



**Excerpts from the Minutes of the 66<sup>th</sup> PCSD Regular Meeting**  
**PTFPP Training Hall, Sta. Monica, City**  
**30 July 1999**

**Present:**

1. Dep. Speaker Alfredo E. Abueg, Jr. - Chairman  
Palawan Rep., (2<sup>nd</sup> District), House of Representatives
2. Hon. Vicente A. Sandoval - Vice Chairman  
Palawan Rep., (1<sup>st</sup> District), House of Representatives
3. Atty. Joselito C. Alisuag, Exec. Dir., PCSDS - Secretary
4. Hon. Salvador P. Socrates, Prov'l Governor - Member  
represented by Mr. Nelson Peneyra
5. Hon. Myrna O. Lacanilao, Pres., League of Mun.- Member
6. Maj. Gen. Ponciano Millena, WESCOM - Member  
represented by Capt. De Vera
7. Mr. Rey Rafols, Business Sector - Member
8. Atty. Grizelda Mayo-Anda, NGO Sector - Member
9. Usec. Orestes O. Ricaforte, DOT - Member  
Represented by Ms. Verna Buensuceso
10. Mr. Abraham Kahlil B. Mitra, Public Sector - Member

**Absent:**

1. Usec. Cesar M. Drilon, DA - Member
2. Vice-Gov. Joel T. Reyes - Member
3. Hon. Joel Bito-onon, Pres., Liga ng mga Bgy. - Member
4. DDG Isagani B. Valdellon, NEDA - Member
5. Mayor Edward S. Hagedorn, Pto. Prin. City - Member
6. Assemblyman Ali Montaha Babao, SPCPD - Member
7. Usec. Teodoro B. Pison, DENR - Member

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**PCSD Resolution No. 99-146C**

***RESOLUTION DECLARING 5,000 HECTARES AS COMMUNAL FOREST ZONE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN VICENTE, PALAWAN.***

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 7611 adopted the Strategic Environmental Plan (SEP) as the comprehension framework for the sustainable development of the province and created the PCSD as the administrative machinery for the governance, implementation and policy direction of the SEP;

**WHEREAS**, Section 5 of Republic Act No. 7611 provides that the SEP shall guide the agencies concerned and the local governments in the formulation of plans, programs and projects affecting the environment and natural resources of the province;

**WHEREAS**, Sections 7 to 11 of Republic Act No. 7611 provides for the establishment of the Environmentally Critical Areas Network (ECAN), a graded system of protection and development control over the whole province involving the designation of management zones and their prescribed uses;

**WHEREAS**, the power to identify and designate ECAN zones pertains to the PCSD as the administrative machinery for the implementation, governance and policy direction of the SEP and pursuant to such power the "Guidelines in the Identification, Establishment and Management of Communal Forest Zone in Palawan" was issued through PCSD Admin Order No. 01, series of 1999;

**WHEREAS**, following the criteria and procedures provided in PCSD Administrative Order No. 01, series of 1999, a total of five thousand (5,000) hectares consisting of four parcels were identified as communal forest zone in the municipality of San Vicente and an application for its declaration was submitted to the PCSD Staff for evaluation;

**WHEREAS**, the PCSDS after conducting its technical evaluation of the application favorably endorsed the 5,000 hectares communal forest zone for the approval of the PCSD;

**WHEREAS**, the application was presented to the PCSD in its 66<sup>th</sup> regular meeting in July 1999 and pursuant to such presentation the Council finds the application to be in conformity with the guidelines set forth in PCSD Administrative Order No. 01;


**WHEREFORE**, on motion of Hon. Vicente A. Sandoval, duly seconded, the Council resolves, as it is hereby **RESOLVED** to declare a total area of 5,000 hectares as communal forest zone in the municipality of San Vicente., Palawan;

**RESOLVED FURTHER** that, the necessary issuance be made for its immediate implementation;

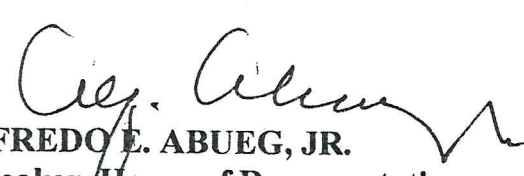
**RESOLVED FINALLY** that, copies of this resolution be furnished to the municipality of San Vicente and other agencies concerned for their information and guidance.

**APPROVED and ADOPTED** this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1999 in Puerto Princesa City.

I hereby certify to the correctness and accuracy of the above-quoted resolution.

  
Atty. JOSELITO C. ALISUAG  
Secretary

Approved:

  
HON. ALFREDO E. ABUEG, JR.  
Deputy Speaker, House of Representatives  
Chairman, PCSD

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