

**PROCLAMATION  
NO. 276**

**DECLARING SELINOG ISLAND SITUATED IN THE CITY  
OF DAPITAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE  
AS PROTECTED AREA AND ITS PERIPHERAL AREAS  
AS BUFFER ZONE PURSUANT TO REPUBLIC ACT NO.  
7586 (NIPAS ACT OF 1992), AND SHALL BE KNOWN AS  
SELINOG ISLAND PROTECTED LANDSCAPE AND  
SEASCAPE**

Upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources, and pursuant to the powers vested upon me by law, **I, JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA**, President of the Philippines, do hereby set aside and declare Selinog Island situated in the City of Dapitan, Province of Zamboanga del Norte as a Protected Area under the category of Protected Landscape and Seascape and its peripheral areas as Buffer Zone, subject to private rights, if any, as described in the DENR NIPAS Map No. RO9-04.

**TECHNICAL DESCRIPTIONS**

The Selinog Protected Landscape and Seascape begins at a point marked "1" on the map which is N 05°00'W at 22,494.886 meters from NAMRIA GPS UTM Station Lover's Rock, Rizal Park, Dapitan City;

Thence N 68°58'E, 1,958.7 meters to corner 2;

Thence S 58°00'E, 2,338.1 meters to corner 3;

Thence S 13°01'W, 2,098.7 meters to corner 4;

Thence S 63°29'W, 1,588.7 meters to corner 5;

Thence N 48°00'W, 1,861.5 meters to corner 6;

Thence N 01°00'E, 1,260.9 meters to corner 7;

Thence N 35°18'W, 960.7 meters to corner 1, the point of beginning containing an area of Nine Hundred Sixty and 265/100 (960.265) Hectares, more or less.

The Buffer Zone of Selinog Protected Landscape and Seascape begins at a point marked "1" which is N 07°21'W at

23,044.493 meters from NAMRIA GPS UTM Station Lover's Rock, Rizal Park, Dapitan City;  
Thence N 69°22'E, 3,173.2 meters to corner 2;  
Thence S 57°28'E, 3,355.0 meters to corner 3;  
Thence S 10°59'W, 3,159.4 meters to corner 4;  
Thence S 68°59'W, 2,677.3 meters to corner 5;  
Thence N 47°58'W, 2,848.4 meters to corner 6;  
Thence N 02°00'E, 1,770.3 meters to corner 7;  
Thence N 30°58'W, 1,249.8 meters to corner 1, the point of beginning containing an area of One Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-Four and 35/100 (1,294.35) Hectares, more or less.

The technical descriptions of Selinog Island Protected Landscape and Seascape and its Buffer Zone shall be subject to actual ground survey.

These areas shall be under the management jurisdiction of the DENR and shall be administered in accordance with the provisions of the NIPAS Act of 1992.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I** have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 23rd day of April, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand.