



SPECIAL ORDER
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Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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SUBJECT: DEPUTATION OF MR. VICENTE B. MATUGAS AND MR. PANTALEON M. SAMPANG OF MUNICIPALITY OF IPIL, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR AS ENVIRONMENT NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICERS (DENRO)

Pursuant to the provisions of existing environment and natural resources laws and regulations, the above-named persons of Municipality of Ipil, Zamboanga del Sur are hereby **DEPUTIZED** as ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICERS (DENRO), to exercise the following power and authority, to wit:

1. To undertake detection, surveillance, monitoring and investigation of violations of forestry, mining, marine and wildlife laws, rules and regulations within the provinces of Zamboanga del Norte and Sur and the province of Basilan;
2. To seize or confiscate illegally sourced forest, mineral, marine or wildlife resources or products as well as the conveyances, tools or equipment used in the commission of the offense and to deliver or turn-over the said products or resources as well as the tool and conveyances used to the nearest CENRO/PENRO/RED office in the area;
3. To effect arrests even without warrant in appropriate cases as provided under Section 6, Rule 113 of the Rules of Court, specifically:
 - (a) When, in his presence, the person to be arrested has committed, is attempting to commit, or is attempting to commit an offense;
 - (b) When an offense has in fact just been committed, and he has personal knowledge of facts indicating that the person to be arrested has committed it;The person arrested without a warrant shall be forthwith delivered to the police station or jail and he shall be proceeded against in accordance with Rule 112, Section 7 of the Rules of Court.
4. To administer oath or take acknowledgment on official matters in connection with the discharge of his functions as Deputy ENRO and to take or receive testimony in the course thereof;
5. To assist in the conduct of environment and natural resources information and education activities in coordination with the CENRO and local government units concerned;
6. To submit to the CENRO in his area of responsibility a monthly accomplishment report following the format prescribed in DENR Administrative Order No. 41, series of 1991.

Any violation of any of the terms, conditions or provisions of this Deputation shall automatically revoke or cancel this authority, without prejudice to any criminal or civil liability which the said Deputized ENRO may be held liable under pertinent laws or regulations.

This Deputation is non-transferable and shall be valid for a period of one (1) year from the date hereof unless sooner revoked or terminated by this Office.


ANTONIO H. CERILLES
Secretary

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