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MEMORANDUM

FOR : The OIC-Assistant Regional Director for
Technical Services
DENR MIMAROPA, 1515 DENR
By the Bay Building, Roxas Boulevard
Barangay 668, Ermita, Manila

FROM : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

SUBJECT : **APPLICATION OF IPILAN NICKEL CORPORATION (INC) FOR
PERMIT TO CUT AND EARTH-BALL TREES OF VARIOUS
SPECIES WITHIN MPSA NO. 017-03-IV-2000 LOCATED IN
BARANGAY MAASIN, BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN**

This has in reference to your Memorandum dated January 31, 2023 with enclosures of memorandum dated May 06, 2016 from Undersecretary for Technical Services, Demetrio L. Ignacio, Jr., *CESO I* and copy of Special Tree Cutting and Earth-balling Permit (STC/EP) No. DENR IV-B MIMAROPA 2016-014 dated May 26, 2016, signed by then DENR Region IV-B, Regional Director Oscar C. Dominguez. Re: Directives to submit Comprehensive Compliance Monitoring Report on issued permit (STC/EP No. DENR IV-B MIMAROPA 2016-14) to Ipilan Nickel Corporation (INC) as basis for evaluation of the new application by the said corporation.

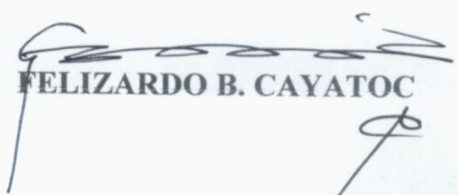
Relative to that, please be informed that Consolidated Terminal Report (2 ring bind of 2 volume) on the compliance for the above mentioned permit submitted by CENRO- Brooke's Point, Palawan dated January 16, 2023 was forwarded to that office through PENRO memorandum dated January 23, 2023 (*copy of memorandums are hereto attached*) with categorical recommendation for the continues rehabilitations of the subject areas and the said permit are terminated with finality.



Furthermore, the validation / compliance monitoring team created under CENRO Special Order No. 2022-050 (*copy are hereto attached*) submitted final consolidated terminal report in compliance to the terms and conditions stipulated to the issued permit within Mineral Production Sharing Agreement (MPSA) No. 017-93-IV-2000, the said permit expired on May 26, 2017, but only 30.5 hectares out of 52.15 hectares approved land area had been cut due to several issues and concerns arises during cutting operations.

For information and further instruction.

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The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Brooke's Point, Palawan

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January 23, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
DENR MIMAROPA
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
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

SUBJECT : **TERMINAL REPORT ON THE COMPLIANCE OF IPILAN NICKEL
CORPORATION (INC) RE: SPECIAL TREE CUTTING AND
EARTH-BALLING PERMIT NO. DENR IV-B MIMAROPA-2016-014**

Respectfully forwarding is the Memorandum dated January 16, 2023 from CENRO Brooke's Point, Palawan with enclosures (2 ring bind of volume 1 & 2) re: Terminal Report on the compliance on his Tree Cutting/and or Earth-balling Permit (STC/EP) No. DENR IV-B MIMAROPA-2016-014 of Ipilan Nickel Mining Corporation (INC) located at Barangay Maasin, Brookes Point Palawan.

Attached herewith, are the final consolidated report (included in volume 1 of ring bind) dated January 13, 2023 of the validation/compliance monitoring team created under CENRO Special Order No. 2022-050 series of 2022 re: compliance of the above mentioned permittee on the terms and condition stipulated with the issued STC/EP No. DENR IV-B MIMAROPA-2016-014 expired on May 26, 2017 within approved Mineral Production Sharing Agreement (MPSA) with a total area of 52.15 hectares but only 30.5 hectares of which had been cut due to several issues and concerns arises during cutting operations / activities.

Hence, recommended for the continuance of the rehabilitation of the affected areas under the above mentioned permit and cutting operation / activities be terminated with finality.

For evaluation and further instruction.

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The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Brooke's Point, Palawan

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Date: 25 JAN 2023



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Community Environment and Natural Resources Office
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January 16, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
DENR MIMAROPA Region
By the Bay Bldg., 1515 Roxas Blvd, Ermita, Manila

THRU : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

FROM : The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Brooke's Point, Palawan

SUBJECT : **CONSOLIDATED TERMINAL REPORT ON THE APPROVED
SPECIAL TREE CUTTING AND EARTH-BALLING PERMIT
(STCEP) OF IPILAN NICKEL CORPORATION (INC)
LOCATED AT BGY. MAASIN, BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN.**

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BY:
DATE: 1/19/23 CN 23-0485

Respectfully submitted herewith is the terminal report on the issued Special Tree Cutting and Earth-Balling Permit to Ipilan Nickel Corporation (INC) on May 26, 2016 which expired on May 26, 2017 over an area of 52.15 hectares within their MPSA located at Bgy. Maasin, Brooke's Point, Palawan. However, only 30.5 hectares had been cut due to several issues concerning cutting operations and activities. In compliance with the terms and conditions of the STCEP specially Item No. 16, which states that "A terminal report with photographs of accomplishments shall be submitted to the Office of the Secretary copy furnished the Director, Forest Management Bureau (FMB) after the expiration of the permit, for record purposes".

Per report dated January 13, 2023 of the compliance and monitoring team anent series of inspection and validation conducted, this Office concurs the findings of the team organized under CENRO Special Order No. 2022-050 dated November 28, 2022, Ipilan Nickel Corporation (INC) holder of the above-mentioned STCEP complied all the terms and conditions stipulated therein as evidenced of the attached ring-bind documents that served as means of verification (MOVs) of the various activities conducted. Hence, the issued STCEP operation of INC is hereby terminated with finality.

For your information, evaluation and record.

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BROOKE'S POINT**
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LEONARD T. CALUYA

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the applicant for proper disposition purposes
commercial disposition is allowed;
✓ 11. Issues that will arise from the cutting/earth-balling should be addressed

12/22/22
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Brooke's Point, Palawan

November 28, 2022

CENRO Special Order
No. 2022-050
Series of 2022

SUBJECT

**CREATION OF COMPLIANCE MONITORING AND
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION TEAM ON THE DENR
ISSUED PERMITS/ LEASE CONTRACTS/ LICENSES
AND OTHER TENURIAL INSTRUMENTS WITHIN AOJ
OF CENRO BROOKE'S POINT, PALAWAN**

In the interest of the service and in order to ensure compliance of Permittee/s with the DENR issued permits/lease contracts/licenses and other tenurial instruments within the administrative jurisdiction of this Office, a Compliance Monitoring Team is hereby created to be composed of the following personnel to wit:

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|----|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1. | F III Joselito A. Eyala | - | Team Leader |
| 2. | F III Franklin M. Aquino | - | Assistant Team Leader |
| 3. | SEMS Anselma M. Fuentes | - | Representative/CDS |
| 4. | LMO II Marivic C. Quitain | - | Representative/RPS |
| 5. | FI Rachel H. Appie | - | Member |
| 6. | FT I Reynaldo V. Palisoc | - | Member |
| 7. | FR Mark Ronald S. Velasco | - | Member |
| 8. | FR Bimbo Vicente | - | Member |
| 9. | TL/Concerned Monitoring Stations | - | Member |

They shall conduct regular inspection and monitoring of all DENR issued permits/lease contracts/licenses/tenurial instruments/agreements in coordination with the concern Permittee to evaluate/assess performance and ensure compliance with the terms and conditions stipulated therein in line with existing DENR Laws, Rules and Regulations.

They shall submit Compliance Monitoring and Performance Evaluation Report with categorical recommendations supported with geo-tagged photos for reference and record purposes.

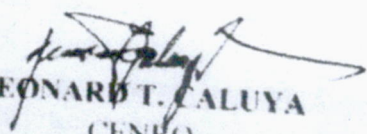
This Order takes effect immediately and shall remain enforce until revoked in writing by the undersigned and/or higher authorities.



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