

DENR Administrative Order

No. 98 - 40

June 11, 1998

SUBJECT : Declaring Certain Portions of the Public Forest as Alienable or Disposable for Cropland and Other Purposes and Setting Aside Certain Parcels Thereof for Permanent Forest Purposes Under LC Project No. 5-G of El Nido, Palawan.

1. Pursuant to Section 13 of Presidential Decree No. 705, otherwise known as the Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines as amended, I hereby declare and certify an area of 177.73 hectares, more or less, as alienable or disposable for cropland and other purposes under the Public Land Act and further declare as permanent forests, the forestland blocks covering an aggregated area of 555.92 hectares, which parcels of land are located in the above named Municipality and Province shown and described in Map No. LC - 3601 which is attached to and forms an integral part of this Order, subject to the following conditions:

In the area herein declared as alienable or disposable, a strip of 15 meters in width on each side of any public trail and a strip of 20 meters in width on each side from the highest bank of any stream or river are reserved as forestlands and must be maintained under permanent forest cover for ecological reasons in line with the government's environmental and natural resources protection and conservation program.

2. This Order shall take effect upon approval.

(Sgd.) VICTOR O. RAMOS
Secretary

Recommended by:

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