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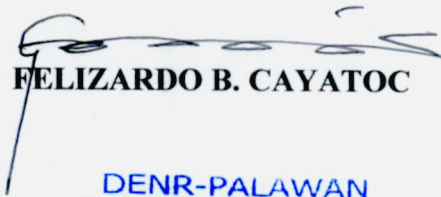
FROM : The Provincial Environment and  
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SUBJECT : **IEC MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2023**

Respectfully forwarded is the memorandum report from CENRO Taytay dated May 5, 2023 with enclosures re: above-mentioned subject.

As stated, the CENRO Taytay conducted series of IEC activities of IEC Unit/TAK Focal Person for the month of April 2023.

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**FOR :** The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer  
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**FROM :** The Community Environment and  
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**SUBJECT :** **E IEC MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2023**

Respectfully forwarded is the memorandum dated May 5, 2023 from Information, Education and Communication (IEC) Units/TAK Focal Person of this Office concerning the above subject.

Please acknowledge the receipt hereof. Thank you.

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MEMORANDUM

FOR : **The Community Environment and Natural Resources Officer**

FROM : **Information, Education & Communication (IEC) Unit/TAK Focal Person**

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The following are the accomplishments of IEC Unit of this Office for the month of April 2023.

ENVIRONMEN TAL EVENTS	ACTIVITIES	DATE CONDUCTED	LOCATION/ AREA CONDUCTED	PARTICIPANTS	DETAILS
	Communication, Education and Public Awareness Campaign (CEPA)/Meeting	April 14, 2023	Barangay Abongan, Taytay, Palawan	Male - 8 Female - 6 LBTQCIA++ - 0 Total - 14	<p>The activity was spearheaded by CENRO Conrado M. Corpuz, For. Clarissa P. Pador, PASu, MSPLS together with DMO IV Mariano P. Lilang Jr. and other personnel of CENRO Taytay.</p> <p>The said CEPA/meeting was to clarified the issue regarding the construction of Forest Product Monitoring Station (FPMS) II to be transferred to So. Canduyog from SO. Ibangley was necessary because of the strategic location of the area.</p> <p>Another issue was the extraction of sand and gravel at Abongan River. It was clarified that based on RA No. 11038 or the ENIPAS Act, Sec. 20, the undertaking of mineral exploration or extraction within the protected area is prohibited.</p> <p>The CEPA/meeting was attended by purok/sitio leaders and barangay officials of Bgy. Abongan, Taytay, Palawan.</p>
	Series of Communication, Education and Public Awareness Campaign (CEPA)/Meeting	April 20-21, 2023	Barangay Bagong Bayan, El Nido, Palawan Barangay Bebeladan, El Nido, Palawan Barangay Manlag, El Nido, Palawan	<p>1.A total of 28 individuals composed of 16 males and 12 females participated in the said activity in Barangay Bagong Bayan, El Nido, Palawan. Nine (9) of them were senior citizens.</p> <p>2. A total of 59 individuals composed of 10 males and 49 females participated in the said activity in Barangay Bebeladan, El Nido, Palawan. Ten (10) of them were senior citizens.</p>	<p>In compliance to Environmental Management System (EMS) of the Department and maximize resources, time, and opportunity, other environmental laws and policies apart from forestry related were incorporated in the dissemination, such as Presidential Decree 1067, Republic Act 7942, Republic Act 7586 as amended, Public Land Act as amended, and among others deemed to tackle during the Question and Answer portion.</p> <p>The following were presented/discussed:</p>



				<p>3. A total of 56 individuals composed of 30 males and 26 females participated in the said activity in Barangay Manlag, El Nido, Palawan. Ten (10) of them were senior citizens. A considerable number of them later revealed to be engaging in small quarry operation.</p> <p>4. A total of 143 individuals were reached by the IEC team for the period of two (2) days.</p>	<p>1. Brief information about the El Nido Managed Resource Protected Area (ENMRPA) profile by Ms. Becera.</p> <p>2. Salient provisions of PD 705 by For. Tabernilla.</p> <p>4. Proper waste management and the local policy about no to single-use plastic by Mr. Villamor.</p> <p>5. Brief information re: the El Nido Green Economy Model (GEM) project and PowerPoint presentation of various laws mentioned above; and</p> <p>6. DMO IV Liliang promptly answered queries about sand and gravels extraction/utilization and land matters such as tax declaration and land titling process.</p>
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**Issues and Concerns in Barangay Bagong Bayan, Bebeladan and Manlag, El Nido, Palawan**

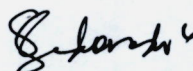
<b>Concerned Barangay</b>	<b>Issues/Concerns</b>	<b>Recommendations/Action Taken/ Suggestions</b>
Bagong Bayan	Reclassification of their area from timberland to alienable and disposable (A&D).	Proposed the reclassification through a Barangay Resolution, submit to the LGU and make a follow up on the status of the resolution
	Tax Declaration for timberland areas	Tax declarations issued prior to PD 705 are admitted to have happened perhaps because there was yet no tight coordination between the concerned agencies. Presently and under PD 705 the DENR has laid down its strong position of the prohibition of the issuance of tax declaration over forest lands.
	Process for land titling with issued Tax Declaration	1 <sup>st</sup> requirement to secure land title is that the area applied should be alienable and disposable (A&D) and submit the needed documentary requirements for processing of the Office, and Tax Declaration is among.
	Inquiry on the authorized individual to conduct land survey for Timberland areas	Only government personnel is allowed to conduct survey over forestlands with expressed instruction from the CENR Officer or higher DENR authorities; i.e. when the area is intended for development purposes and applied for appropriate instrument of tenure or covered by existing instruments like CSC, FLAg, FLAgT, etc.
	Sand and gravel activity at So. Omas, Bagong Bayan	Quarry is prohibited especially within PA areas DMO asked the cooperation from the residents to notify the Office relative to illegal activity
Bebeladan	Punong Barangay Antonio Cabezas Jr. is proposing for centralized septic tank to reduce the waste water pollution in their barangay.	The idea of the Barangay Local Government Unit is very much appreciated. It has to be written down into a proposal and submitted for PAMB deliberation.
	PB Cabezas proposed to exclude the mainland Bebeladan in protected area.	Copy of resolution was forwarded to PAMO-ENMRPA and additional copy will be handed to Ms. Becera
	Kaingin making within the dispute property of Francisco Pedroso	The FPMS II Team leader Bienvenido Veguilla III and Forest Ranger Yolando Edep inspected the area and talked to the caretaker only.
	Newly built concrete house within the 40 meters easement zone	DMO Liliang with FT I Dorado proceeded to the reported area and checked the structure. This Office will write a letter address to the owner informing his/ her violation and to remove the structure in the easement zone



Manlag	A lot of individuals engaged in sand and gravel extraction but no permission form the authority. They are asking for the assistance to legalize their sand and gravel extraction over the area	Forester Donna suggested to secure Dredging permit initially through Barangay Resolution from the BLGU to be forwarded by the LGU of El Nido, Palawan
	Requesting for livelihood assistance	At the instance, the IEC Team was not able to give conclusive answer on the concern except the assurance to raise it in this report for information of the management. The request actually came from a woman who admitted to be engaging in undocumented sand and gravel extraction.

Further, the activity was compliant to the Implementation Plan of the Office on Environmental Management System (EMS), basically the 5S technique of the organization, namely: 1. Sort, 2. Set in Order, 3. Shine, 4. Standardize, and 5. Sustain. The team also distributed posters and locally produced pamphlets on environmental laws.

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