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PALAWAN COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

PCSD Bldg., Sports Complex Rd., Bgy. Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan



**Excerpts from the Minutes of the 215th PCSD Regular Meeting
held at Palawan Sustainable Development Training Institute (PSDTI),
Irawan, Puerto Princesa City
December 11, 2014**

Present:

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| 1. Gov. Jose Ch. Alvarez, Provincial Governor | Chairman |
| 2. Vice Gov. V. Dennis M. Socrates, Sangguniang Panlalawigan | Vice Chairman |
| 3. Dir. Nelson P. Devanadera, Executive Director, PCSDS | Secretary |
| 4. Dep. Dir-Gen. Margarita R. Songco, NEDA | Member |
| 5. Usec. Manuel D. Gerochi, Undersecretary, DENR | Member |
| 6. Hon. Lucena D. Demaala, Pres., League of Municipalities | Member |
| 7. RADM Alexander S Lopez AFP, Commander, WESCOM | Member |
| 8. Mr. Bart Duff, Business Sector Representative | Member |

Represented:

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| 9. Rev. Fr. Eugene S. Elivera, NGO Representative | Member |
| Sister Xenia Mae C. Juanitas, AMP | |
| 10. Hon. Lucilo R. Bayron, Mayor, Puerto Princesa City | Member |
| Represented by Atty. Michelle Acosta | |

Absent:

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| 11. Hji. Abraham M. Ibba, President, Liga ng mga Barangay | Member |
| 12. Asec. Edilberto M. De Luna, Assistant Secretary, DA | Member |

PCSD RESOLUTION NO. 14-515

A RESOLUTION DEPUTIZING FOUR (4) APPLICANTS AS WILDLIFE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR THE PROVINCE OF PALAWAN PURSUANT TO PCSD RESOLUTION NO. 06-313A IN RELATION TO SECTION 30 OF RA 9147 OR THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND PROTECTION ACT AND ITS IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, on 30 July 2001 Republic Act 9147 was approved into law and known as the Wildlife Resources Conservation and Protection Act;

WHEREAS, Section 4 of RA. 9147 provides that in the Province of Palawan, jurisdiction as to the implementation of the law is vested with the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development pursuant to R.A. No. 7611.

WHEREAS, Section 30 of the same Act requires the implementing agencies to deputize Wildlife Enforcement Officers (WEOs) that shall have the full authority to seize illegally traded wildlife and to arrest violators of the Act, subject to the existing laws, rules and regulations on arrest and detention;

WHEREAS, in relation to the aforementioned Section 30, an implementing rules and regulations was jointly issued by the DENR, DA and PCSD, Rule 30.1 of which provides that the Council or its authorized representative shall deputize Wildlife Enforcement Officers from non-government organizations, citizens groups, community organization and other volunteers who have undergone the necessary training for this purpose;

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WHEREAS, in compliance with Rule 30.5 of the above-mentioned implementing rules and regulations requiring the Council to prescribe the requirements and procedures for the deputation of WEOs in the province of Palawan, the Council passed PCSD Resolution No. 06-313A, entitled "A Resolution Approving the Guidelines Prescribing the Requirements and Procedures for the Deputation and Designation of Wildlife Enforcement Officers (WEOs) Pursuant to Republic Act 9147, Otherwise Known as the Wildlife Resources Conservation and Protection Act and its Joint Implementing Rules and Regulations";

WHEREAS, pursuant the above-mentioned Council resolution, on August 13-14, 2014, the PCSDS conducted WEO Training at the New City Hall Building, Puerto Princesa City wherein four (4) participants satisfactorily passed the examinations and complied with the documentary requirements for their deputation;

WHEREAS, considering the policy of the State to conserve and protect the country's wildlife resources and their habitats for sustainability, the Council recognizes the potential of the four participants who passed the trainings;

WHEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises and on motion duly seconded, be it RESOLVED as it is hereby RESOLVED to deputize the four (4) applicants, namely: **Menchie Himpolaran, Mariveth Camo, Eunice Katherine Vigonte and Roel Villagrancia**, as they are hereby deputized as Wildlife Enforcement Officers for the Province of Palawan pursuant to PCSD Resolution No. 06-313A in relation to Section 30 of RA 9147 or the Wildlife Resources Conservation and Protection Act and its Implementing Rules and Regulations.


RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this Resolution be sent to the concerned agencies for their information and guidance.

RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of December 2014 in Puerto Princesa City, Palawan.

I hereby certify that the above-quoted resolution has been duly adopted by the PCSD on December 11, 2014 in Puerto Princesa City, Palawan.


NELSON P. DEVANADERA
Secretary

ATTESTED BY:


JOSE CH. ALVAREZ
Chairman, PCSD