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Ministry of Natural Resources
OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
Diliman, Quezon City

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SUBJECT

Deputizing the Barangay Captains of Santiago, Ilocos Sur as Forest Officers of the Ministry of Natural Resources.

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Pursuant to Section 80 of Presidential Decree No. 705, the following are hereby deputized as FOREST OFFICERS of the Ministry of Natural Resources/Bureau of Forest Development, effective upon receipt hereof, of which this Office shall be informed accordingly.

Bar	angay Chairman/Captains		Barangay
1.	Isabelo Manuel		Poblacion Norte
	Virgilio Pacquing		Poblacion Sur
	Carlito Ellaga		Al-aludig
	Francisco Sabado		Ambucao
5.	Bonifacio Echalas		Sam Jose
	Cesario Garpida		Baybayabas
	Nemesio Ecraela		Bigbiga
8.	Rosario Supnad		Bulbulada
	Amando Egido		Busel-busel
10.	Rodolfo Guanzon		Bistol
11.	James Gacilan		Caburao
12.	Agustin Pondevilla		Dan-ar
13.	Virgilio Elefante		Gabao
14.	William Dagadag		Guinabang
	Valeriano Elefante		Imus
	Mariano Elefante		Lang-ayan
17.	Victor Belarde		Mambug
18.	Fidel Islao		Nalasin
19.	Epifanio Limon		Olo-olo Norte
20.	Nemesio Cardenas		Olo-olo Sur
21.	Caridad Aquisay		Sabangan
22.	Teodorico Pimentel ·		Salincub
23.	Bernardo Mamaclay	:::	San Roque
24.	Avelino Bongolan	*	Ubbog
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By virtue of this deputation, they are authorized to detect violations of the forestry laws/rules and regulations administered by the Bureau of Forest Development and to arrest, even without warrant, any person who has committed, is committing or is about to commit in your presence any of the offenses defined in Sections 68, 69, 70, 71, and 77 of Presidential Decree No. 705, within your territorial jurisdictions. They are also authorized to seize/confiscate the tools and equipment used in committing the offense and the forest products cut, gathered or removed by the offender/s in the process of committing the offense. In all instances of detection, arrest and/or seizure or confiscation, they shall deliver within the period prescribed by law from the time of arrest and seizure, the offender and the confiscated forest products, tools and equipment too, and file the proper complaint with, the appropriate official designated by law to conduct preliminary investigation and file the information in court through the District I rester or Regional Director.

Pursuant to Section 45 of PD 705, they are authorized to administer an oath and take acknowledgement in official matters connected with the functions of their Office, and to take testimony in official investigation conducted under the authority of the Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines and its implementing rules and regulations.

They " submit to the District Forester, Vigan, Ilocos Sur a monthly report of the cases they have handled pursuant to this Order.

This deputation shall be automatically revoked upon termination of their tenure of Office unless sooner terminated by this Office.

Very truly yours.

RECOMMENDED BY:

ARNOLD B. ZAOI Deputy Minister

-Director

Bureau of Forest Development

Copy furnished:

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1. Dagupan City Regional Director, Region No.

District Forester. Vigan, Ilocos Sur