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Deputizing the Barangay Captains of Antequera, Bohol as Forest Officers of the Ministry of Natural Resources.

I request to Section 80 of Presidential Decree No. 705, the following are is putized as FOREST OFFICERS of the Ministry of Natural Resources/Bureau of the Section of the S

Barangay Chairman/Captains

Barangays

l. Francisco Naparan

2. Cesario Vegonte

3. Miguel Paña

Tabuan Kinapun-an Bantolinao

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By virtue of this deputation, they are authorized to detect violations of forestry laws/rules and regulations administered by the Bureau of Forest Explorment and to arrest, even without warrant, any person who has committed, is multing or is about to commit in your presence any of the offenses defined in tions 68, 69, 70, 71 and 77 of Presidential Decree No. 705, within your territorial jurisdictions. They are also authorized to seize/confiscate the tools coulpment used in committing the offense and the forest products cut, gathered are removed by the offender/s in the process of committing the offense. In all tances of detection, arrest and/or seizure or confiscations, they shall deliver the period prescribed by law from the time of arrest and seizure, the offender the confiscated forest products, tools and equipment too, and file the proper

arrest 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 Director.

Pursuant 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 chine, and to take testimony in official investigations conducted under the purity of the Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines and its implementing and regulations.

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

Very truly yours,

ARNOID 2. CAOILI Depute Minister

RECOMMENDED BY:

GRACIANO P. GATAPA, JR.

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

Regional Director, Region No. 7, Cebu City

District Forester, Tashilaran City