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Deputizing the Barangay Captains of San Isidro, Northern Samar as Forest Officers of the Ministry of Natural Resources.

resulant to Section 80 of Presidential Decree No. 705, the following are restricted as FOREST OFFICERS of the Ministry of Natural Resources/Bureau of Firest Development, effective upon receipt hereof, of which this Office shall be attached accordingly.

Barangay Chairman/Captains Barangays 1. Rodolfo Andaya Caglanipac Norte Veraito 2. Fmilio Condeza 3. Moises Cabintoy Mabuhay 4. Manuel Amor Palanit San Juan 5. Lino Paghubasan -Salvacion 6. Edilberto Sacaguing 7. Mariano Dalangpan Alegria 8. Maximo Castillo Happy Valley 9. Enrico Bardilas Buenavista

By various of this deputation, they are authorized to detect violations of the correctly 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 about to commit in your presence any of the orienses defined in Sections 68, 69, 71, 71 and 77 of Presidential Decree No. 705, within your territorial jurisdictions.

The also authorized to seize/confiscate the tools and equipment used in confidence to offense and the forest products out, gathered or removed by the fiscular's in the process of committing the offense. In all instances of detection.

present and/or seizure or confiscations, 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 Forester or Regional Direct

Fursuant 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, Catarman, Northern Samar 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.

ARNOLD E. CAOILI Deputy Minister

RECOMMENDED BY:

OIC, Assistant Director for Legal Affair

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Minister of Natural Resources, Diliman, Quezon City Chief, Forest Protection & Law Enforcement Division, BFD, Diliman, Quezon City

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