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DENR SPECIAL ORDER

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**SUBJECT : DEPUTATION OF LT. COL. MAXIMO G. CARO CO, 36IB, 41D, PHILIPPINE ARMY OF DEPOT, UPPER ULIP, MONKAYO, COMPOSTELA VALLEY PROVINCE AS DEPUTIZED ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICER (DENRO)**

**DATE : November 28, 2003**

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Pursuant to the provisions of DENR Administrative Order No. 41 Series of 1991 and Section 9, Page 67 of DAO No. 11 dated February 8, 2000, **Lt. Col. Maximo G. Caro CO, 36IB, 41D, Philippine Army** located at Depot, Upper Tulip, Monkayo, Compostela Valley Province is hereby appointed as Deputy Environment and Natural Resources Officer (DENRO) to exercise the power and authority provided for in the aforesaid administrative orders, laws, rules and regulations under the supervision of the PENR Officer concerned effective upon receipt of this Order.

By virtue of this deputation, he is authorized to detect/investigate violations of environment and natural resources laws, rules and regulations and to arrest even without warrant any person who has committed, is committing or is about to commit in his presence any of the offenses defined in Chapter IV of presidential Decree No. 705 as amended, within their territorial jurisdiction.


He is also authorized to apprehend the tools and equipment and conveyances used in the commission of the offense and the natural resources products extracted/cut gathered, removed and possessed by the offender/s in the process of committing the offense. In all instances of detection, arrest and/or apprehension, he shall deliver within the period prescribed by law from the time of arrest and apprehension, the offender/s and apprehended natural resources products, tools and equipments including the conveyance/s used to the seizure officer of the DENR.

He is further authorized to administer oath and take acknowledgement in official matters connected with their aforementioned functions and to take testimonies in official investigation/s conducted under the authority of the aforesaid laws as amended and its implementing rules and regulations.

He shall submit to the RED of the DENR through the PENRO/CENRO concerned a monthly report of the cases he has handled and/or activities undertaken pursuant to this Order.

Upon receipt of this Order, he shall report to the PENRO/CENRO concerned to undergo the required orientation briefing on basic environment and natural resources laws, rules and regulations relative to his functions as Deputy ENRO before officially discharging his duties and responsibilities and to accept place of assignment as directed by the PENRO concerned.

This Order takes effect immediately and will expire on November 30, 2004 or unless sooner revoked or terminated by this Office.

  
**ELISEA G. GOZUN**  
DENR Secretary

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