

Republic of the Philippines Department of Environment and Natural Resources MIMAROPA Region \\vd\gamma\)

DENR MIMAROPA REGORDS SECTION

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November 18, 2022

MEMORANDUM

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FOR

The Regional Executive Director

1515 DENR By the Bay Building, Roxas Blvd

Brgy. 668, Ermita, Manila

THRU

The Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services

FROM

The OIC, PENR Officer

SUBJECT

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

NOVEMBER 2022

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No wildlife species were found upon monitoring and inspection.

For your information and record.

ARNOLDO A BLAZA JR

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FOR

The OIC, PENR Officer

Odiongan, Romblon

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Chief- TSD

FROM

Chief, Monitoring and Enforcement Section

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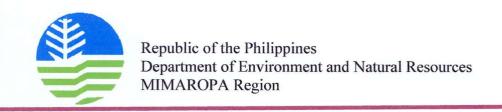
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No wildlife species were found upon monitoring and inspection on all ports.

For your information and records.

JAMES M. MENDOZA



November 18, 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 THE

MONTH OF NOVEMBER 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 November 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 activities for the month of November 2022 as per Philippine Coast Guard Advisory. Last scheduled trip was on October 28, 2022.
- 11. Looc Feeder Port No port activities for November 2022 as per Philippine Coast Guard Advisory

IV. COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS

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

Prepared by:

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Monitoring and Investigation Unit

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 November 11, 2022 upon the arrival of M/V Peñafrancia of Starhorse Shipping Lines



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PORT OF SAID, SAN JOSE, ROMBLON



San Jose Municipal Police Station conducts daily monitoring and patrolling at Port of SAID, San Jose, Romblon. Wildlife Enforcement Officer PMSg Ideal Ken Guro heads the wildlife traffic monitoring activities with the personnel from Philippine Coast Guard, San Jose Sub Station on November 4, 2022.



CALATRAVA PORT, CALATRAVA, ROMBLON



Rogelio M. Agcaoili, Eddie G. Dulay, Jr and Al Jhon F. Padua conduct Wildlife Traffic Monitoring Unit at Calatrava Port, Calatrava, Romblon upon the arrival of M/B Juner on November 11, 2022. The vessel arrived at Calatrava Port from the island municipality of Corcuerra and travels back at noon same day. They were assisted by CG SN1 Aris Gaspar and CG SN1 Mark Anthony Perez.



SANTA FE PORT, SANTA FE, ROMBLON



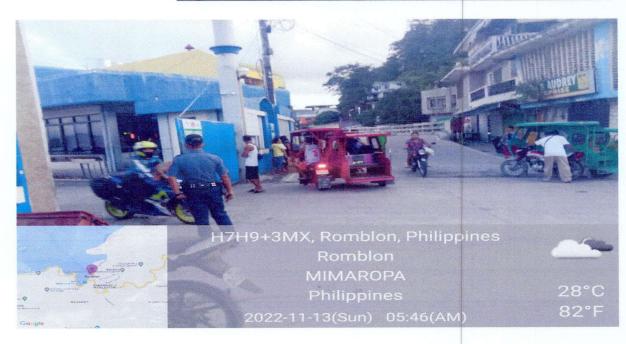
PEMS Nenardo Venus conducts wildlife traffic monitoring at Santa Fe Port, Santa Fe, Romblon, on November 13, 2022, during the arrival of M/B Hambil (AM) and MV Mandaragit (PM). Both from the island municipality of San Jose.

ROMBLON PORT, ROMBLON, ROMBLON



Pat Franz Adrian
Sabocojan leads the
wildlife traffic
monitoring of vehicles
from Starlite Ferry and
passengers about to
board bound to
Batangas on
November 11, 13 and
14, 2022, at Romblon
Port, Romblon,
Romblon.

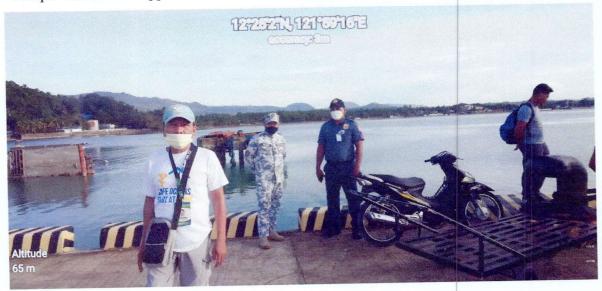




POCTOY PORT, ODIONGAN, ROMBLON



Forest Rangers Rommel Madeja and Eduardson Simeon conduct daily Wildlife Traffic Monitoring at Poctoy Port, Odiongan Romblon. Pictures taken on November 3, 10 and 11, 2022. PSSg Buena M Gacia of Odiongan Municipal Police Station and CG SN1 Mark Joseph Tadia of Philippine Coast Guard Odiongan Sub-Station regularly assist the team.





TABLAS AIRPORT, TUGDAN ALCANTARA, ROMBLON



PMSg Roger M Añar, PSSg Amor Deo Cordova and Pat Eugiene G Coching of PNP Aviation Security Group lead the wildlife traffic monitoring during the arrival of Airswift Airlines on November 12, 2022.



AMBULONG PORT, MAGDIWANG, ROMBLON



Wildlife Traffic Monitoring Unit led by FT I Ernie Forcadas monitors the passengers at Ambulong Port, Magdiwang, Romblon during the arrival of passengers of MV Starhorse on November 15, 2022



SAN AGUSTIN PORT, SAN AGUSTIN, ROMBLON



Forest Ranger Roglio Agcaoili, FPO Al John Padua and Admin Aide Eddie Dulay Jr. conduct wildlife traffic monitoring at San Agustin port on November 16, 2022, during the arrival of M/V Maria Helena of Montenegro Shipping Lines, from Romblon, Romblon Port.



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