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SUBJECT : Deputation as Forest Officer of the Ministry
of Natural Resources.

: Mr. Alberto Sevilla
Barangay Captain
Bo. Campokpok, Tabango, Leyte

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


In virtue of this deputation, you are authorized to detect violations of
forestry laws/rules and regulations administered by the Bureau of Forest
Management 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 62, 66, 70, 71 and 77 of Presidential Decree No. 705, within your
jurisdiction. You are also authorized to seize/confiscate the tools
and equipment used in committing the offense and the forest products cut, gathered
or stored by the offender/s in the process of committing the offense. In all
cases of detection, arrest and/or seizure or confiscation, you shall deliver
the same as prescribed by law from the time of arrest and seizure, the offender
and confiscated forest products, tools and equipment too, and file the proper
report with, the appropriate official designated by law to conduct preliminary
investigation and file the information in court through the District Forester or
Regional Director.

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

You shall submit to the District Forester, Ormoc City a
report of the cases you have handled pursuant to this Order.

This deputation shall be automatically revoked upon the termination of
your term as barangay captain.

Very truly yours,


ARNOLD B. GACILI
Deputy Minister

RECEIVED BY:


GRACIANO P. GAYAPA, JR.

OIC, Assistant Director for Legal Affairs

Disseminated:

- Director of Natural Resources, Diliman, Quezon City
- Chief, Forest Protection and Law Enforcement Div., BFD, Diliman, Q. C.
- Regional Director, Region No. 8, Tacloban City
- District Forester, Ormoc City