

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

Mr. Rommel Zara
Barangay Captain
Ba. Baha, Calatagan, Batangas

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 Protection, effective upon receipt hereof, of which this Office shall be advised accordingly.

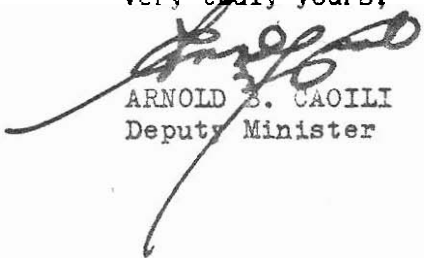
In virtue of this deputation, you are authorized to detect violations of forestry laws/rules and regulations administered by the Bureau of Forest Protection and to arrest, even without warrant, any person who has committed, is committing or is about to commit in your presence any of the offenses defined in Sections 65, 69, 70, 71 and 77 of Presidential Decree No. 705, within your territorial 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 instances of detection, arrest and/or seizure or confiscation, you shall deliver within the period 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 District Ranger.

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


Report to the District Forester, Batangas City a copy 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. CAOILI
Deputy Minister

APPROVED BY:

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