



**ERAMEN MINERALS, INC.**



October 17, 2022

**LORMELYN E. CLAUDIO, CESO IV**

Regional Executive Director

Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) MIMAROPA Region

DENR by the Bay Bldg., 1515

Roxas Boulevard, Ermita

Manila

Subject: **Request for Follow-up on the Request for Area Verification**

Dear RED Lormelyn,

As part of the additional requirement of our Exploration Permit Application (**EPA No. 381-MIMAROPA**) mentioned in the MGB letter dated July 04, 2022, may we kindly ask for a follow-up on MGB4B's request regarding the verification of the said exploration area if it falls within a protected area under the National Integrated Protected Area System and/or No-Go Zone areas.

For your convenience, attached is the MGB Letter dated July 4, 2022 re: Status of EPA 381-MIMAROPA situated in Municipalities of Boac and Mogpog, Province of Marinduque.

We're hoping for your positive response to our request.

Sincerely,

**ALEXANDRIE D. AMADEO**

VP - Operations





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04 July 2022

**MR. ENRIQUE C. FERNANDEZ**

Chairman  
Eramen Minerals, Inc.  
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140 Leviste St., Salcedo Village  
Makati City

**Dear Mr. E. C. Fernandez:**

This is to acknowledge receipt of the proof of payment of Filing and Processing Fee relative to the application for Exploration Permit (EPA) of Eramen Minerals, Inc. covering a total area of 652.1355 hectares situated in the Municipalities of Boac and Mogpog, Province of Marinduque.

Please be informed that the said application is denominated as EPA No. 381-MIMAROPA which should be referred to in your future letters and correspondences pertinent to the subject application.

To facilitate the processing of EPA No. 381-MIMAROPA, Eramen should comply with the following:

1. Submit and register to this Office five (5) sets containing at least three (3) original copies of the Securities and Exchange Commission – certified true copy of the Amended Articles of Incorporation bearing the updated principal address of Eramen pursuant to Section 15 of Republic Act No. 11232 or the Revised Corporation Code of the Philippines.
2. Submit the Two (2) – Year Environmental Work Program pursuant to Section 19 of the DENR Administrative Order (DAO) No. 2010-21 and in accordance with DAO No. 2022-04 and MGB Memorandum Circular No. 2021-006.

For reference on relevant issuances and policies, you may visit the official website of the MGB MIMAROPA Region at <https://region4b.mgb.gov.ph/>.

3. Coordinate directly with the Department of Agriculture (DA) MIMAROPA Region for the schedule of the required joint validation.

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Per our 23 June 2022 Letter, the whole applied area falls within the SAFDZ which requires joint field validation with this Office and the DA MIMAROPA Region pursuant to Executive Order (EO) No. 79, Series of 2012.

Eramen may request the assistance of:

**Ms. Dilyn Galoyo**

Mobile No. 0907-587-4609

Eramen should convey to this Office the result/s of coordination with the DA MIMAROPA Region, particularly the specific dates agreed upon, for purposes of computation of the required verification fees to be paid by Eramen.

4. Follow-up the request for area verification to the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) MIMAROPA Region.

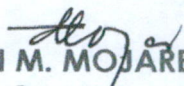
Attached is the 04 July 2022 Memorandum from this Office to the DENR MIMAROPA Region requesting for verification whether the applied area falls within a protected area under the National Integrated Protected Area System and/or other No-Go Zone areas.

This Office is evaluating the submitted Two (2) – Year Exploration Work Program. We will notify you of the result of the evaluation once available.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

By Authority of the Regional Director:

  
**EDWIN M. MOJARES, Ph.D.**  
Chief, Geosciences Division  
OIC, Office of the Regional Director

Enc'l : As stated

