

**PROCLAMATION
NO. 268**

**DECLARING THE AMBUKLAO-BINGA WATERSHED
FOREST RESERVE SITUATED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES
OF ATOK, BOKOD, BUGUIAS, ITOGON, KABAYAN,
TUBLAY, KIBUNGAN AND LA TRINIDAD, PROVINCE
OF BENGUET, MUNICIPALITIES OF HUNGDUAN AND
KIANGAN, PROVINCE OF IFUGAO; AND
MUNICIPALITY OF KAYAPA, PROVINCE OF NUEVA
VISCAYA AS A PROTECTED AREA PURSUANT TO
REPUBLIC ACT 7586 (NIPAS ACT OF 1992) AND SHALL
BE KNOWN AS UPPER AGNO RIVER BASIN RESOURCE
RESERVE**

Upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources, and pursuant to the powers vested upon me by law, **I, JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA**, President of the Philippines, do hereby set aside and declare Ambuklao-Binga Watershed Forest Reserve, consisting of a parcel of land situated in the Municipalities of Atok, Bokod, Buguias, Itogon, Kabayan, Tublay, Kibungan and La Trinidad, Province of Benguet, Municipalities of Hungduan and Kiangan, Province of Ifugao, and Municipality of Kayapa, Province of Nueva Viscaya as Protected Area under the category of Resource Reserve, subject to private rights and without prejudice to the rights of the Indigenous Peoples as provided for in R.A. No. 8371, DENR Administrative Order 93-02 and other related rules and regulations, if any, as described in DENR NIPAS Map No. CAR-05.

Beginning at a point marked 1 on the map, being S2°00'W about 200 meters from a recovered triangulation station 29 E, a known point on the ground per BBM 4A-MBM 1 of CAD - 887 Antok Cadastre.

Thence N 70°E 280 m to point 2;

Thence N 45°E 290 m to point 3;

Thence N 30°E 290 m to point 4;

Thence N 50°E 240 m to point 5;

Thence N 56°E 180 m to point 6;
Thence N 49°E 200 m to point 7;
Thence N 72°E 330 m to point 8;
Thence N 78°E 330 m to point 9;
Thence N 07°E 260 m to point 10;
Thence N 01°E 290 m to point 11;
Thence N 08°E 290 m to point 12;
Thence N 09°E 250 m to point 13;
Thence N 57°E 390 m to point 14;
Thence N 32°E 250 m to point 15;
Thence N 35°W 270 m to point 16;
Thence N 83°E 100 m to point 17;
Thence N 83°E 310 m to point 18;
Thence N 61°E 360 m to point 19;
Thence N 77°E 400 m to point 20;
Thence N 43°E 340 m to point 21;
Thence N 28°E 180 m to point 22;
Thence N 39°E 220 m to point 23;
Thence N 23°E 220 m to point 24;
Thence N 21°W 360 m to point 25;
Thence N 23°E 220 m to point 26;
Thence N 82°E 300 m to point 27;
Thence N 56°E 300 m to point 28;
Thence N 04°E 400 m to point 29;
Thence N 52°E 300 m to point 30;
Thence N 52°E 300 m to point 31;
Thence N 50°E 390 m to point 32;
Thence N 68°E 170 m to point 33;
Thence N 69°E 310 m to point 34;
Thence N 59°E 440 m to point 35;
Thence N 35°W 380 m to point 36;
Thence N 13°E 270 m to point 37;
Thence N 25°E 350 m to point 38;
Thence N 33°E 360 m to point 39;
Thence N 13°E 260 m to point 40;
Thence N 24°E 260 m to point 41;
Thence N 38°E 210 m to point 42;
Thence N 64°E 310 m to point 43;

Thence N 69°E 330 m to point 44;
Thence N 40°E 290 m to point 45;
Thence N 85°E 300 m to point 46;
Thence S 83°E 260 m to point 47;
Thence N 25°E 340 m to point 48;
Thence N 61°E 300 m to point 49;
Thence N 38°E 140 m to point 50;
Thence N 42°E 200 m to point 51;
Thence N 46°E 150 m to point 52;
Thence N 64°E 350 m to point 53;
Thence N 37°E 250 m to point 54;
Thence N 18°E 400 m to point 55;
Thence N 04°E 260 m to point 56;
Thence N 76°W 210 m to point 57;
Thence N 47°W 220 m to point 58;
Thence N 54°E 170 m to point 59;
Thence N 64°E 260 m to point 60;
Thence N 32°E 300 m to point 61;
Thence N 30°E 390 m to point 62;
Thence N 23°E 250 m to point 63;
Thence N 23°E 460 m to point 64;
Thence N 22°E 340 m to point 65;
Thence N 71°E 360 m to point 66;
Thence N 07°W 240 m to point 67;
Thence N 04°E 280 m to point 68;
Thence N 22°W 440 m to point 69;
Thence N 23°E 240 m to point 70;
Thence N 15°E 310 m to point 71;
Thence N 29°W 300 m to point 72;
Thence N 23°E 230 m to point 73;
Thence N 21°W 200 m to point 74;
Thence N 07°E 460 m to point 75;
Thence N 13°W 290 m to point 76;
Thence N 19°E 280 m to point 77;
Thence N 07°E 220 m to point 78;
Thence N 42°E 340 m to point 79;
Thence S 80°E 180 m to point 80;
Thence N 89°E 310 m to point 81;

Thence N 20°W 270 m to point 82;
Thence N 47°W 190 m to point 83;
Thence N 20°W 320 m to point 84;
Thence N 02°E 270 m to point 85;
Thence N 52°E 400 m to point 86;
Thence N 49°E 810 m to point 87;
Foll. Ridge in a gen. N.E. direction abt. 900 m to point 88;
Foll. Ridge in a gen. N.E.-N.W. direction abt. 900 m to point 89;
Foll. Ridge in a NW direction 2,600 m to point 90;
Thence N 80°W 240 m to point 91;
Thence N 10°W 270 m to point 92;
Thence N 46°W 760 m to point 93;
Thence N 09°W 310 m to point 94;
Thence N 12°W 470 m to point 95;
Thence N 55°W 410 m to point 96;
Thence N 38°W 420 m to point 97;
Thence N 51°E 440 m to point 98;
Thence N 48°E 380 m to point 99;
Thence N 78°E 240 m to point 100;
Thence N 63°W 220 m to point 101;
Thence N 70°E 370 m to point 102;
Thence N 52°E 400 m to point 103;
Thence N 46°E 190 m to point 104;
Thence N 68°E 310 m to point 105;
Thence N 80°E 320 m to point 106;
Thence N 74°E 400 m to point 107;
Thence N 28°E 410 m to point 108;
Thence N 59°E 170 m to point 109;
Thence N 21°E 300 m to point 110;
Thence N 04°E 260 m to point 111;
Thence N 31°W 400 m to point 112;
Thence N 08°W 330 m to point 113;
Thence N 33°E 330 m to point 114;
Thence N 19°E 210 m to point 115;
Thence N 04°E 300 m to point 116;
Thence Due North 390 m to point 117;
Thence N 48°E 160 m to point 118;
Thence N 53°E 190 m to point 119;

Thence N 41°E 350 m to point 120;
Thence N 05°E 210 m to point 121;
Thence N 10°W 280 m to point 122;
Thence N 01°W 180 m to point 123;
Thence N 29°E 300 m to point 124;
Thence N 43°W 270 m to point 125;
Thence N 04°E 410 m to point 126;
Thence N 06°E 350 m to point 127;
Thence N 59°E 300 m to point 128;
Thence N 43°E 360 m to point 129;
Thence N 07°W 150 m to point 130;
Thence N 19°E 260 m to point 131;
Thence N 18°E 210 m to point 132;
Thence N 82°E 960 m to point 133;
Thence N 20°E 220 m to point 134;
Thence N 14°E 460 m to point 135;
Thence N 74°E 190 m to point 136;
Thence N 40°E 390 m to point 137;
Thence N 06°W 880 m to point 138;
Thence N 16°E 210 m to point 139;
Thence N 16°E 390 m to point 140;
Thence N 05°W 360 m to point 141;
Thence N 66°E 480 m to point 142;
Thence N 25°E 470 m to point 143;
Thence N 53°E 300 m to point 144;
Thence N 65°E 320 m to point 145;
Thence N 42°E 330 m to point 146;
Thence N 57°E 230 m to point 147;
Thence N 35°E 200 m to point 148;
Thence N 35°E 380 m to point 149;
Thence N 32°E 300 m to point 150;
Thence N 25°E 260 m to point 151;
Thence N 74°E 340 m to point 152;
Thence N 83°E 310 m to point 153;
Thence N 48°E 360 m to point 154;
Thence N 65°E 220 m to point 155;
Thence N 50°E 350 m to point 156;
Thence N 66°E 170 m to point 157;

Thence N 41°E 310 m to point 158;
 Thence N 71°E 250 m to point 159;
 Thence N 76°E 210 m to point 160;
 Thence N 65°E 240 m to point 161;
 Thence N 82°E 200 m to point 162;
 Thence N 68°E 600 m to point 163;
 Thence N 61°57'E 680.50 m to point 164;
 Thence N 17°26'E 1,220.20 m to point 165;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. S.E. direction 8,150 m to point 166;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. S.W., N.E. & S.E.
 direction abt. 7,700 m to point 167;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. S.W. & S.E.
 direction abt. 4,600 m to point 168;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. S.W. direction abt. 3,450 m to point 169;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. S.W. & S.E.
 direction abt. 4,700 m to point 170;
 Thence S 83°W 1,900 m to point 171;
 Foll. Buguias Creek downstream abt. 1,000 m to point 172;
 Thence S 29°E 4,700 m to point 173;
 Thence S 13°W 3,350 m to point 174;
 Thence S 25°W 4,350 m to point 175;
 Foll. Unknown Creek upstream abt. 2,700 m to point 176;
 Thence S 15°W 2,400 m to point 177;
 Thence S 38°E 3,850 m to point 178;
 Thence S 81°E 1,980 m to point 179;
 Thence following ridge in a gen. SW
 direction abt. 5,400 m to point 180;
 Foll. Ridge in a general S.E. & S.W.
 direction abt. 5,500 m to point 181;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. S.E. & S.W.
 direction abt. 5,000 m to point 182;
 Foll. Ridge in a general S.E. & S.W.
 direction abt. 1,300 m to point 183;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. SW direction abt. 8,300 m to point 184;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. NW direction abt. 6,500 m to point 185;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. NW direction abt. 3,800 m to point 186;
 Foll. Ridge in a gen. NW & SW
 direction abt. 5,400 m to point 187;

Foll. Ridge in a gen. SW & NW
direction abt. 9,150 m to point 188;
Foll. Ridge in a gen. SW & NW
direction abt. 6,500 m to point 189;
Foll. Ridge in a gen. NW direction abt. 3,700 m to point 190;
Foll. Ridge in a gen. NE direction abt. 3,000 m to point 191;
Thence S 75°E 200 m to point 192;
Thence N 29°E 210 m to point 193;
Thence N 01°E 230 m to point 194;
Thence N 21°E 180 m to point 195;
Thence N 82°E 230 m to point 196;
Thence N 50°E 200 m to point 197;
Thence N 52°E 130 m to point 198;
Thence N 46°E 260 m to point 199;
Thence N 47°E 220 m to point 200;
Thence N 48°E 320 m to point 201;
Thence N 56°E 150 m to point 202;
Thence N 26°E 270 m to point 203;
Thence N 77°E 140 m to point 204;
Thence N 68°E 250 m to point 205;
Thence N 79°E 250 m to point 206;
Thence S 73°E 220 m to point 207;
Thence N 69°E 140 m to point 208;
Thence N 85°E 320 m to point 209;
Thence S 40°E 170 m to point 210;
Thence S 85°E 150 m to point 211;
Thence S 58°E 130 m to point 212;
Thence S 50°E 170 m to point 213;
Thence S 73°E 280 m to point 214;
Thence N 66°E 100 m to point 215;

Thence N 84°E 70 m to point of beginning containing an area of Seventy-Seven Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-One (77,561) Hectares, subject to actual ground survey.

These areas shall be under the administrative jurisdiction of the DENR in coordination with the National Power Corporation

(NPC) and shall be administered in accordance with the provisions of the NIPAS Act of 1992.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 23rd day of April, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand.