SUBJECT

SUBMISSION OF REPORT ON WILDLIFE TRAFFIC MONITORING FOR THE TEN (10) SEAPORTS AND ONE (1) AIRPORT AT THE PROVINCE OF ROMBLON, FOR JULY

2022

#### I. FACTUAL BACKGROUND

Illegal wildlife trade is considered as one of the main threats to wildlife resources, all over the world. This act have adverse effects to the ecological balance and probable extinction of some wildlife species.

A Wildlife Traffic Monitoring Unit was created to ensure the strict compliance and effective implementation of all existing wildlife laws, rules and regulations, including pertinent international agreements. The team have started monitoring in 2021 and continues to date.

Monitoring activities have also created a stronger partnership with the law both the Philippine National Police and the Philippine Coast Guard. They have been allies in the protection and conservation of the environment and have extended their aid to this office since the activity started, and on other activities involving guarding the environment from lawless citizens. A set of Wildlife Enforcement Officers (WEO) was issued with renewed deputation from the Regional Office in January 2022. These officers are currently helping in the conduct of monitoring in the province of Romblon.

#### II. LEGAL BASIS

REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9147 "Wildlife Resources Conservation and Protection Act."

- An act providing for the conservation and protection of wildlife resources and their habitats, appropriating funds therefor and for other purposes

#### III. CONDUCT OF WILDLIFE TRAFFIC MONITORING

The ports monitored for the month of July 2022 are as follows;

- 1. Odiongan Port
- 2. Santa Fe Port
- 3. Calatrava Port
- 4. San Agustin Port
- 5. Romblon Port
- 6. Banton Port
- 7. Magdiwang (Ambulong) Port
- 8. Alcantara (Tablas Airport)
- 9. San Jose Port (Port of SAID)
- 10. Cajidiocan Port No port activity; resumption of ship schedule on July 27, 2022
- 11. Looc Feeder Port No port activities for July 2022

### IV. COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS

No illegal activities are recorded regarding wildlife traffic for the month of July 2022. Continuous monitoring of ports should be facilitated in order to prevent possible illegal wildlife trading.

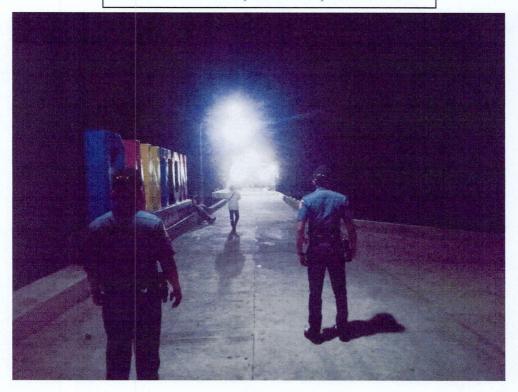
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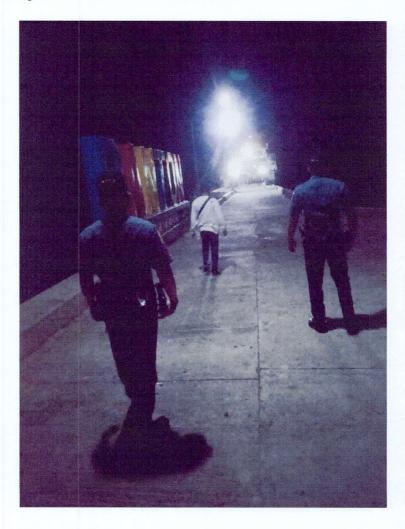
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ANN J. ADRIGUEZ

## BANTON PORT, BANTON, ROMBLON



Banton Municipal Police Station through the instruction of OIC-Chief PLT Anthony P Pajarillo, conducts regular monitoring at Banton Port, Banton, Romblon. Photos are taken on July 18, 2022 upon the arrival of M/V Starhorse.



# PORT OF SAID, SAN JOSE, ROMBLON



San Jose Municipal Police Station conducts monitotring and patrolling at Port of SAID, San Jose, Romblon on July 25, 2022. Wildlife Enforcement Officer PMSg Ideal Ken Guro heads the wildlife traffic monitoring activities.



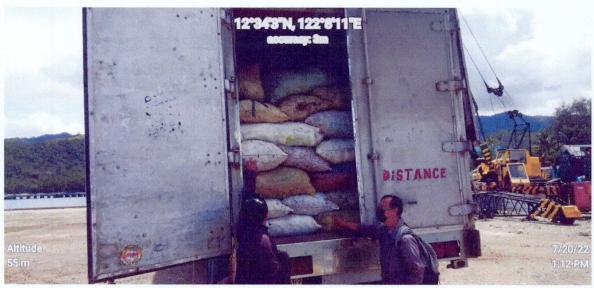
## CALATRAVA PORT, CALATRAVA, ROMBLON



Wildlife Traffic Monitoring team composed of Forest Technician Bernie Soguilon, Forest Rangers Felipe Alibuyog Jr. and Michelle Bajo, with Forest Protection Officer Nelson Morada coordinated with CG SCPO Efren Gabayno of Philippine Coast Guard, Calatrava Sub-Station.



### SAN AGUSTIN PORT, SAN AGUSTIN, ROMBLON



Forest Ranger Rogelio Agcaoili inspects Sofia Nicole Truck bound Lucena City and on standby at San Agustin Port, San Agustin, Romblon, on July 20, 2022. The truck carries Copra.

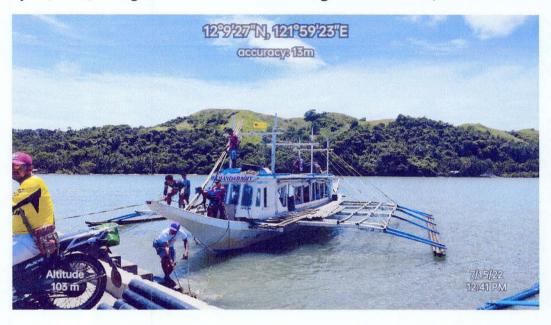


Wildlife Traffic Monitoring team partnered with Philippine Coast Guard personnel as they await the docking of MV Maria Helena from Romblon, Romblon on July 20, 2022.

## SANTA FE PORT, SANTA FE, ROMBLON

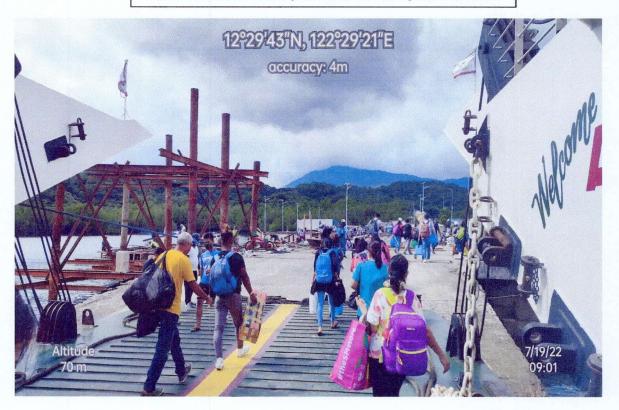


SI Ann Adriguez conducts wildlife traffic monitoring at Santa Fe Port, Santa Fe, Romblon, on July 15, 2022, during the arrival of M/B Mandaragit from San Jose, Romblon.





# AMBULONG PORT, MAGDIWANG, ROMBLON



SI Ann J. Adriguez monitors the passengers at Ambulong Port, Magdiwang, Romblon during the disembarkation of MV Starhorse on July 19, 2022

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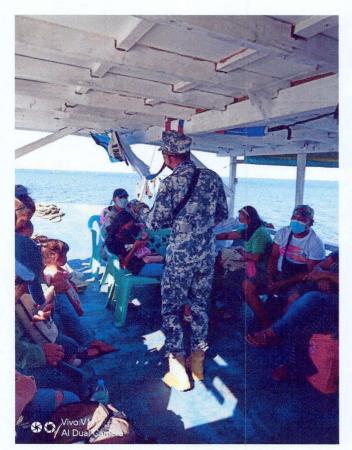
## ROMBLON PORT, ROMBLON, ROMBLON



SI Ann J. Adriguez monitors Reina del Rosario on July 5, 2022 and July 19, 2022 at Romblon Port, Romblon, Romblon. The ship is bound for Odiongan, Romblon, then to Batangas City. No wildlife species are on board.



# SAN FERNANDO PORT, SAN FERNANDO, ROMBLON





CG PO1 Paul Anthony Marceño heads the monitoring of wildlife traffic at San Fernando Port, San Fernando Romblon on MBCA Margelyn IV on July 15, 2022.



## POCTOY PORT, ODIONGAN, ROMBLON



Forest Rangers Rommel Madeja and Eduardson Simeon regularly conduct Wildlife Traffic Monitoring at Poctoy Port, Odiongan Romblon. Regular checking of trucks are done and the two-man team ensure that passengers baggages do not include illegally traded flora and fauna.





### ROMBLON AIRPORT, TUGDAN, ALCANTARA, ROMBLON



On July 13, 2022, Special Investigator Ann J. Adriguez visits Romblon Airport located at Brgy. Tugdan Alcantara, Romblon. Mr. Ramon Vincent M. Madrona, Intelligent Aide of Office of Transportation Security shared the role of OTS in the conduct of Wildlife Traffic Monitoring. Possible resumption of flights shall be on September



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