

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 Tiwi,
Albay 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 notified accordingly.

Barangay Chairman/Captains

1. Pedro Mendez
2. Godofredo Cas
3. Uldarico Nuñez
4. Jesus Colar
5. Efren Clerigo
6. Wenceslao Clavecillas
7. Otelia Clutario
8. Eusebio Cruz
9. Efren Consuelo
10. Antonio Cernitsez
11. Eutiquio Costo
12. Narciso Connigo
13. David Beato
14. Patrecio Colete

Barangays

- Mayong
Dapdap
Maynonong
Joroan
Bariis
Matalibong
Sogod
Naga
Cale
Beyong
San Bernardo
Bagong Bayan
Baybay
Coro-coro

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In 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 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 jurisdiction. 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,

Upon seizure or confiscations, they shall deliver within the period prescribed by law from the time of arrest and seizure, the offender and the confiscated 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 Director.

Pursuant to Section 45 of PD 705, they are authorized to administer an oath of 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.

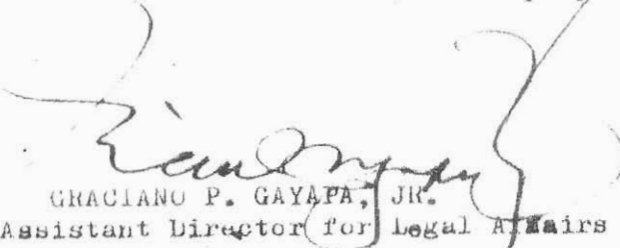
They shall submit to the District Forester of Legazpi City a monthly report of the cases they have handled pursuant to this Order.

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

Very truly yours,


ARNOLD M. CAOLILI
Deputy Minister

RECOMMENDED BY:


GRACIANO P. GAYAPA, JR.
SIC, Assistant Director for Legal Affairs

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