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July 22, 2022

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR :** The Regional Executive Director  
DENR-MIMAROPA Region  
1515 L and S Bldg., Roxas Boulevard  
Ermita, Manila

**FROM :** The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer

**SUBJECT :** ALLEGED ILLEGAL SELLING/MARKETING OF CHARCOAL  
ON FACEBOOK


Respectfully forwarded is the memorandum of CENRO Puerto Princesa, Palawan dated July 20, 2022 relative the above subject.

Per memorandum, CENRO Puerto Princesa forwarding the report dated July 19, 2022 from the Monitoring and Enforcement Personnel pertaining to the alleged illegal selling or marketing of charcoal on social media posted on facebook.

Per report, the selling of charcoal on facebook has corresponding permits/documents.  
(Please refer to the attached detailed report with geo-tagged photographs)

For information and further instruction.

For the PENRO:

  
**JOHNNY P. LILANG**  
OIC Chief, Technical Services Division  
Office In-Charge

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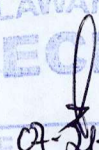
July 20, 2022

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR** : The Provincial Environment and  
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Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

**FROM** : The OIC, Community Environment and  
Natural Resources Officer

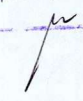
**SUBJECT** : **ALLEGED ILLEGAL SELLING/MARKETING OF  
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Respectfully forwarded is the copy of report dated July 19, 2022 from MES personnel re: the alleged illegal selling /marketing of charcoal on social media posted thru facebook.

For information and further instruction.

  
**PEDRO A. VELASCO**  
Development Management Officer, IV  
OIC-CENRO

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July 19, 2022

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR :** The CENR Officer  
DENR-CENRO Puerto Princesa City

**FROM :** FI ARJAY GREGAS, FR NOEL SUMIDO AND FR NEIL JAMES VERZOSA

**SUBJECT :** **ALLEGED ILLEGAL SELLING/MARKETING OF CHARCOAL ON FACEBOOK**

This pertains to the alleged illegal selling/marketing of charcoal on social media posted thru Facebook in a group called "Palawan Buy and Sell Bawal Hindi Taga Palawan", for 190 pesos per sack, in an account under the name "Ve Rna Codm", on July 12, 2022, which caught the attention of many concern citizens which reported the said online activity to the PENRO and the CENRO.

The Monitoring and Enforcement Section (MES) personnel, composed of the undersigned together with FR Noel V. Sumido, and FR Neil James Versoza, upon receiving the information, immediately conducted an investigation to locate the pile of charcoal being sold online. Thru the help of posted photos and comments of different buyers in the said post, the Seller's location was found, which is at Purok Pinagpala, Brgy. San Manuel, Puerto Princesa City.

Investigation results disclosed the following:

1. The sacks of charcoal posted online were owned by Mr. Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr.;
2. The holder of Facebook account with name "Ve Rna Codm" is one of Mr. Bersaba's helpers;
3. Mr. Bersaba holds a Certification with Control Number PPC-2022-0713-TR114 dated July 12, 2022, certifying that Mr. Bersaba is transporting 250 sacks of Charcoal made of Acacia Mangium from Bgy. Irawan, Puerto Princesa City;
4. That the Acacia Mangium used as wood material for charcoal making came from a titled property with TCT No. 164254 and with Certificate of Tree Plantation Ownership (CTPO) number 045316-2021-020;
5. That such transportation of Charcoal was verified by Forester Norlyn Alsa, Tree Plantation Certifier, based on DAO 2020-18; and
6. That currently, as observed during inspection, only 10 sacks left out of 250 sacks certified by the Certifier.

Attached are the geotagged photos during inspection, screen shot of the Facebook post and copy of the certification.

**ARJAY GREGAS**  
Forester I/In-Charge, MES





PALAWAN BUY & SELL BAWAL HINDI TAGA PALAWAN



Ve Rna Codm

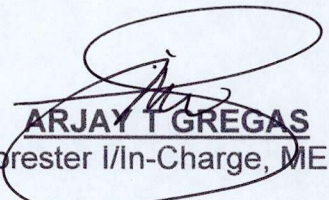
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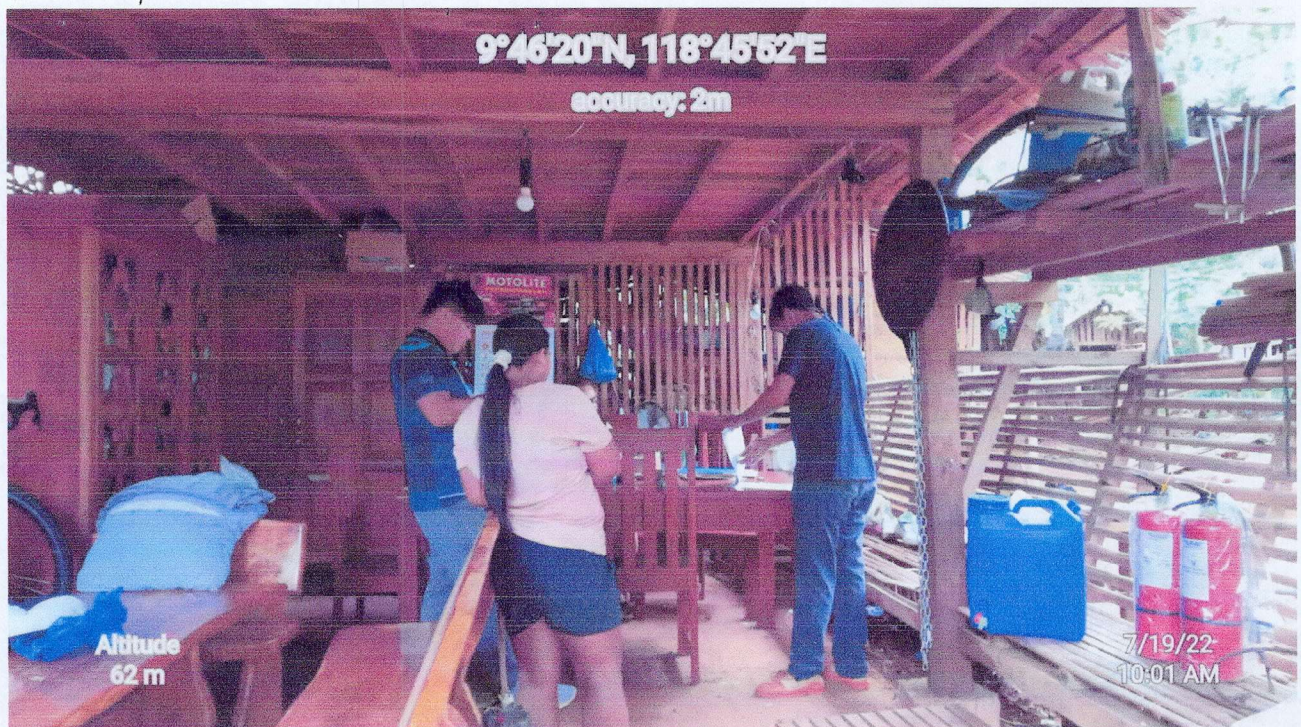


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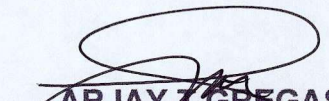
This is to certify that the above picture was screen shot by the undersigned and used as a reference to the conducted investigation for the reported charcoal selling/marketing online thru Facebook.

  
**ARJAY T GREGAS**  
Forester I/In-Charge, MES





This is to certify that the above pictures were taken on July 19, 2022, during Investigation/ocular inspection of the stock pile of charcoals being sold online thru Facebook.

  
**ARJAY GREGAS**  
Forester I/In-Charge, MES



## CERTIFICATION OF PLANTED TREES IN PRIVATE LAND

### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

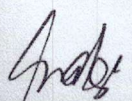
THIS IS TO CERTIFY that New City Commercial Corp., (NCCC) represented by Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr. is transporting 250 sacks or twenty five (25) cubic meters of CHARCOAL derived from tops and branches of Acacia Mangium and Mahogany gathered from titled property covered with TCT NO. 164254 located in Bgy. Irawan, Puerto Princesa City and covered with CTPO No. 045316-2021-020 issued by CENR Officer Felizardo B. Cayatoc at DENR-CENRO Puerto Princesa City. The same will be transported from Bgy. Irawan, Puerto Princesa City to Bgy. San Manuel and Bgy. Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City loaded to Truck with Plate Number CAJ -2924 and consigned to Mr. Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr. and Ms. Jenny Joy L. Tabi.

Any forest products other than those described in form, volume and species shall be considered illegal and will subject the entire shipment to outright confiscation in favor of the government.


This certification is valid until July 12, 2022 or upon discharge of the said product from point of origin into its final destination whichever comes first.

Issued this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2022 at DENR-CENRO, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan.

Certified by:

  
**FORESTER I NORLYN N. ALSA**  
Signature over Printed Name  
Licensed No. 0010524

This certification is issued pursuant to existing rules and regulation of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR). The DENR and other deputized government agencies may conduct random inspection of shipments. The shipment owner and forest certifier shall both be held liable for any violations found herein.

DENR - MINDANAO REGION  
CENTRAL OFFICE  
NO. 3416  
DATE: 7-11-22  
BY: 



ANNEX C

TRANSPORT CERTIFICATE  
OF PLANTED TREES IN PRIVATE LAND  
Control No.: PPC-2022-0711-TR113

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the logs and/or derivatives contained in this shipment are planted trees from the Private Plantation covered with TCT No. 164254 and with CTPO/Private Tree Plantation Registration No. 045316-2021-020.

Landowner	New City Commercial Corporation (NCCC) represented by: Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr.
Contact No.	09988536237
Location	Bgy. Irawan, Puerto Princesa City
Total Area	3.8181 has.
Species	Acacia Mangium & Mahogany
Total Volume	250 sacks of CHARCOAL
Forest Certifier	NORLYN N. ALSA
Accreditation/License No.	0010524
Contact Details	0907-9018-049

  
Authorized Signature

July 11, 2022  
Date Certified

This certification is issued pursuant to existing rules and regulation of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR). The DENR and other deputized government agencies may conduct random inspection of shipments. The shipment owner and forest certifier shall both be held liable for any violations found herein.





July 11, 2022

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR** : The CENR Officer  
**THRU** : The Chief, RPS  
**FROM** : Inspecting Forest Officer  
**SUBJECT** : **INSPECTION REPORT CONDUCTED PER REQUEST OF MR. IRENEO R. BERSABA, JR. TO TRANSPORT 250 SACKS OF CHARCOAL FROM BGY. IRAWAN, PUERTO PRINCESA CITY TO BGY. SAN MANUEL AND STA. MONICA, PUERTO PRINCESA CITY**

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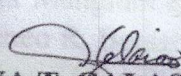
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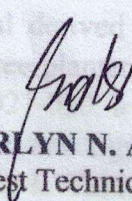
Please be informed that we the undersigned conducted an actual inspection of two hundred fifty (250) sacks of charcoal made from slabs, tops and branches of Acacia Mangium and Mahogany with an equivalent volume of fifteen (25) cubic meters. Same were gathered from the titled property of New City Commercial Corporation (NCCC) covered with title No. 164254 and CTPO No. PPC-0435316-2021-020 represented by Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr.. To be transported from Bgy. Irawan, Puerto Princesa City to Bgy. San Manuel and Bgy. Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City consigned to Mr. Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr. and Ms. Jenny Joy L. Tabi.

Attached herewith are the geo-tagged pictures taken during the actual inspection of the forest product in the above-mentioned area.

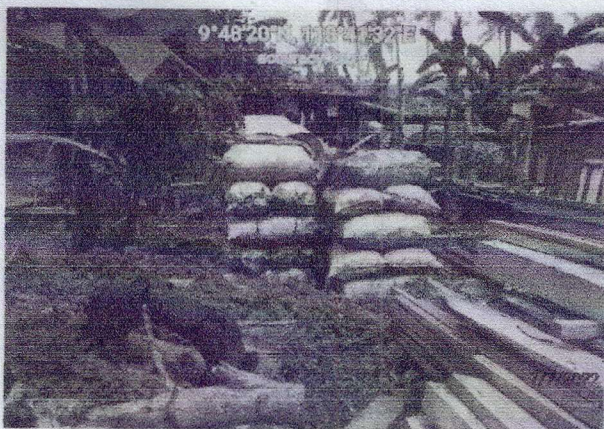
The undersigned recommend for the issuance of transport permit in accordance with existing DENR laws, rules and regulation.

For information and further instruction.

  
**MINERVA T. GALASINAO**  
Forest Technician II

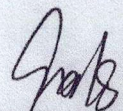
  
**NORLYN N. ALSA**  
Forest Technician I





Geo-tagged pictures shows the 250 sacks of charcoal derived from slabs, tops and branches of Acacia Mangium & Mahogany within the private tree plantation owned by NCCC represented by Ireneo R. Bersaba, Jr. with CTPO No. 045316-2021-020, located at Bgy. Irawan, Puerto Princesa City. This will be transported to Bgy. San Manuel and Bgy. Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City consigned to Mr. Ireneo R. Bersaba & Ms. Jenny Joy L. Tabi.

  
**MINERVA T. GALASINAO**  
 Forest Technician II

  
**NORLYN N. ALSA**  
 Forest Technician I