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December 20, 2022

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR :** The Regional Executive Director  
DENR MIMAROPA Region  
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**THRU :** The OIC, ARD for Technical Services

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

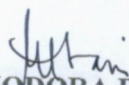
**SUBJECT :** REPORT ON THE CONDUCTED INFORMATION AND  
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OFFICE AT BRGY. SALVACION, BUSUANGA RE: RESULTS  
OF IMPLEMENTATION OF LAWIN FOREST AND  
BIODIVERSITY PROTECTION SYSTEM FROM JANUARY TO  
NOVEMBER 2022 IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BUSUANGA,  
PALAWAN WITHIN THE BPR

Respectfully forwarded the memorandum of CENRO Coron, Palawan dated December 13, 2022 relative to the above subject.

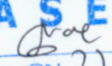
Per memorandum, the BPRMO of CENRO Coron conducted the IEC on November 29, 2022 at Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan. The purpose of the IEC was to present the results on the implementation of the LAWIN Forest and Biodiversity Protection System of the BPRMO conducted to the said barangay.

For information and record.

For the PENRO;

  
**RHODORA B. UBANI**  
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#### MEMORANDUM

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THRU : The PENR Officer  
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FROM : The OIC, CENR Officer  
CENRO Calamianes Islands  
Coron, Palawan

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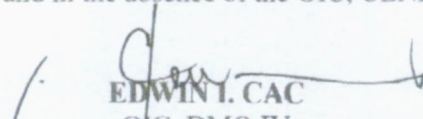
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Respectfully forwarding herewith is the Memorandum report dated December 13, 2022 of the BPR Management Office pertaining to the conducted Information and Education Campaign (IEC) at Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga on November 29, 2022 regarding the results of LAWIN activity from January to November 2022 conducted in the Municipality of Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR.

For the Regional Executive Director's information and record, and further instruction/s, if any.

For and in the absence of the OIC, CENRO



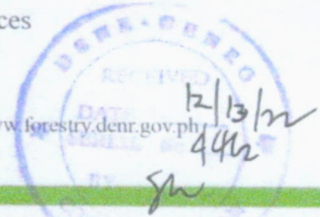
  
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## MEMORANDUM

**FOR :** The OIC, CENR Officer  
CENRO Calamianes Islands  
Coron, Palawan

**FROM :** The Undersigned, BPR Management Office

**SUBJECT :** **REPORT ON THE CONDUCTED INFORMATION AND EDUCATION CAMPAIGN (IEC) OF THE BPR MANAGEMENT OFFICE AT BRGY. BOGTONG, BUSUANGA RE: RESULTS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF LAWIN FOREST AND BIODIVERSITY PROTECTION SYSTEM FROM JANUARY TO NOVEMBER 2022 IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BUSUANGA, PALAWAN WITHIN THE BPR**

Forest Management Bureau  
BPR MANAGEMENT OFFICE  
**RELEASED**

Date: 12-13-2022  
By: ggo PP 20/170/4  
Ref. Code: IEC0011

## DOCUMENTS

**ATTACHED :**

1. Communication letter dated November 22, 2022
2. Attendance on the IEC
3. Presentation for IEC
4. Photo Documentation

**DATE :** DEC 13 2022

Respectfully forwarded herewith is the report pertaining to the conducted Information and Education Campaign (IEC) at Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga on November 29, 2022 as per Travel Order Nos. 2022-285 and 2022-286 of the BPR Management Office regarding the results of LAWIN activity from January to November 2022 conducted in the Municipality of Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR.

In a letter dated November 23, 2022, addressed to the Barangay Chairman of Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan, requesting for the conduct of IEC with participation of their Barangay Officials and hosted by the FMB-BPRMO. The purpose of said IEC is to present the results on the implementation of the LAWIN Forest and Biodiversity Protection System of the BPRMO personnel conducted in the said barangay.

Please be informed that on November 29, 2022, the BPRMO personnel conducted an IEC in the Barangay Hall of Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan, and was attended by the barangay officials of the said barangay. At around 11:24 AM, the IEC started and it was presided by the POCO-BPRMO. The topics presented were the background/ legal basis of the Busuanga Pasture Reserve used from the updated BPR presentation of the FMB-BPRMO. This is to inform the barangay that the BPR has existing laws/policies particularly the Presidential Proclamation 1387 series of 1975, Presidential Proclamation 2057 series of 2010 and Presidential Proclamation 663 series of 2013.

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The next topic discussed is the brief background of the implementation of LAWIN Forest and Biodiversity Protection System within the BPR. Followed by the results and recommendation of LAWIN from January to November 2022 in the Municipality of Busuanga, Palawan. The threats recorded/documented were discussed to inform and raise awareness to the barangay that there are illegal activities happening to their municipality and for possible collaboration in addressing the matter. On the other hand, out of thirty (30) patrols using LAWIN system of the BPRMO personnel in the Municipality of Busuanga within the FCA of BPR, there are total of 20 threats recorded from Jan. to Nov. 2022 such as cutting of trees, slash and burn farming/kaingin and huts or houses of other infrastructures. While on the said thirty (30) patrols of the BPRMO personnel, no threat/s recorded in Brgy. Bogtong from Jan. to Nov. 2022. Although, no threats were recorded during LAWIN activity of the BPRMO, in this Barangay, there are investigations conducted regarding the farm to market road project of Sagrada and Bogtong which is not allowed inside the BPR

### **Issues and Concern**

The issues and concerns raised after the presentation of the result of the implementation of LAWIN Forest and Biodiversity Protection System were the following:

- Farm to market road project of Brgy. Sagrada and Brgy. Bogtong – Kap. Erico Abreu said that the requirements of the contractor of the project – BCT is lacking. With this, they did not pursue to continue the project;
  - It was recalled that farm to market road was already subjected to Clarificatory Technical Conference on May 2022. Disclosed on the meeting that the contractor of the project is BCT and they have no clearance from FMB to operate inside the BPR, further the contractor was directed to stop their operation on ground;
- Ecotourism inside BPR – one of the Kagawad raised their concern for ecotourism purposes if it is allowed inside the BPR;
  - The POCO-BPRMO gave example, the proposal for Chinibayan Falls in Brgy. New Busuanga, Busuanga and clarified that ecotourism purposes will be automatically denied by the DENR-FMB since it is inside the BPR. Moreover, if there are areas for ecotourism inside the BPR, the BPRMO personnel will subject the matter for further investigation.
- Proclamation of YKR as BPR – one of the Kagawad asked the reason of the proclamation of BPR;
  - The POCO-BPRMO explained that based on history; there are already residents/occupants inside the BPR even before the proclamation as pasture reserve. In addition, to revoke or amend the laws bounded by the BPR, first there is a need to act in Congress since during the time of former President Ferdinand E. Marcos during Martial Law, the president holds the authority in two branches of the government; the executive and legislative branch for creating laws.



- Special case of Pupualan, Brgy. Decalachao, Coron, Palawan within BPR
  - For information of the barangay, the POCO-BPRMO explained that the area of Pupualan was under the Philippine Agri-Business Center Corporation or PASECO in Brgy. Decalachao and it is a titled property. During the time of Martial Law, when the government proclaimed the YKR as a reservation. The owner PASECO and the YKR management have not come up with the agreement for compensation of PASECO area thus a case was filed on proper court for the matter and later a decision of the court is in favor of the PASECO against the government with approximately 800 hectares. Later on, the area of PASECO was subject to Agrarian Reform Program and became a legitimate beneficiaries of Certificate of Land Ownership Award (CLOA).


#### **Future Actions**

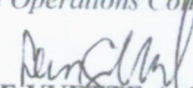
1. This office will send a communication letter for information and reference of the barangay regarding the conducted IEC; and
2. Regular LAWIN monitoring and patrolling of the subject areas within the BPR to deter illegal activities.

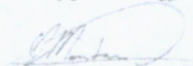
In connection with the said recommendation, attached is the communication letters for approval.

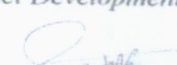
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November 22, 2022

**ERICO A. ABREU**  
BARANGAY CHAIRMAN  
Barangay Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan

Dear **Hon. Abreu**;

Warm greetings from the Community and Environment and Natural Resources Office Calamianes Islands, Coron, Palawan!

This reference to the implementation of LAWIN Forest and Biodiversity Protection System conducted by the Technical Staff and Office Support Staff/ Bantay Gubat of BPR Management Office in the areas in the Municipality of Busuanga, Palawan within the area of BPR. On the matter, the BPRMO personnel, during the conducts of said LAWIN patrolling and monitoring activity encountered threat/s within the Municipality of Busuanga inside the BPR. Report disclosed that patrollers recorded threats such as the cutting of tree/s, huts or houses and other infrastructures and kaingin within timberland/forest lands of the BPR.

In line with this, please be informed that the recorded illegal activities in the said reservation violates certain laws and regulations of the DENR such as:

- **Presidential Proclamation 1387 issued on 1975** – Reserving and establishing as a Pasture Reserve a certain parcel of land of the public domain situated in the island of Busuanga, Province of Palawan

*Whereas, do hereby withdraw from sale, lease, settlement or any other form of disposition, exploration or exploitation, and reserve as a pasture reserve, subject to private rights.*

- **Section 77 of Presidential Decree 705 as amended** (Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines) - Cutting, Gathering and/or collecting Timber, or Other Forest Products Without License

*"Any person who shall cut, gather, collect, removed timber or other forest products from any forest land, or timber from alienable or disposable public land, or from private land, without any authority, or possess timber or other forest products without the legal documents as required under existing forest laws and regulations, shall be punished with the penalties imposed under Articles 309 and 310 of the Revised Penal Code: Provided, That in the case of partnerships, associations, or corporations, the officers who ordered the cutting, gathering, collection or possession shall be liable, and if*



*such officers are aliens, they shall, in addition to the penalty, be deported without further proceedings on the part of the Commission on Immigration and Deportation."*

- **Section 78 of Presidential Decree 705 as amended** (Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines) - Unlawful Occupation or Destruction of Forest Lands and Grazing Lands

*"Any person who enters and occupies or possesses, or makes kaingin for his own private use or for others, any forest land or grazing land without authority under a license agreement, lease, license or permit, or in any manner destroys such forest land or grazing land or part thereof, or causes any damage to the timber stand and other products and forest growth found therein, or who assists, aids or abets any other person to do so, or sets a fire, or negligently permits a fire to be set in any forest land or grazing land, or refuses to vacate the area when ordered to do so, pursuant to the provisions of Section 53 hereof shall, upon conviction, be fined in an amount of not less than five hundred pesos (P500.00), nor more than twenty thousand pesos (P20,000.00) and imprisoned for not less than six (6) months nor more than two (2) years for each such offense, and be liable to the payment to ten (10) times the rental fees and other charges which would have accrued had the occupational and use of the land been authorized under a license agreement, lease, license or permit"*

In this note, may we request your barangay for the conduct of IEC hosted by the DENR-FMB BPR Management Office, and the participants will be your barangay officials to present the result of the implementation of LAWIN Forest and Biodiversity Protection System conducted in your barangay from January to October 2022.

Hopefully, this will be scheduled on **NOVEMBER 29, 2022, at 11:00 AM at your Barangay Hall of Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan.**

We are looking forward to your consideration of this matter.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

For and in the absence of the OIC, CENRO

  
**EDWIN L. CAC**  
OIC, DMO IV  
In-charge, Office of the CENRO







Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Forest Management Bureau  
BUSUANGA PASTURE RESERVE

CENRO- Coron, Calamianes Islands, Palawan

Information and Education Campaign (IEC) Nov. 29, 2022  
Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan

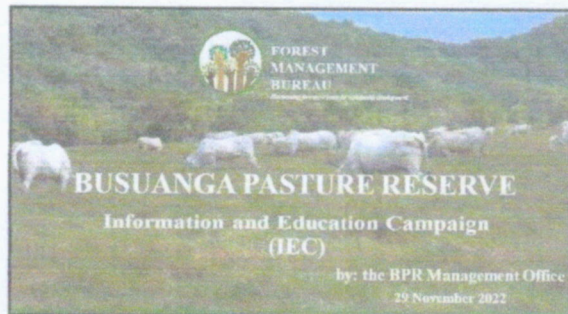
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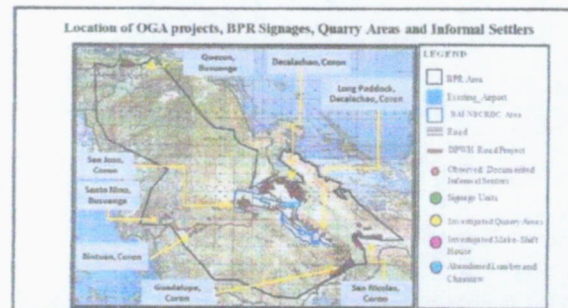
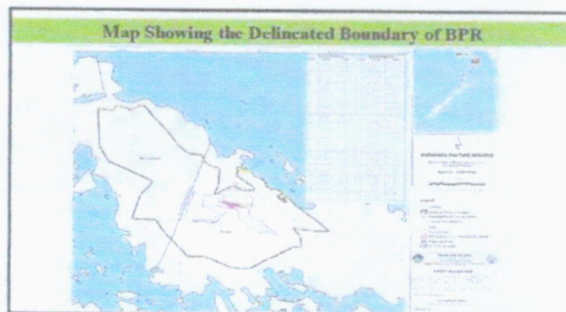
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### Background/Legal Basis of BPR

Law/Policy	Date	Issued By	Subject
Presidential Proclamation No. 3387	February 13, 1975	Pres. Ferdinand E. Marcos	Establishes the Busuanga Pasture Reserve (BPR) in the Island of Busuanga, Palawan
Presidential Proclamation No. 2057	May 7, 2010	Pres. Gloria Macapagal - Arroyo	Authorizes the Philippine Forest Corporation (Philforest) to administer development of BPR.
Presidential Proclamation No. 663	October 14, 2013	Pres. Benigno Simeon Aquino III	Repeals PP 2057 and transfers the administration of BPR to the DENR - Forest Management Bureau

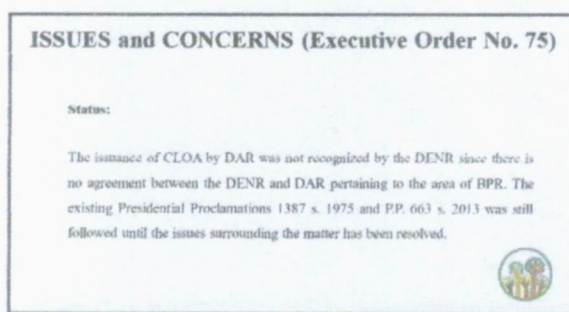
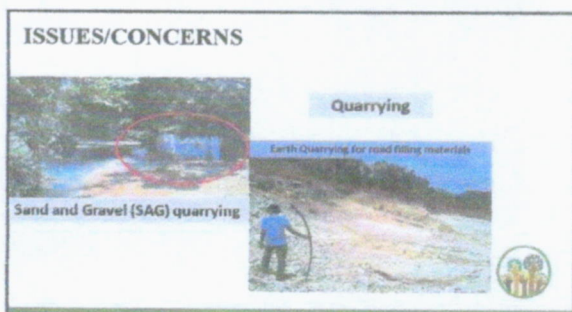
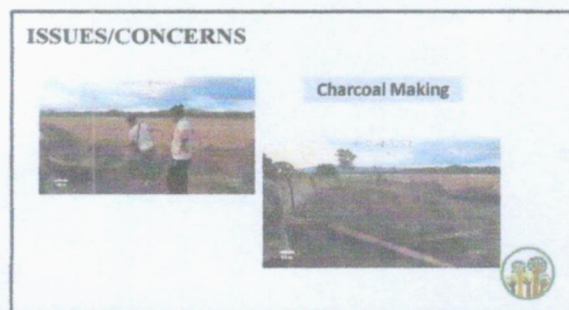


### INFORMAL SETTLERS WITHIN BPR

Location	Individuals	Households
San Juan, Coron	2,210	754
Santa Rita, Busuanga	845	245
Binsuan, Coron	1,065	322

Based on the result of April 2022 Counting of Informal Settlers

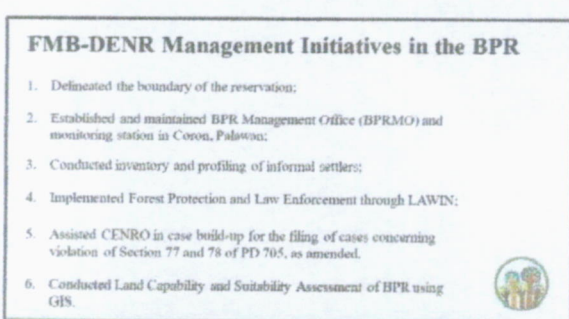




**Status of Cases Filed\***

Case No.	Date Filed	Person	Allegation	Remarks
Order No. 10-01-190-0007 Criminal Case No. 1901	July 17, 2018	Marcos Radillo John Larcia Adrian Bana Miguel Anido Marianne G. Sarmiento Lorella Bana Marianne Bana Marianne Bana	Court decision: 1 year of imprisonment Fine - P10,000 Payment of P10,000 for annual cost of MCTC (Court Decision) on the 1st of September 2018	The Court rendered its decision in favor of the DENR signed by Lorella Bana R. Bana on the 1st of September 2018
Order No. 10-01-190-0007 Criminal Case No. 1901	January 21, 2019	Respecto 7904 Order 1586	Notice to Show Cause September 1, 2017 Final Notice to Show Cause October 18, 2017 Court Decision: signed August 2018	The Court rendered its Decision in favor of the DENR signed by Lorella Bana R. Bana on the 1st of September 2018 Appealed to the Regional Trial Court in Cebu City On August 8, 2019 a court decision was issued by the RTC signed by David R. Cruz The court rendered its order based on the evidence presented and the DENR and the BPR signed upon which to establish the reservation within the reserved area
Order No. 10-01-190-0007 Criminal Case No. 1901	January 21, 2019	Respecto 7904 Order 1586	Court Decision: signed August 2018	The court rendered its order based on the evidence presented and the DENR and the BPR signed upon which to establish the reservation within the reserved area

\*Cases handled by the DENR Legal Affairs Division







## Background

**LAWIN** is a forest and biodiversity protection system that integrates forest, biodiversity and threats monitoring, implementation of interventions to address threats and monitoring of the response of the forest ecosystem to these management interventions (source: [JOINT FMB-BMB TECHNICAL BULLETIN No. 2016-01](#)).



Results of Lawin on Jan. to Nov. 2022 in Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR

DATE OF PATROL	BARANGAY	THREAT	COMMENTS
Jan. 27, 2022	Old Busuanga	* Slash and burn farming (kasingin)	Documented/IEC
April 12, 2022	Old Busuanga, San Rafael	* Slash and burn farming (kasingin)	*chain saw apprehension, Tech Cor, IEC, Admin Adjudication
June 30, 2022	Cheey, Old Busuanga	* (6) Slash and burn farming (kasingin)	documented, IEC



Results of Lawin on Jan. to Nov. 2022 in Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR

DATE OF PATROL	BARANGAY	THREAT	COMMENTS
July 8, 2022	New Bussanga	• (1) cutting of tree	documented, IEC
Sept. 13, 2022	Quizon, Cheng New Bussanga	• (3) Cutting of trees, (1) huts or houses and other infrastructure, (1) slash and burn farming (kaingin)	documented *New Bussanga - IEC
Sept. 21, 2022	Sito. Nino	• (1) Cutting of tree	documented
Oct. 07, 2022	Quizon	• (1) cutting of tree	IEC
Nov. 11, 2022	Old Bussanga	• (3) cutting of trees	Documented



Results of Lawin on Jan. to Nov. 2022 in Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR

DATE OF PATROL	BARANGAY	THREAT	COMMENTS
Oct. 07, 2022	Quezon	* (1) cutting of tree	IEC
Nov. 11, 2022	Old Buisunga	* (3) cutting of trees	Documented
Nov. 18, 2022	Cherry	* (1) cutting of tree	Documented

Out of thirty (30) patrols using LAWRI system of the BPPMO personnel in the Municipality of Bussanga within the FCA of BPP, there are total of 20 threats recorded from Jan. to Nov. 2022 such as cutting of trees, slash and burn farming, raising and huts or houses of other infrastructures.

While on the said thirty (30) patrols of the SPRMO personnel, no threat/s recorded in Brgy. Bogtong from Jan. to Nov. 2023.

Although, no threats were recorded during LACOM activity of the BPPAQ, in this Barangay there are investigations conducted regarding the farm to market road project of Sagrada and Bogtong which is not allowed inside the BPP.



Results of Lawin on Jan. to Nov. 2022 in Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR



Source: SMART Access-Generated Report.



### Results of Lawin on Jan. to Nov. 2022 in Busuanga, Palawan within the BPR

#### Recommendations

- ✓ Letter address to the Barangay with a record of threat observed in every conduct of LAWIN patrolling and monitoring to inform and assist them if it requires urgent action;
- ✓ Observe the unlawful activities on the ground are being thoroughly investigated and documented for filing of appropriate criminal complaints against the offenders pursuant to Presidential Decree No. 705 and other environmental laws if on warrant; and
- ✓ Conduct of seminar/IEC to every barangay recorded with a high incidence of unlawful activities within the area covered by the BPR to provide awareness and educate the community on the importance of maintaining ecological and environmental balance in the locality and the benefits that could be derived from the forest and climate change mitigation

**Any Questions, concerns  
regarding this IEC ?**

**THANK YOU!**

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MALACANANG  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

ANNEX "D"

PROCLAMATION NO. 1387

RESERVING AND ESTABLISHING AS A PASTURE RESERVE A CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND OF THE PUBLIC DOMAIN SITUATED IN THE ISLAND OF BUSUANGA, PROVINCE OF PALAWAN.

Upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Natural Resources, and pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Philippines, do hereby withdraw from sale, ~~lease~~, settlement or any other form of disposition, exploration or exploitation, and reserve as a pasture reserve, subject to private rights, if any there be, a certain parcel of land of the public domain situated in the island of Busuanga, Province of Palawan, which land is more particularly described as follows:

"A parcel of land (B.L. Survey Plan SW0-04-000080) bounded on the North by Mindoro Strait and Balnek Mountain Range; on the East by the barrios of San Nicolas and Guadalupe, Coron, Palawan; on the South by the barrio of Bintuan, Coron, Palawan; and on the West by portion of the Municipality of New Busuanga, Palawan; situated in the Municipalities of Corn and New Busuanga, Province of Palawan, Island of Busuanga; containing an area of FORTY THOUSAND (40,000) HECTARES, more or less."

NOTE: The data are approximate and subject to future survey.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Manila, this 13th day of February, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventy-five.

By the President  
LEONARDO VELCHOR  
Executive Secretary

President of the Philippines

CERTIFIED COPY:

AURORA T. AQUINO  
DIRECTOR IV



MALACAÑAN PALACE  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 663

REPEALING PROCLAMATION NO. 2057 AND TRANSFERRING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE BUSUANGA PASTURE RESERVE TO THE FOREST MANAGEMENT BUREAU (FMB) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES (DENR)

WHEREAS, Proclamation No. 1387 (s. 1975) withdrew from any form of disposition, exploration or exploitation; and reserved as a pasture reserve a parcel of land of the public domain in Busuanga, Palawan;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 3 of Commonwealth Act (CA) No. 452, the Bureau of Forestry (presently the FMB of DENR) shall have jurisdiction and authority over the administration, protection, and management of pasture lands;

WHEREAS, Proclamation No. 2057 (s. 2010) authorized the Philippine Forest Corporation (PFC) to administer the development of the area covered by the Busuanga Pasture Reserve delineated by Proclamation No. 1387 (s. 1975);

WHEREAS, the Administrative Code of 1987 grants the President the continuing authority to reorganize the executive department.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BENIGNO S. AQUINO III, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby repeal Proclamation No. 2057 (s. 2010) and transfer the administration of the area covered by the Busuanga Pasture Reserve to the Forest Management Bureau of the DENR.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

DONE, in the City of Manila, this 14th of October, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Thirteen.

By the President:

PAQUITO N. OCHOA, JR.  
Executive Secretary



CERTIFIED COPY

MARIANITO M. DIMAANDAL  
DIRECTOR IV  
MALACANANG RECORDS OFFICE





Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Environment and Natural Resources  
**COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE**  
Calamianes Island, Coron, Palawan  
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**HON. ELIZABETH M. CERVANTES**

Mayor  
Busuanga, Palawan

**ATTN: The Municipal Assessors Office**

Greetings!

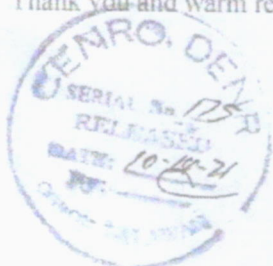
This pertains to the Memorandum of the PENRO Palawan regarding suspected land syndicates operating in Palawan (copy attached). This office advises the different municipalities in the Calamianes Islands to avoid transacting with the following entities and to report its activities within their respective municipalities:

1. **Pinagkamilagan Indo-Agro Development Corporation (PIADDECO)** of Mr. Wilfredo Torres and Nelly S. Omandam;
2. **Kadakilaan Estate** of a certain Kgg. Edison A. Hindap, Sr.; and
3. **Ang Bagong Lahing Pilipino Multi-Purpose Cooperative** where a certain Atty. Ma. Belle Concepcion D. Sandoval claims to be its OIC Legal Counsel and who also offers a title of sorts to the unsuspecting public dubbed as Torrens System Law.

Furthermore, with respect to the Calamianes Islands, the Kadakilaan Estate has been found to be issuing "Certificate of Land Occupancy" signed by a certain **Eliceo P. Oloroso** claiming to be its General Overseer & Attorney-In-Fact & De Facto Head of Kadakilaan Estate under the broader entity of Doña Lourdes Rodriguez Yanesa Estate. A certain **Randy Garcia** is identified to be responsible for its operation here in Calamianes Islands. **PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT THIS OFFICE DOES NOT HONOR DOCUMENTS ISSUED BY THESE ENTITIES AS PROOF OF LAND OWNERSHIP.**

For the benefit of the general public, we are attaching a Notice to the Public warning of these suspected land syndicates, and we are hoping for your cooperation in posting these throughout your areas of jurisdiction.

Thank you and warm regards.



For and in the absence of the CENRO

**MARK GLENN T. MANAGDAG**  
EMS II/ In-charge, Office of the CENRO

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## ABISO-PUBLIKO

Ang DENR-CENRO Calamianes Islands ay pinaalalahanan ang lahat na maging maingat sa pakikipagtransaksyon sa mga indibiduwal o grupo na nangangako ng pagmamay-ari o renta ng lupa sa murang halaga. Partikular dito ay ang mga sumusunod na organisasyon:

**Pinagkamilagan Indo-Agro Development Corporation (PIADDECO)**

**Kadakilaan Estate / Doña Lourdes Rodriguez Yanesa Estate**

**Ang Bagong Lahing Pilipino Multi-Purpose Cooperative**

Mangyari lamang na inyong ipag-alam sa aming opisina kung kayo ay nilapitan ng mga naturang grupo. **AMING IPINAALALA NA HINDI KINIKILALA NG AMING OPISINA ANG ANUMANG DOKUMENTO NA IPINALALABAS NG MGA NATURANG GRUPO O NG IBA PANG MGA ORGANISASYON BILANG LEGAL NA PRUWEBA NG PAGMAMAY-ARI NG LUPA.**

For and in the absence of the CENRO



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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The DENR-CENRO Calamianes Islands warns everyone to be careful with transactions with any individual or group promising land ownership or lease through a cheap fee. In particular are the following entities:

**Pinagkamilagan Indo-Agro Development Corporation (PIADDECO)**

**Kadakilaan Estate / Doña Lourdes Rodriguez Yanesa Estate**

**Ang Bagong Lahing Pilipino Multi-Purpose Cooperative**

We urge the public to report to us when you are approached by any of these entities, or others for that matter. **PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT THIS OFFICE DOES NOT HONOR DOCUMENTS ISSUED BY THESE ENTITIES OR OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AS PROOF OF LAND OWNERSHIP.**



For and in the absence of the CENRO

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August 11, 2021

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** All CENROs  
In the Province of Palawan

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

**SUBJECT :** RE: EMAIL LETTER DATED AUGUST 5, 2021 FROM  
ATTY. MARICAR O. MISA-TAN REGISTER OF  
DEEDS PROVINCE OF PALAWAN (DOC. REF. NO.  
2021-7690)



Furnishing you the copy of letter dated August 5, 2021 from Atty. Maricar O. Misa Tan, Register of Deeds Province of Palawan which is self-explanatory regarding O.C.T No. 799 with Decree No. 10139 and a report re: the proliferation of dubious, self-proclaimed land title certificates manufactured and/ or fabricated by the following suspected criminal land syndicates, some of papers are being offered for sale and/ or lease to the public at large to wit:

1. **Pinagkamaligan Indo-Agro Development Corporation (PIADDECO)** of Mr. Wilfredo Torres and Nelly S. Omandam;
2. **Kadakilaan Estate** of a certain Ego Edison A. Hindap Sr. and
3. **Ang Bagong Lahing Pilipino Multi-Purpose Cooperative** where a certain Atty. Ma. Belle Concepcion D. Sandoval claims to be its OIC Legal Counsel and who also offers a title of sorts to the unsuspecting public dubbed as Torrens System Law.

For information and posting for public information and furnishing copies of the same all Municipal Executives within your jurisdiction.

  
ERIBERTO B. SAÑOS, CESE

Copies furnished:

- RED, MIMAROPA Region
- PENRO-PALAWAN

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**A. ERIBERTO B. SANOS, CESE**  
DER-PENRO  
Province of Palawan  
Region IB-B

Dear Sir:

This has reference to your letter dated 9 December 2020 requesting a certification on the existence of OCT No. 799 with Decree No. 10139.

Based on our records, there is no Original Certificate of Title (OCT) bearing number 799 or 779 with Decree No. 10139 existing and registered in the Philaris database and official records of this Registry, as of this date.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



**ATTY. MARICAR O. MISA-TAN**  
Register of Deeds II



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#### MEMORANDUM FROM THE SECRETARY

TO : THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR  
DENR MIMAROPA Region  
1515 L & S Building, Roxas Boulevard, Ermita, Manila

SUBJECT : CLARIFICATION AND RECALL OF THE 17 JULY 2017  
MEMORANDUM RE: TEMPORARY PERMISSION TO  
ALLOW PLANTING / FARMING ACTIVITIES WITHIN  
THE BUSUANGA PASTURE RESERVE

DATE : 27 NOV 2017

This has reference to the Memorandum issued on 17 July 2017 regarding the temporary permission to allow planting/farming activities within the Busuanga Pasture Reserve (BPR), which was established through Presidential Proclamation No. 663, Series of 2013 and Presidential Proclamation No. 1378, Series of 1975. The disposition, exploration or exploitation of the area within BPR is strictly prohibited and is reserved for pasture purposes.

Thus, there is a need to clarify said Memorandum otherwise it may be construed as allowing unbridled entry in the BPR in violation of Presidential Decree No. 705, otherwise known as the Revised Forestry Code, the above-cited Proclamations and other related laws, rules and regulations.

In view of the foregoing, the 17 July 2017 Memorandum is hereby recalled. The BPR is still withdrawn from disposition, exploration or exploitation, and reserved for pasture purposes.

The Department remains steadfast in its duty to enforce environmental laws, rules and regulations.

Please be guided accordingly.

ROY A. CIMATU  
Secretary



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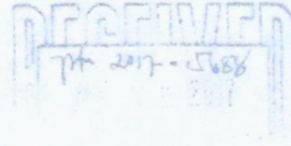
**MEMORANDUM**

TO : **The Regional Director**  
DENR MIMAROPA Region  
1515 L & S Bldg., Roxas Blvd., Ermita, Manila

FROM : The Undersecretary for Field Operations and Staff Bureaus

SUBJECT : **TEMPORARY PERMISSION TO ALLOW  
PLANTING/FARMING ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE  
BUSUANGA PASTURE RESERVE**

DATE : 17 JUL 2017



In view of the upcoming rainy season which also implies the start of the planting/farming activities in the country including Palawan, and for humanitarian reason, we will temporarily allow the farmers/informal settlers to continue their current planting/farming activities in the Busuanga Pasture Reserve, pending the determination of the tenure/management arrangement compatible in the area, subject on the following conditions:

1. There shall be no planting/farming within the tenured areas, Bureau of Animal Industry-National Beef Cattle Research Development Center area, the Long Paddock and Laggio areas, and the proposed airport expansion area of CAAP-Busuanga Airport;
2. No expansion of existing farm lots shall be permitted in the area; and
3. No additional clearing within the pasture reserve for farming and other purpose shall be allowed.

However, please be informed that this temporary permission to allow planting/farming activities within the Busuanga Pasture Reserve does not automatically qualify the farmers to any land tenure or management arrangement in the Busuanga Pasture Reserve. All qualified individual/association/organizations still need to undergo the prescribed application process for the tenure/management arrangement in accordance with DENR existing laws, rules and regulations.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION AND GUIDANCE.

  
**MARLO D. MENDOZA**

Cc:

*The Director  
Forest Management Bureau*

**Let's Go Green !!!**

## PHOTO DOCUMENTATION



During the conduct of IEC at the Barangay Hall of Brgy. Bogtong, Busuanga, Palawan on November 29, 2022