

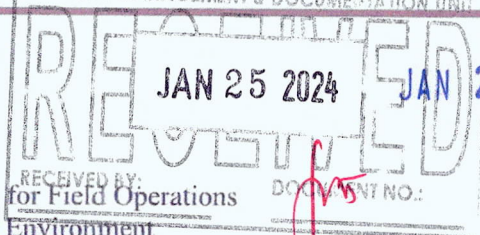
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# MEMORANDUM

**FOR :** The Undersecretary for Field Operations  
Luzon, Visayas and Environment

**ATTENTION :** The Assistant Secretary for International Affairs  
and Concurrent OIC Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau

**FROM :** The OIC, Regional Executive Director

**SUBJECT :** SUBMISSION OF REPORTS ON THE CONDUCT OF  
CAPACITY BUILDING/TRAINING FOR LAW ENFORCERS  
(BARANGAY VOLUNTEERS, PARK RANGERS, FOREST  
PROTECTION OFFICERS) OF EL NIDO MANAGED  
RESOURCE PROTECTED AREA (ENMRPA), EL NIDO,  
PALAWAN CONDUCTED ON SEPTEMBER 18-19, 2023 AND  
SEPTEMBER 26-27, 2023 [DATS P-2023-123103/123104]

Respectfully submitted are the Memoranda both dated November 6, 2023 of PENRO Palawan with reports regarding the "Capacity Building/Training for Law Enforcers (Barangay Volunteers, Park Rangers and Forest Protection Officers) of El Nido Managed Resource Protected Area (ENMRPA) which was conducted on September 18-19, 2023 (1<sup>st</sup> Batch) and September 26-27, 2023 (2<sup>nd</sup> Batch) in El Nido, Palawan. This is in compliance with our target activity under CY 2023 Integrated Protected Area Fund Work and Financial Plan (IPAF WFP) item D.2: *Strengthening Law Enforcement and Management Operations, Conduct of Law Enforcement Training.*

The leadership of ENMRPA Protected Area Management Office (PAMO) primarily aimed the learning activity to strengthen and empower the PA law enforcers composed of Barangay Volunteers, Park Rangers and Forest Protection Officers who serve as frontliners to complement the efforts in capacitating the PAMB in the effective and efficient management of the protected area.

Please be informed that the Capacity Building/Training was composed of the following staff of CENRO Taytay and ENMRPA PAMO and representatives from other government agencies:

1 <sup>st</sup> Batch (44)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Batch (39)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● CENRO Staff</li><li>● PAMO Park Rangers and Forest Protection Officers</li><li>● 23<sup>rd</sup> Marine Company-Marine Battalion Landing Team (MBLT)</li><li>● Philippine Coast Guard (PCG)</li><li>● El Nido Municipal Police Station (EN MPS)</li><li>● Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office (MENRO)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Selected CENRO and PAMO Staff</li><li>● PAMO Park Rangers and Forest Protection Officers</li><li>● 23<sup>rd</sup> Marine Company-Marine Battalion Landing Team (MBLT)</li><li>● Philippine Coast Guard (PCG)</li><li>● Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office (MENRO)</li><li>● Barangay Local Government Units- Barangay Peacekeeping Action Teams ((BLGUs-BPATs) of San Fernando,</li></ul>



1 <sup>st</sup> Batch (44)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Batch (39)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Barangay Local Government Units- Barangay Peacekeeping Action Teams ((BLGUs-BPATs) of Cataban, Liminangcong, Maligaya, Bagong-bayan, Bebeladan, Buena Suerte and Aberawan.</li> </ul>	New Ibajay, Mabini, Teneguiban, Barotuan and Sandoval.

In the two (2) batches, the resource speakers elaborated on the following topics:

1. ENMRPA Profile which included the PA's historical milestones, scope and coverage, location and geography, land classification, protected area zoning, and biological ecosystems by Mr. Efriel F. Dalabajan, PAMO ENMRPA Technical Staff
2. Salient Features of RA 7586 as amended including Sections 20 and 21 (Prohibited Acts in the PA and their penalties) by Ms. Rhodora B. Ubani, PENRO Chief, CDS
3. Special Use Agreement in Protected Area (SAPA) by PASu Mildred A. Suza
4. DENR Overview, Vision, Mission, Mandates, Core Values and Organizational Structure by FT I Voltaire Delos Angeles
5. Salient Provisions of PD 705, as amended including the prohibited acts and penalties and DAO 97-32 (1997 Rules on Administrative Adjudication of Illegal Forest Products and the Machinery, Equipment, Tools and Conveyances Used in Connection Therewith (by Atty Alvin John Velasco)
6. RA 9147 (Wildlife Resources Conservation and Protection Act) prohibited acts and penalties by Ms. Reina Rose C. Abordo, PAMO ENMRPA Staff
7. RA 9175 (Chainsaw Act of 2002) by CENRO Conrado M. Corpuz
8. Technical Report Writing and Computer Literacy by FT II Lucila G. Candejeja
9. Resource Mapping and identification, map reading and navigation; importance, elements and types of maps, GIS importance, application, and process by Forester. Donna C. Tabernilla
10. Identification of threats, threat mapping tool and its application in the enforcement protocol by FT II Lucila G. Candejeja

Moreover, the participants were divided into groups for the workshop on report writing and formulation of preventive enforcement and planning framework that detailed the threats within the PA including the logistics needed for the effective patrol plan.

In order to gauge the level of knowledge of the participants before and after the conduct of the two batches of learning activities, the pre-test and post-test exercises were administered. Gauging from the positive results of the pre and post-tests, the PAMO ENMRPA realized that similar learning activity shall be conducted annually to update, refresh and enhance the knowledge and skills of the PAMO staff and other partners in PA management.

Attached are the photo-documentation, attendance sheet, and Regional Special Order.

For information.

  
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