



DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT AND
NATURAL RESOURCES

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SUBJECT: Field validation/spot checking of the timber resources data within the residual forest, Block I of Monte Alto Timber Resources Corporation (TLA No. 280-1) located at San Mariano and Echaque, Isabela.

In the interest of the service and pursuant to DENR Memorandum Order No. 05, Series of 1992, prescribing guidelines for the re-evaluation of result of the inventory and analysis of the timber resources data obtained within the residual forest, Block I, a Field Validation Team is hereby created to conduct a spot check/verification of the timber resources data gathered within Monte Alto Timber Resources Corporation (MATRC), which Team shall be composed of the following DENR personnel:

| <u>Personnel</u> | | <u>Office</u> | |
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| Forester Jose Cabanayan Jr. | - | NAMRIA | - Team leader |
| Forester Ronilo Salac | - | PPSD | - Member |
| Forester Allan Barcena | - | FMB | - Member |
| DENR, Region 2 Representative | | | - Member |

The Field Validation Team shall, in the conduct of the actual spot check/verification, do the following:

1. Make a random check of the areas under Block I residual forest subject of the previous timber inventory, by employing at least a 1.0% sampling intensity.
2. Check the establishment of timber cruising strips and sampling units.
3. Within every sampling unit being checked, determine the tree quality of all trees 15 cm dbh and up in accordance with Paragraph 7.1.6 of DENR Memorandum Order No. 8, Series of 1991. Indicate the sound volume and defect observed of each tree in terms of percent soundness and percent cullness, respectively. Specify the corresponding species, diameter, merchantable height and other data, as maybe necessary.
4. Take photographs and other relevant information during the field spot checking.
5. Submit field findings, analysis and comments/recommendation upon completion of the fieldwork.

The Team shall coordinate with the Regional Executive Director concerned and is authorized to seek the assistance of any DENR employee within the Region for the early completion of the assigned task. All expenses that shall be incurred incidental to the fieldwork shall be charged against the Trust Fund Deposit of Monte Alto Timber Resources Corporation, subject, however, to the usual government accounting and auditing, rules and regulations.

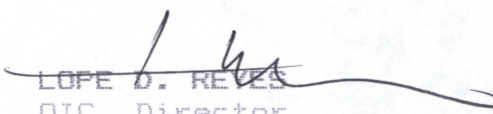
This Order takes effect immediately.



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RECOMMENDED BY:



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