

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

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)

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

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

Barangay Chairman/Captains

1. Vicente Benaning
2. Osias Mang
3. Demetrio Sumatra
4. Fermin Delima
5. David Catalan
6. Pedro Garcia
7. Candelario Jubac
8. Camini Quintaban
9. Alberto Darang
10. Teodosio Spaybaguio
11. Telesforo Acaso
12. Alejandro Damolo
13. Balbino Yano
14. Felimon Mendoza
15. Antonio Lagunzad
16. Ricardo Hinay
17. Francisco Tautho
18. Cenon Law-ay
19. Benigno Alvar, Jr.

Barangays

Apokon
Bincungan
Busaon
Canocotan
Cuambogan
La Filipina
Liboganon
Madaun
Magdum
Mankilam
New Balanban
Nueva Fuerza
Pagsabangan
Pandapan
Poblacion (Tagum)
San Agustin
San Miguel
San Isidro
Visayan Village

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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 Forestry 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, 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 offender

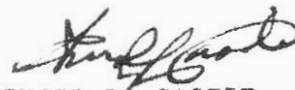
at with, the appropriate official designated by law to conduct every investigation and file the information in court through the District Judicial Director.

Under Section 45 of PD 705, they are authorized to administer an oath and acknowledgement in official matters connected with the functions of their office and to take testimony in official investigations conducted under the provisions of the Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines and its implementing regulations.

They shall submit to the District Forester, Tagum, Davao del Norte a copy 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

~~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, Tagum, Davao del Norte