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DENR SPECIAL ORDER
No. 2002 - 875

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SUBJECT: RECONSTITUTION OF THE BILIRAN PROVINCIAL MINING REGULATORY BOARD (PMRB) PURSUANT TO R.A. 7942 AND ITS IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS

Pursuant to the pertinent provisions of R.A. 7076, the "People's Small Scale Mining Act of 1995," and R.A. 7942, The "Philippine Mining Act of 1995; and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, the Provincial Mining Regulatory Board for the Province of Biliran is hereby organized to be composed of the following:

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| Loreto B. Alburo
OIC - Regional Director
Mines and Geo-Sciences Bureau
R-8, DENR, Tacloban City | - | Chairman |
| Mr. Avelino S. Hernandez
Provincial Administrator
Province of Biliran | - | Vice-Chairman
Representing the Provincial
Government Office |
| Mr. Renato V. Villanueva | - | Member
Representing the
Small Scale Mining Sector |
| Federico B. Ganigan
VP-Operations
Hinatuan Mining Corporation
Manicani Is.,
Guiuan, Eastern Samar | - | Member
Representing the Large Mining
Sector |
| Mr. Oscar Tabon
President
Tomalistas Forest
Coop. | - | Member
Representing a DENR Accredited
Environmental Non-Government
Organization |

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-VIII 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

OCT 08 2002

Recommending
Approval:


HORACIO C. RAMOS
Director, MGB