

**DENR Administrative Order
No. 2000-32
March 31, 2000**

**SUBJECT : Declaring And Setting Aside
Certain Tracts Of Public Forest
Land For Usufruct Rights In Tree
Farming, Forest Production Area
And Housing Project For DENR
Region 8 Personnel.**

Pursuant to MC No. 99-29 dated September 15, 1999, otherwise known as the guidelines in the implementation of USUFRUCT Right in TREE FARMING within, forestlands where occupation is not allowed, eleven (11) parcels of forestlands within Region 8 containing an aggregate area of 1,588.5 hectares, is hereby declared and set aside for, the purpose. Similarly pursuant to MC 99-09 dated April 13, 1999, otherwise known as the implementing guidelines of the DENR Forest Production Area, five (5) parcels of forestlands containing an aggregate area of 485.67 hectares, more or less, is hereby declared for the purpose subject to private rights, and subject to actual ground verifications. Moreover, 15.64 hectares is set aside for housing project of certain DENR employees of the Region. Portions of above-cited are described hereunder as follows:

I. USUFRUCT RIGHTS IN TREE FARMING

1. PENRO Biliran Employees

Open and denuded areas (Map sheet Nos. R8-001 and R8-002) containing land areas of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY AND ONE HALF HECTARES (130.50 has.) EIGHTY-FIVE HECTARES (85.0 has.) of which, is situated within Brgy. Caucab, Almeria, Biliran (Timberland Project No. 52 per LC Map No. 1119) and FIFTY FIVE AND FIVE HUNDRED SQUARE METERS (55.05 ha.) within Brgy. Cabibihan, Caibiran, Biliran (Timberland Project No. 1119)

geographically located within latitude, 124°24'46.33" and 11°38'5.88", and latitude 124°30'48.18", and longitude 11°35'11.60". respectively.

2. CENRO Basey, Western Samar Employees

Open and denuded areas (Map Sheet Nos. R8-003) containing a land area of TWO HUNDRED HECTARES (200 has.) located within the Loog Watershed Rehabilitation Project in Brgy. Loog, Basey, Western Samar geographically located within latitude 125° 10'00" and longitude 11°21'00".

3. CENRO Dolores, Eastern Samar Employees

Open and denuded area (Map sheet R8-004) containing a land area of THREE HUNDRED FORTY HECTARES (340 has.) situated within Brgy. San Rafael, Taft, Eastern Samar geographically located within latitude 125°18'00" and between longitudes 11°50'00" and 11°49'00".

4. PENRO Eastern Samar and CENRO Borongan Employees

Open and denuded areas containing an area of FIVE HUNDRED HECTARES (500 has.) classified as timberland per LC Map No. 233305 certified September 05,1972. It is located within the Linal-an Watershed area in Brgys. Suhanad San Gabriel, Municipality of Borongan, Province of Eastern Samar, geographically located within latitude 125°24'00" and longitude 11°35'00" (Map sheet No. R8-005).

5. PENRO Southern Leyte Employees

Open and denuded areas containing a land area of SEVENTEEN HECTARES (17 has.) located within Sitio

Mangmang, Salvador, Macrohon, So. Leyte and within latitude of 124°59' 32" and longitude 125° 04' 55"per LC Map No. 3500.

6. PENRO Leyte Employees

Open and denuded area (Map Sheet No. R8-006) containing a land area of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE HECTARES AND NINE THOUSAND SQUARE METERS (125.90 has.) classified as Timberland and geographically situated within the Bgy. Of Palanog, Tacloban City.

7. CENRO Catarman Employees

Open and denuded area containing an area of FIFTY HECTARES (50 has.) located within Brgy. Samoge, Catarman, Northern Samar at latitude 124°39'15" and longitude 12°24'00".

8. CENRO Pambujan, Northern Samar

Open and denuded area containing an area of FIFTY HECTARES (50 has.) located at Brgy. Cagmanaba, Catubig, Northern Samar at longitude 12°02'00" and latitude 125°02'00" per, LC Map No. 1616, Project 12-P. Block 1, certified September 4, 1952.

9. CENRO San Juan, Southern Leyte Employee

Open and denuded area containing FIFTY SIX HECTARES AND SIX THOUSAND SQUARE METERS (56.60 has.) classified as Timberland per LC Map No. 791, Project No. 28 and certified December 1, 1928, Block A and B. It geographically located at Brgy. Ilag, Liloan, Southern Leyte at latitude 10°13'00" and longitude 125°06'23.33".

10. CENRO Maasin, Southern Leyte Employee

Open and denuded area containing TEN HECTARES (10.0 has.) geographically located within Sitio, Danao, Malapoc Norte, Maasin, Southern Leyte at latitude 124°50'00" and longitude 10°10'00" per LC Map 823, Project No. 29, Block F and certified September 6, 1929.

11. CENRO Catbalogan Western Samar Employees

Open and denuded area containing ONE HUNDRED FOUR HECTARES (104.0 has.) geographically located within Brgy. Maguihay, Catbalogan Samar specifically bounded between latitude 124°54'30" and longitude 11°49'30".

II. FOREST PRODUCTION AREA

1. Regional Office/PENRO Leyte/CENRO Tacloban City Employees

Open and denuded area (Map Sheet No. R8-009) containing a land area of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY SEVEN AND ONE HALF HECTARES (177.50 has.) situated at Bgys. Bagacay and San Roque, City of Tacloban, Province of Leyte specifically bounded within. latitude 124°56'43.63" and longitude 11°17'16.21"

2. PENRO Western Samar/CENRO Catbalogan Employees

Open. and denuded areas (Map Sheet No. R8-010) containing, a land area of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY FOUR HECTARES AND FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED SQUARE METERS (234.47 has.) situated within San Jose de Buan, Province of Western Samar,

specifically bounded between latitude 125°02'00" and longitude 12°02'00".

3. PENRO Biliran Employees

Open and denuded area containing TEN HECTARES (10.0 has.) geographically located within Brgy. Caucab, Almeria, Biliran per LC Map No. 1119, Project No. 52 at latitude 124°23'32.33" and longitude 11°39'38.51".

4. PENRO Southern Leyte Employees

Open and denuded area containing FIFTY THREE HECTARES AND SEVEN THOUSAND SQUARE METERS (53.70 has.) geographically located within Brgy. Bahay, Liloan So. Leyte within latitude 125°12'25" north south direction and longitude 10°05' 26" east west direction (Project No. 39-A per LC Map No. 3487).

5. CENRO Pambujan, Northern Samar Employees

Open and denuded TEN HECTARES (10.0 has.) area situated with Brgy. Cagmanaba, Northern Samar at latitude 125° 02' 00" and longitude 12° 22'00" (Proj, No. 12-d, Blk 1).

III. HOUSING PROJECT

1. PENRO Biliran Employees

Two (2) parcels of land (lot 1 and 2) with a total area of TWO HECTARES and NINE THOUSAND SQUARE METERS (2.90 has.) geographically located within So. Mohon Brgy. Cabibihan, Municipality of Caibiran at latitude 124°35'6.18" and longitude 11°35'9.12" (Project 2-B, LC Map No. 1119, certified Oct. 27, 1999 Map Sheet No. R8-008).

2. CENRO Dolores Employees

Open and denuded Timberlands containing a total area of FOUR HECTARES and ONE THOUSAND SQUARE METERS (4.10 has.) geographically located within Brgy. San Rafael, Taft Eastern Samar at latitude 125°16'30" and longitude 11°49'45" per Topographic Map Sheet No. 4054.11 (Map Sheet No. R8-009).

3. CENRO Pambujan Personnel

Open and denuded EIGHT HECTARES AND SIX HUNDRED FORTY SIX SQUARE METERS (8.646 has.) area situated within Brgy. Cababtoan, Catubig, Northern Samar (Block E, Proj. No. 24-A per LC Map No. 2247).

The Community and Environment and Natural Resources Office (CENRO) concerned shall administer and manage the above-cited areas consistent with the objectives of the projects and pertinent applicable technical provisions of MCs No. 99-29 and 99-09, respectively and other standing instruction for the purpose.

Any subsequent rules and guidelines that may be issued shall conform or give effect to this order.

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Secretary