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Department of Environment and Natural Resources

MIMAROPA Region

PROVINCIAL ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE

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DENR MIMAROPA RECORDS SECTION

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November 25, 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Regional Executive Director

DENR MIMAROPA Region

1515 DENR By the Bay Building, Roxas Boulevard,

Barangay 668, Ermita, Manila

THRU

The OIC, Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services

FROM

The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT

SPOT REPORT ON THE APPREHENSION OF FOURTEEN (14) PIECES ROUND TIMBER OF MANGROVE SPECIES AT SITIO TADTALAD, BARANGAY TARUSAN, BATARAZA, PALAWAN

Respectfully forwarded is the memorandum of CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan dated November 21, 2022 relative the above subject.

Per spot report, the apprehension was made on October 30, 2022 at around 6:00 P.M. by PNP-Bataraza Municipal Police Station Personnel and the Enforcement Team of CENRO Brooke's Point at Sitio Tadtalad, Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan. The team apprehended the fourteen (14) pieces round timber of Mangrove species with a total volume of 3.349 cubic meters without proper permit in violation of Section 77 of PD 705, as amended. The apprehended suspects were Armie Signay Puntas, Rex Iyu (residents of Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan) and Junjun Masteo Ramtab (resident of Barangay Igang-Igang, Bataraza, Palawan).

The apprehended round timbers were placed under the custody of Forest Technician II Kennit Francis V. Valdestamon, Team Leader of Riotuba Monitoring Station for temporary safekeeping purposes and to be followed by administrative confiscation proceedings in accordance with DAO 1997-32.

For information and further instruction.

"For the PENRO"

DAVID F. DALINO

Land Management Officer III, Chief, Patents Deeds & Permitting Unit In-Charge Office of the PENRO

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Republic of the Philippines Department of Environment and Natural Resources MIMAROPA Region

COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE Brooke's Point, Palawan

November 21, 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Regional Executive Director

DENR MIMAROPA Region

1515 DENR By the Bay Building, Roxas Boulevard,

Barangay 668, Ermita, Manila

THRU

The Provincial Environment and

Natural Resources Officer

Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

FROM

The Community Environment and

Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT

SPOT REPORT ON THE APPREHENSION OF FOURTEEN

(14) PIECES ROUND TIMBER OF MANGROVE SPECIES BARANGAY AT SITIO TADTALAD, TARUSAN.

BATARAZA, PALAWAN

Respectfully submitting the spot report for the apprehension stated above with the following information/facts to wit:

WHAT

Apprehension of fourteen (14) pieces of round timber of mangrove

species with a total volume of 3.349 cu.m.

WHERE

Sitio Tadtalad, Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan

WHEN

October 30, 2022 at around 06:00 in the afternoon

WHO

Apprehended suspect Armie Signay Puntas

Rex Iyu, resident of Barangay Tarusan,

Bataraza, Palawan

Junjun Masteo Ramtab, resident of Barangay Igang-Igang, Bataraza, Palawan

Apprehending Officers

PNP - Bataraza Municipal Police Station and DENR CENRO Brooke's Point

personnel

WHY

Violation of Sec.77 of P.D. 705 as further amended otherwise

known as Forestry Reform Code of the Philippines.

HOW

The members of Bataraza Municipal Police Station led by PEMS Regino Castro together with the personnel of DENR CENRO Brooke's Point conducted law enforcement operation in response to the report/information relayed by a concern citizen thru phone call concerning an on-going illegal cutting of Mangrove trees (bakaw) that resulted to the apprehension of fourteen (14) pieces round timber of Mangrove species with a total volume of 3.349 cubic meters. Said items were placed under the custody of Forest Technician II Kennit Francis V. Valdestamon, Team Leader of Rio Tuba Monitoring Station for temporary safekeeping.

E-FMS No .:

2022-175306-F102

Attached herewith is the supporting documents submitted by the apprehending team received by this office on November 2, 2022 for ready reference.

It is further informed that the result of administrative proceedings pursuant to DAO 97-32 will be submitted soonest.

For her information and record.

For and in the absence of the CENRO:

O A. EYALA Deputy CENRO

In-charge, Office of the CENRO

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PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, POLICE REGIONAL OFFICE MIMAROPA PALAWAN POLICE PROVINCIAL OFFICE

BATARAZA MUNICIPAL POLICE STATION Brgy, Marangas, Bataraza, Palawan



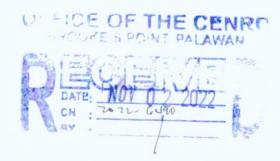
November 2, 2022

JOSELITO A. EYALA

Forestry III, Deputy Officer Department of Environment and Natural Resources Community Environment and Natural Resources Brooke's Point, Palawan

Dear CENRO Eyala,

Greetings!



This pertains to the apprehended suspects for violation of PD 705 on October 30, 2022 at about 6:00 PM at Sitio Tadtalad Barangay Tarusan Bataraza, Palawan identified as **Armie Signay Puntas** (arrested), 59 years old, married, fisherman, born on March 15, 1959, at Barangay Tarusan Bataraza, Palawan, **Junjun Masteo Ramtab** (arrested), 25 years old, married, fisherman, born on June 15, 1998 at Barangay igang igang Bataraza, Palawan and **Rex Iyu alias "ERIC"** (at-large) and all resident of Brgy. Tarausan Bataraza, Palawan.

In connection with this, may we respectfully request for the issuance of the following documents as required for filing criminal complaint against the suspect in the Office of the Provincial Prosecutor, to wit:

- 1. Scaling and identification of specie of the seized/confiscated lumbers
- 2. Recapitulation (Statement of Damages)
- 3. Certification of No Permit/Authority to Cut

Further, your unwavering consideration and support is highly appreciated.

DHENIES SALAZAR ACOSTA

Police Major

Acting Chief of Police



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BATARAZA MUNICIPAL POLICE STATION Brgy, Marangas, Bataraza, Palawan

MEMORANDUM

FOR

: Provincial Director

Palawan Provincial Police Office

Brgy Tiniguiban, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan

(Attn: C, PIDMU)

FROM

: Acting Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Report on Violation of PD 705

DATE

: October 30, 2022

1. What: Report on Violation of PD 705

2. Where: Sitio Tadtalad Barangay Tarusan Bataraza, Palawan.

3. When: October 30, 2022 at about 6:00 PM.

- 4. Who: The suspects identified as Armie Signay Puntas (arrested), 59 years old, married, fisherman, born on March 15, 1959, at Barangay Tarusan Bataraza, Palawan, Junjun Masteo Ramtab (arrested), 25 years old, married, fisherman, born on June 15, 1998 at Barangay igang igang Bataraza, Palawan and Rex Iyu alias "ERIC" (at-large) and all resident of Brgy. Tarausan Bataraza, Palawan.
- 5. How: On October 30, 2022, at about 2:30 PM concerned citizen called to this station and reported the on-going illegal cutting of mangrove tree (bakaw) on the aforementioned place. Thereafter, personnel of this station led by PEMS Regino Castro together with PMSg Angelo L Eustaquio, PSSg Philip C Garcia, Pat Roderick F Eustaquio and Pat Sherwin P Moreno under the supervision of PMAJ DHENNIES S ACOSTA, ACOP, together with the personnel of DENR-CENRO Brookes Point, Palawan Rio Tuba Monitoring station led by Kennit Francis V. Valdestamon, PCSD. PNP Maritime 2nd SOU-BALABAC SBU and 4th MC Philippine Marines dispatched and proceed at the area.

That at about 6:00 PM of the same date, the team reached the aforementioned place while the suspects were caught in the act cutting tree using chainsaw. Thus, Rex Iyu alias "ERIC" fled after he noticed that the joint elements were approaching on their area while carrying the chainsaw, and the two identified suspects were arrested. The team recovered from their possession control and custody Fourteen (14) pcs log/round timber of mangrove tree (bakaw) with estimated market value of 37,700.00 pesos. The suspects were arrested for Violation of PD 705. The arrested suspects including the confiscated items are now under the custody of Bataraza MPS for proper disposition. Team returned approximately 7:30 PM on same date. A case for violation of PD 705 is being prepared for inquest proceedings. IOC- Pat Roderick F Eustaquio with Cp no. 09458117511

6. Progress report will Follow.

PMAJ DHENIES S ACOSTA Acting Chief of Police

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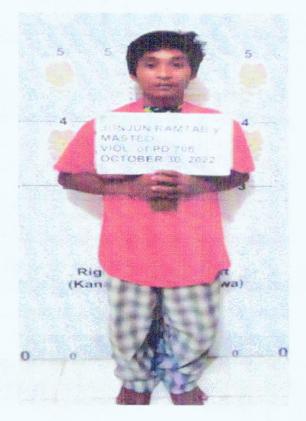
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JUNJUN RAMTAB y 3- MASTEO VIOL. of PD 705 OCTOBER 30, 2022







Republic of the Philippines Department of Environment and Natural Resources Region IV- MIMAROPA COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE

Brooke's Point, Palawan

November 7, 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Community Environment and

Natural Resources Officer

FROM

Patrol Base III - Rio Tuba Monitoring Station

SUBJECT

INSPECTION REPORT RE: SCALING OF APPREHENDED CUT

LOGS/ROUND TIMBER AT SITIO TADTALAD, BRGY. TARUSAN,

BATARAZA, PALAWAN.

Hereunder are the information and details of the inspection conducted by Patrol Base III personnel.

1. Inspection/Scaling

a. Date

: October 30, 2022

b. Time

: 3:30 PM

c. Place

: Sitio Tadtalad, Brgy. Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan.

2. Reference

The request of Acting Chief of Police, DHENIES SALAZAR ACOSTA, Police Major, Bataraza MPS to conduct scaling and turn-over re' the apprehended suspects for violation of PD 705 on October 30, 2022 at about 5:30 PM at Sitio Tadtalad, Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan identified as ARMIE SIGNAY PUNTAS(arrested), 59 years old, married, fisherman, born on March 15, 1959 at Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan, JUNJUN MASTEO RAMTAB(arrested), 25 years old, married, fisherman, born on June 15,1998 at Barangay Igang-igang, Bataraza, Palawan and REX IYU alias "ERIC" (at-large) and all resident of Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan were respectfully turned over to the DENR-CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan Rio Tuba Monitoring station, to wit:

- 1. 10 pieces 45 cm x 1.6 m = 2.54 cubic meter;
- 2. 4 pieces $40 \text{ cm} \times 1.6 \text{ m} = 0.8 \text{ cubic meter}$.

3. Description of the items aprehended

a. Forest Products (Cut logs/Round timber)

Quantity 14

Unit Pieces

Articles & Description 16 cm diameter and above

Cut logs/round timber of

Mangrove species

Estimated Value Php. 2,100.00

Total: 14 Pieces

Php. 2,100.00

Note: Market Price

Species

Mangrove logs (15 cm and below diameter)

Price

Php. 50.00

Mangrove logs (16 cm and above diameter)

Php. 150.00

4. Safekeeping of apprehended items

a. Custodian

: Kennit Francis V. Valdestamon-FTII/ TL, RT MS

b. Place / location

: Sitio Tadtalad, Brgy. Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan

5. Attachments

- a. Tally/inventory sheet
- b. Geotagged Pictures
- c. Turn-over receipt

6. Recommendation:

- a. The apprehending team recommends that a legal action be applied for the perpetrator corresponding to the offense committed.
- b. The items apprehended should be subjected for administrative confiscation proceedings for forfeiture and disposition.

Note: The apprehended items were left in the area due to hard to access terrain going to the access area of motorized banca.

For his Information and further instruction

KENNIT FRANCIS/V. VALDESTAMON

Forest Technician II/TL, RT MS

Forest Ranger/ Asst. TL, RT MS

ROSTUM O. CACATIAN Forest Ranger/ member, RT MS

M. Rodriguez St. Poblacion District I, Brooke's Point Palawan 5305 Mobile Phone: Globe: 0945-257-1402; Smart: 0912-429-0856 Email/Gmail:cenro_brkspt@yahoo.com; cenrobrkspt@gmail.com

GEO-TAGGED PHOTOS OF VIOLATORS OF PD 705 AT SITIO TADTALAD, BRGY. TARUSAN, BATARAZA, PALAWAN.



GEO-TAGGED PHOTOS OF TEN (10) PIECES OF CUT LOGS/ ROUND TIMBERS OF MANGROVE SPECIES WITH VARIOUS SIZES AT SITIO TADTALAD, BRGY. TARUSAN, BATARAZA, PALAWAN.



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GEO-TAGGED PHOTOS OF THE VIOLATORS OF PD 705 TOGETHER WITH THE PERSONNEL OF PNP BATARAZA AND CENRO BROOKE'S POINT



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October 30, 2022

TURNED-OVER RECEIPT

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT the following confiscated/seized items apprehended on October 30, 2022 at about 6:00 PM at Sitio Tadtalad Barangay Tarusan Bataraza, Palawan identified as **Armie Signay Puntas** (arrested), 59 years old, married, fisherman, born on March 15, 1959, at Barangay Tarusan Bataraza, Palawan, **Junjun Masteo Ramtab** (arrested), 25 years old, married, fisherman, born on June 15, 1998 at Barangay igang igang Bataraza, Palawan and **Rex Iyu alias "ERIC"** (at-large) and all resident of Brgy. Tarausan Bataraza, Palawan were respectfully turned over to the DENR-CENRO Brookes Point, Palawan Rio Tuba Monitoring station, to wit:

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Turned-over by:

Turned-over to:

Pat RODERIC F EUSTAQUIO
Investigator On-Case
Bataraza MPS

Kennit Francis V. Valdestamon
Team Leader, Rio Tuba Monitoring Station
DENR-CENRO Brookes Point

TALLY SHEET OF APPREHENDED CUT LOGS/ ROUND TIMBER AT SITIO TADTALAD, BROY. TARUSAN, BATARAZA, PALAWAH

NO. OF PIECES SPECIES	DIMENSION		VOLUME	
	DIAMETER(CA)	HEIGHT (m)	(cu. m)	
	45	1.6	2.545	
4	40	1.6	0.804	
TOTAL NUMBER OF PIECES: 14		TOTAL YOLUM	E: 3.349 cu.m	

INSPECTED AND SCALED BY :

KENHIT FRANCIS Y. VALDESTAMON ROSTUM R. CACATIAN

PTII/TL, RT MS

FR/ member, RTMS

RUDY P. MIRAFLOR FR / ASST. TL, RT MS

ATTESTED BY:

JOSELAN A. EYALA

FW / DEPUTY CENRO



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

November 7, 2022

STATION OF BATARAZA, PALAWAN COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (PCSD), AND PNP MARITIME 2ND SPECIAL OPERATION UNIT BALABAC OF THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETEEN POINT FIFTY SIX (3,419.56) BOARD FEET APPREHENDED BY MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL POLICE SBU ON OCTOBER 29, 2022 AT SO. TALADTAD, BARANGAY TARUSAN, BATARAZA, PALAWAN ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGES OF ILLEGALLY GATHERED/POSSESSED OF EIGTHTY (14) PIECES OF MANGROVE TIMBER WITH AN AGGREGATE VOLUME

RECAPITULATION

TOTAL	Timber	FOREST PRODUCTS		
Bakauan (Mangrove)		SPECIES		
process (s) (s) (s) (s) (s) (s) (s) (s) (s) (Lesser-used species		GROUPINGS QUANTITY (pieces)	
14	14	QUANTITY (pieces)		
1,419.56	1,419.56	Bd. Ft.	IMITOA	
3,349	3.349	(m ³)	ME	
2,100.00	2,100.00	MARKET VALUE (PhP)		
2,344.3	2,344.3	FOREST CHARGES (PhP)		
21,000.00	21,000.00	DAMAGES 10 x the market value (PhP)		
7,032.9	7,032.9	SURCHARGES 300 % FC (PhP)		
32,477.2	32,477.2	(PhP)	TOTAL	

BASIC INFORMATION

- NAME OF PRODUCT
- NAME OF SPECIES
- SPP. GROUP
- TOTAL VOLUME (Cu. M)

- Sec. 3 DAO 87-80 (3.349 m³)

1. TOTAL DAMAGES

H. SURCHARGES

Lesser-used species

- Bakauan

- DAO 2001-07 (PhP 700/ m³

- FOREST CHARGES

Checked by

KENNIT FRANCIS M. VALDESTAMON

Prepared by

Forest Tech. II/Team Leader Riotuba Station

Attested by:

JOSEATO A. EYALA Forester III/Deputy CENRO

150 Large- 50 Small/piece (Timber)

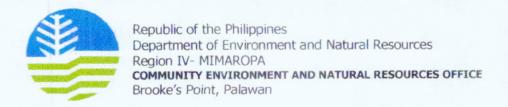
F. MARKET VALUE

G. ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGES- Section 10, DAO 97-32

Section 7, DAO 87-80

- PhP 32,477.2.00

Note: The forest charges imposed was based on DAO No. 2001-07 in pursuance to R.A. No. 7161 and based on the 1999 FOB market price.



CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that per records of this Office show that **no permit to cut/gather** Mangrove trees or any other permit for possession of timbers derived from said tree species has been issued by this Office to **Mr. Armie Signay Puntas, JunJun Masteo Rantab Rex Iyu Alias "ERIC"** resident of Barangay Tarusan, Bataraza, Palawan.

Issued this 7th day of November 2022 at CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan.

Prepared by:

MENELAUS REY H. PULLER

Forester I/Licensing and Permitting Unit Head

Checked by:

MARIVIC C. QUITAIN LMO II/OIC-Chief, RPS

Attested by:

ARD T. CALUY