

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

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)

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DECREE : Deputizing the Barangay Captains of Mawab,
Davao del Norte as Forest Officers of the
Ministry of Natural Resources.

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.

<u>Barangay Chairman/Captains</u>	<u>Barangays</u>
1. Lilia Quezon	Andili
2. Victorio Macatumbas	Bawani
3. Aniceto Moto	Concepcion
4. Lorenzo Palmitos, Jr.	Malinawon
5. Anastacio Dapat	Nueva Visayas
6. Epifanio Cruda	Nuevo Iloco
7. Crispin Jermia	Poblacion
8. Marcos Saludo	Salvacion
9. Fernando Tambis	Sao-sao
10. Porferio Himayon	Sawangan
11. Leodegario Tuban	Tuboran
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By virtue of this deputation, they are authorized to detect violations of 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 confiscations, they shall deliver within the period prescribed by law from the time of arrest and seizure, the offenders

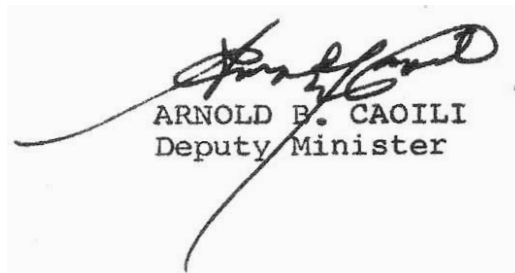
complaint with, the appropriate official designated by law to conduct preliminary investigation and file the information in court through the District Director or Regional Director.

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 investigations conducted under the authority of the Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines and its implementing rules and regulations.

They shall submit to the District Forester, Nabunturan, Davao del Norte a monthly report of the cases they have handled pursuant to this Order.

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

Very truly yours,



ARNOLD B. CAOILI
Deputy Minister

RECOMMENDED BY:

~~Jesus B. Alvarez, Jr.~~
JESUS B. ALVAREZ, JR.
Assistant Director

Furnished:

Minister of Natural Resources, Diliman, Quezon City
Chief, Forest Protection and Law Enforcement Division,
BFD, Diliman, Quezon City
Regional Director, Region No. 11, Davao City
District Forester, Nabunturan, Davao del Norte