



**MINISTRY OF
NATURAL RESOURCES**

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**SUBJECT: TO DECLARE THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALUYA
AS MARINE TURTLE SANCTUARY.**

Pursuant to the provisions of Executive Order No. 542, dated June 26, 1979 as amended, expressive of the strong desire of the President to bolster the conservation efforts on marine turtle resources in the country, the Municipality of Caluya is hereby declared and established as Marine Turtle Sanctuary and henceforth withdrawn from alienation, disposition and exploitation.

The killing or taking of marine turtles and the gathering of the eggs for whatever purpose except for scientific research, the destruction or disturbance of the habitat of these marine animals found therein and in the portion of the surrounding sea, two hundred fifty (250) meters from the shore at the lowest tide mark are hereby prohibited.

Implementation of the provisions of this Order shall be the responsibility of the Task Force Pawikan and all duly authorized members or representatives from the agencies of the Ministry of Natural Resources and other member-agencies duly constituted in the Task Force Pawikan Council.

This Order takes effect immediately and amends/modifies/supersedes accordingly previous orders/memoranda/instructions inconsistent herewith.


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