

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

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)
No. 284)
Series of 1984)

SUBJECT : Deputizing the Barangay Captains of Magallanes,
Cavite as Forest Officers of the Ministry
of Natural Resources.

WHEREAS :

In accordance with Section 68 of Presidential Decree No. 705, the following are
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. Rufino Ramos	Urdaneta
2. Cayetano Hierco	Tua
3. Aureo Espineli	Ramirez
4. Rogelio Crisostomo	Caluanga
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In virtue of this deputation, they are authorized to detect violations of the
laws/rules and regulations administered by the Bureau of Forest Development
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 and 77 of Presidential Decree No. 705, within your territorial jurisdictions
and 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,

... seizure or confiscations, they shall deliver within the period ... by law from the time of arrest and seizure, the offender and the confis- ... products, tools and equipment too, and file the proper complaint with, ... official designated by law to conduct preliminary investigation ... information in court through the District Forester or Regional Director.

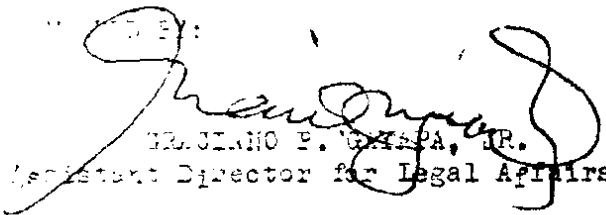
... pursuant to Section 45 of PD 705, they are authorized to administer an oath ... acknowledgement in official matters connected with the functions of their ... and to take testimony in official investigations conducted under the ... of the Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines and its implementing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

They shall submit to the District Forester, Trece Martirez ... monthly report of the cases they have handled pursuant to this Order.

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

Very truly yours,


ARNOLD B. CAOILI
Deputy Minister


ROSENDO P. GAXAPA, JR.
ASST. Director for Legal Affairs

... of Natural Resources, Diliman, Quezon City
... Forest Protection & Law Enforcement Division,
... RFD, Diliman, Quezon City
... Regional Director, Region No. 4, Quezon City
... District Forester, Trece Martirez