



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
PALAWAN COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Excerpts from the Minutes of the 47th Council Meeting of the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development held at Grace Restaurant, Puerto Princesa City on 24 January 1997.

Present:

Gov. Salvador P. Socrates	-	Chairman
Cong. Alfredo E. Abueg, Jr.	-	Vice-Chairman
Mr. Arthur R. Ventura	-	Secretary
Cong. Vicente A. Sandoval	-	Member
Hon. Isagani B. Valdellon	-	Member
represented by Mr. Oscar T. Balbastro		
Hon. Delfin J. Ganapin, Jr.	-	Member
represented by Asst. Director Celestino B. Ulep		
Mayor Alberto G. Enriquez, Jr.	-	Member
Hon. William Russell Subrepeña	-	Member
Major Gen. Guillermo R. Ruiz	-	Member
represented by Capt. Jacinto de Vera		
Atty. Joselito Alisuag	-	Member
Mr. Samuel Umandap	-	Member

Absent:

Hon. Rolleo M. Ignacio	-	Member
Mayor Edward S. Hagedorn	-	Member
Kgwd. Elegio F. Quejano	-	Member

RESOLUTION NO. 97-104

RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE REQUEST OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ARACELI, PALAWAN TO THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO APPROVE THE LAND CLASSIFICATION PROJECT FOR ARACELI, PALAWAN

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7611, known as Strategic Environmental Plan (SEP) for Palawan has sustainable development as its general philosophy, which is the improvement in the quality of life of its people in the present and future generation through the use of complementary activities of development and conservation that protect life-support ecosystems and rehabilitate exploited areas to allow generations to sustain development growth;

WHEREAS, Dumaran Island, comprising two (2) municipalities, DUMARAN and ARACELI, is unclassified in status;

WHEREAS, the areas subject to land classification for Araceli are presently occupied and cultivated by farmers;

WHEREAS, the said classification is not covered by the prohibition under section 4 (a) of RA 6657 or the Comprehensive Agrarian Reform Law (CARI) of 1988;

WHEREAS, the endorsement of the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development is the requirement for DENR Secretary's approval for the said land classification project for Araceli, Palawan;

WHEREAS, in the PCSD 47th regular meeting held on January 24, 1997, the Honorable Mayor Danilo Rodriguez of Araceli, Palawan sought the endorsement of the Council for the Department of Environment and Natural Resources to proceed with the processing and approval of the Land Classification Project for the Municipality of Araceli, Palawan;


THEREFORE, on unanimous motion and duly seconded by the Council Members present, the Council:

RESOLVED as it is hereby RESOLVED, that the Council strongly endorse to the Department of Environment and Natural Resources through its Secretary, the approval of the Land Classification Project for the Municipality of Araceli, Palawan;

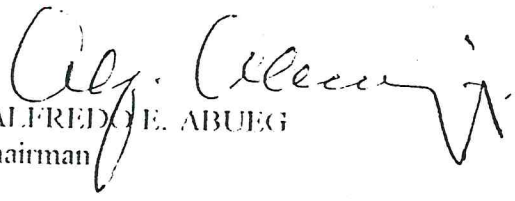
RESOLVED, Finally, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to DENR Secretary, Honorable Victor O. Ramos, Diliman, Quezon City, The Director of Forest Management Bureau, Diliman, Quezon City and His Excellency President Fidel V. Ramos, Malacanang Palace, Manila and Mayor Danilo Rodriguez of Araceli, Palawan for their consideration, information and appropriate action;

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of January 1997 in Puerto Princesa City, Palawan.

Certified True and Correct:


EXEC. DIR. ARTHUR R. VENTURA
Secretary

Approved:


CONG. ALFREDO E. ABUEG
Acting Chairman