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DENR SPECIAL ORDER
NO. 2002-52

JUN 24 2002

**SUBJECT: CREATION OF THE PROVINCIAL MINING
REGULATORY BOARD (PMRB) OF THE
PROVINCE OF BATANES PURSUANT TO R.A. NO.
7076, R.A. NO. 7942 AND THEIR IMPLEMENTING
RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Pursuant to the pertinent provisions of R.A. No. 7076, the "Peoples Small Scale Mining Act of 1991" and R.A. No. 7942, the "Philippine Mining Act of 1995", and their Implementing Rules and Regulations, the Provincial Mining Regulatory Board for the Province of Batanes is hereby organized to be composed of the following:

JERRY SAL C. MANGAOANG OIC-Regional Director	-	Chairman
VICENTE S. GATO Governor	-	Vice-Chairman
ROMEO L. GONZALES Large Scale Mining Representative	-	Member
DIEGO A. ORDAS, JR. Small-Scale Mining Representative	-	Member
FERDINAND C. ELICA NGO-Representative	-	Member

In the performance of its duties and functions, the Board shall be guided by the applicable provisions of DENR Administrative Order No. 96-40, Series of 1996, amending DENR Administrative Order No. 95-23, Series of 1995, the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. No. 7942; DENR Administrative Order No. 34, Series of 1992, the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. No. 7076 and other laws, rules and regulations and circulars governing the administration and disposition of mineral resources.

In case of non-availability of the Regional Director, he is hereby authorized to designate his duly authorized representative from the MGB Regional Office or the concerned PENRO to act as the Chairperson on his behalf and preside over the P/CMRB meetings/deliberations, in line with Section 1 of DENR

Memorandum Circular No. 97-05 (Procedural Guidelines in the Creation of Provincial/City Mining Regulatory Boards).

Furthermore, in case where the Chairman of the Board is a Representative of the MGB-IV Director and has become ineffective in his/her performance of work as determined by the said Regional Director, authority is hereby granted to the Regional Director to relieve said Representative after proper notification and thereafter assume Chairmanship or designate a new representative as Chairman.

Pursuant to DENR Memorandum Circular No. 97-05, the Chairman shall submit a quarterly report to the MGB Director, the DENR Regional Executive Director and the Secretary, containing the accomplishments, issues encountered and resolutions made and other relevant information.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force unless revoked in writing by the undersigned.



HEHERSON T. ALVAREZ
Secretary

JUN 24 2002

Recommending
Approval:



HORACIO C. RAMOS
Director, MGB