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PALAWAN COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT



Excerpts from the Minutes of the 103rd PCSD Regular Meeting
SEAMEO INNOTECH, Commonwealth Avenue, Quezon City
24 March 2004

Present:

1. Hon. Vicente A. Sandoval - Chairman
Palawan Rep. (1st District), House of Representatives
2. Hon. Mario Joel T. Reyes - Vice Chair
Provincial Governor
Represented by Atty. Noel Aquino
3. Sec. Alfredo E. Abueg, Jr. - Member
Presidential Assistant for MIMAROPA
Office of the President
4. Usec Cesar M. Drilon, DA - Member
5. Usec Renato A. De Rueda, DENR - Member
Represented by Jeremias Dolino
6. DDG Augusto B. Santos, NEDA - Member
7. Winston G. Arzaga, Executive Director, PCSDS - Secretary
8. VADM Ruben G. Domingo - Member
WESCOM Commander
9. Atty. Joselito C. Alisuag, SEMP-NP Rep. - Member
10. Rev. Fr. Armando R. Limsa, NGO Rep. - Member
11. Mr. Angel Antic, Business Sector Rep. - Member

Absent:

1. Hon. Abraham Kahlil B. Mitra - Member
Palawan Rep. (2nd District), House of Representatives
2. Hon. Edward S. Hagedorn - Member
City Mayor, Puerto Princesa
3. Hon. Lucena Demaala - Member
Acting President, League of Municipalities

PCSD RESOLUTION NO. 04-230

“A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO PNP PROVINCIAL COMMAND TO REASSIGN THE POLICEMEN INVOLVED IN ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES IN TAYTAY, PALAWAN TO OTHER AREA AND FOR THE PNP REGIONAL COMMAND TO ORGANIZE A TEAM THAT WILL ASSIST IN IMPLEMENTING R.A. 9072 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL CAVES AND CAVE RESOURCES MANAGEMENT AND PROTECTION ACT”

WHEREAS, in the province of Palawan, the implementation of the National Caves and Cave Resources Management and Protection Act has been delegated to the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development;

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WHEREAS, by virtue of such delegation, and in the pursuit of protecting conserving and managing the caves and cave resources in the province of Palawan, the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development Staff has tapped the cooperation, and in the process involved the local communities in such pursuit;

WHEREAS, the gathering of the edible bird's nest has been an income generating activity of the local community and by this, permits for the gathering of the edible bird's nest has been issued to local association of gatherers;

WHEREAS, in order to attain full implementation of the Caves Act, cooperation and coordination with the local police force is needed. However, in the Municipality of Taytay, Palawan, the Municipal Police force is not in any way cooperative;

WHEREAS, the gatherers have deeply manifested their concern for fear of their lives because some of the local police in the Municipality of Taytay, Palawan has been coercing them;

WHEREAS, there is a need to recommend to the Provincial Command of the PNP-Palawan to reassign the undesirable police officers assigned in the Municipality of Taytay, Palawan;

WHEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, be it **RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to request the Provincial Director of the PNP-Palawan to reassign **PO3 EFREN PALOMO, PO2 ROMEO BAYLOSIS, PO2 EMMANUEL NANGIT and PO2 JOWEL CAY** of the Taytay Municipal Police Station and for the PNP Regional Command to organize a credible team that will assist in the implementation of Republic Act 9072.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of March 2004 in Quezon City.

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


WINSTON G. ARZAGA
Secretary

APPROVED:


VICENTE A. SANDOVAL
Chairman