



THE PUERTO PRINCESA WEST-COAST GEOTAGGED REPORT

Squatting and illegal forest clearing along
the Puerto Princesa-Napsan-Apurawan Road
Municipality of Puerto Princesa
(Palawan) The Philippines

A report by CALG (Coalition against Land Grabbing)
supported by Rainforest Rescue and Forest Peoples Programme (FPP)
in collaboration with NATRIPAL (*Nagkakaisang Tribu ng Palawan*)

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A. INTRODUCTION

On 21 July 2015, the Coalition Against Land Grabbing (CALG) conducted a field reconnaissance along the 'Puerto Princesa South Road Junction-Napsan-Apurawan Road', travelling later to Barangay St. Niño to held consultations with representatives of the local Tagbanua residents. The Tagbanua of this barangay are amongst the legitimate CADT holders of a large area stretching between three barangay: Napsan, Bagong Bayan, and Simpokan. They invited CALG's members to visit their area and to investigate the increasing squatting and opening of forestland by Filipino migrants. The mission was informed by local residents that squatting is being orchestrated and organized by a certain Danny Calilong (originally from the Luzon Cordillera region) who is allegedly the mastermind behind various illegal activities taking place on indigenous ancestral lands without the FPIC of the local Tagbanua communities.

We received further information that Mr. Calilong is trying to convince the 'West Coast Traditional Tribal Council' being led by Masicampo Rosino Bunan Sr. to enter into special agreements with DENR and obtain, therefore, a specific tenurial instrument known as "Socialized Industrial Forest Management Agreement" (SIFMA). A **Socialized Industrial Forest Management Agreement** (SIFMA) is an agreement entered into by and between a natural or juridical person and the DENR (the Philippines' Department of Environment and Natural Resources) wherein the latter grants to the former the right to develop, utilize and manage a small tract of forestland, consistent with the principle of sustainable development. The Socialized Industrial Forest Management Agreement (SIFMA) was launched by virtue of Department Administrative Order (DAO) No. 24, Series of 1996. If such agreement will be entered between indigenous Tagbanua and DENR, the planting of cacao, coffee and other cash crops is likely to take place in these community-managed forestlands.

According to some informants, cacao seedlings have already been planted over 87 hectares of land, which, however, does not fall within the CADT application of the local Tagbanua communities of Bgys Napsan, Bagong Bayan, St. Niño and Simpukan. Members of the local Tagbanua communities, claim that such 87 hectares are, in principle, still part of their ancestral domain but were not included in their CADT application because, in the past, the Bureau of Prison and the Bureau of Correction (BOCOR) made claims to such an area, with the objective of having it declared as an extension of the Iwaig Penal Colony. This area is found between km. 32.6 (boundary of Montible and Bagong Bayan) and km. 36 (which represent one the corners of the CADT of local Tagbanua communities). We received information that after the Second World War, the Bureau of Correction, at that time, took possession of an area of about 700 ha. in Sitio Taguliat/Tuod that, nowadays, falls within the jurisdiction of Barangay Bagong Bayan (see Annex 1). According to oral accounts this area was originally managed by Tagbanua families belonging to four elderly 'leaders' (Quilan, Bayong, Otau and Timong) who are amongst the ancestors of present Tagbanua residents.

According to a cooperative member, Mr. Calilong would like to obtain legitimate rights over 300 hectares out of the total 714.09 hectares, while indigenous peoples would be allowed to manage communally the remaining 400 hectares and to develop these with cash crops. However, this proposal was not well accepted by the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), which argued that the whole area should be managed,

instead, by the traditional indigenous residents. In addition to this, several indigenous families which have been invited by Calilong to join the 'cooperative' and to occupy portions of the contested location, are not resident of the area but come from neighbouring barangay such as Labtay. The key contention here is that the majority of the indigenous people of Barangay Bagong Bayan, Napsan, and Simpokan are against the decisions of West Coast Tribal leader 'masicampo' Rosino Bunan, since they claim that such decisions are being taken in private deals between him and Colilong, without consulting the concerned Tagbanua residents. This, at the moment, represents a major source of conflict. In short, community members complain that Tagbanua leaders (Masicampo Rosino Bunan Sr. and Maradja Sardin Gurian) are abusing their power and authority thus bypassing the necessary FPIC processes that should involve, all indigenous people living in the area (see annex 2).

It would appear that the Community Environment and Natural Resources Office (CENRO) has already requested Mr. Calilong and his collaborators to vacate the contested area. The CALG mission travelled through the impacted forestland and took geotagging photographs and GPS coordinates of some of the locations being targeted by squatters. In a photographic context, *geotagging* is the process of associating photos with specific geographic locations using GPS coordinates.

The mission was guided into the area by members of the local Tagbanua indigenous association named (*Samahan ng mga Katutubong Tagbanua sa Sto. Niño Napsan - SAMAKANA*) which is an affiliated member of NATRIPAL (Nagkakaisang Tribu ng Palawan), the largest province-wide indigenous federation. The forest being affected is primarily used by the local indigenous communities for the collection of NTFPs (mainly rattan), medicinal plants and as their customary hunting ground. The local indigenous inhabitants complain that illegal settlers, being organized by Danny Calilong, began entering their ancestral domain around 2014 and, since then, more and more wooden houses have been built along the road connecting Puerto Princesa City to Napsan/Apurawan, while significant forest under-brush clearing and tree cutting has taken place also in deep forest. So far, this has led to the removal of portions of natural vegetation, to the destruction of rattan stands and to the cutting of valuable timber species.

We found evidences of forest areas being demarcated and planted with permanent trees and received information that, in addition to coffee, cacao and other crops, Mr. Calilong would like to pilot the cultivation/domestication of agarwood tree producing species. Agarwood is a dark resinous heartwood that forms in *Aquilaria* and *Gyrinops* trees (large evergreens native to southeast Asia) when they become infected with a type of mould. The resin embedded wood is valued for its distinctive fragrance, has a high monetary value and it is used for incense and perfumes.

Direct responsibility of Mr. Danny Calilong in the organization of forest clearings was confirmed to us by some new settlers who received direct support and protection from him. We have also been informed that Mr. Calilong has created a cooperative (not yet registered), which is composed by both indigenous and non-indigenous members. It would appear that indigenous members contribute to the welfare of the 'cooperative' by providing land (e.g. by agreeing that portions of their ancestral domain would be used for cash-crops) while non-indigenous members contribute with a one-off contribution of 1,500 pesos and a monthly fee to sustain the planting. For each hectare planted with cash crops, indigenous cooperative members will receive a reward consisting of one pig and an

amount of fodder sufficient to feed the animal for three consecutive months. In suitable areas, fishponds would also be developed. Generally, we were told, that out of a two hectares of land, half should be planted with cacao and the other half with coffee.

The plotting of our GPS data on Google Earth Map has revealed that there are other neighbouring areas, which we did not actually visit, that have also been subject to massive forest clearing, which took place, most probably, during previous years. These clearings, however, do not appear to be connected with the squatting activities being orchestrated by Calilong.

Overall, our GPS data overlaid on Google Earth map has clearly shown that the area of on-going squatting expansion is covered by good standing forest. Thus, Mr. Calilong and his group of squatters should be held responsible for the on going plundering of natural forest. It must be pointed out that Google Satellite Maps, which are publically available on internet, are not updated; as a result some of the new forest clearings of which we took both pictures and GPS coordinates are not identifiable on Google Earth, but appear as still covered with primary vegetation. Also the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan road, shown on Google Earth, still appears as a non-asphalted road while, currently, most of it has already been asphalted and construction is on-going.

Systematic squatting, forest under-brush clearing and tree cutting by Mr. Calilong is taking place without the Free and Prior Informed Consent (FPIC) of the local indigenous communities, and thus in violation of NCIP Administrative Order no.3 of series of 2012 and in contradictions with other key articles stated in the Indigenous Peoples Rights Act (R.A. 8371) such as the: 1) *Rights of Ownership* (Chapter III, Sec. 7, item a); 2) *Rights to Religious, Cultural Sites and Ceremonies* (Chapter VI, Section 33); 3) *Right to Develop Lands and Natural Resources*. (Chapter III, Sec. 7, item b); 4) the *Rights to Ancestral Lands* (Chapter III, Sec. 8); 5) *the Right to Determine and Decide Priorities for Development* (Chap. IV, Sec. 17), etc;

Mr. Calilong's activities have bluntly violated DENR EO 23. Criminal charges should be then filed against him also for gross violation of section 68 and section 69 of Presidential Decree (PD) 705.

This draft report only includes a synthesis of the CALG mission's key findings and has been prepared mainly to request CENRO and other concerned government agencies to take immediate actions and to carry out, with haste, ocular inspection of the above-mentioned locations.

November 2015 updates

In response to CALG/NATRIPAL/KOMPRES letter dated Sep. 01, 2015, the Human Rights Commission of the Philippines made an inquiry to CENRO, recommending it to take proper action in relation to land grabbing incidents in Bgy. Napsan and Bgy. Bagongbayan (see annexes 3a and 3b). On October 2015, the traditional Tagbanua leaders from Bgy. Napsan and Bagong Bayan also wrote a letter to PENRO (see annex 3c) and CENRO (see annex 3d).

It was then agreed that an inter agency field investigation would be conducted in the area being subject to squatting and that CENRO staff would have submitted a written report on

the said investigation.

On 17 November, the City Government anti squatting team implemented a demolition order in the location known as Pulang Lupa. However, the indigenous traditional users of the area, have complained that only few of the squatters' structures had been demolished while others, such as those belonging to Calilong, and some of his close collaborators, were spared from demolition.

On 26 November, CENRO staff conducted a field investigation also in another portion of the ancestral domain of the local Tagbanua communities being encroached by the farm lot of an American citizen (Mr. Williams). The investigation team was composed of 5 staff from CENRO and 1 from PCSD and 16 members of the IP community members from Napsan and Bagong Bayan. Interestingly enough, after being questioned by CENRO officials, Mr. Williams gave a puzzling statement according to which he had occupied the said area for the purpose of preserving it from the destructive activities being carried out by the indigenous peoples themselves.

Soon a meeting will be called by CENRO to be attended by all individuals whose land has been illegally encroached and to facilitate dialogue amongst all involved stakeholders.

GEOTAGGING EVIDENCES OF SQUATTING AND VEGETATION CLEARING IN FOREST LAND



The red spots in the middle of the map indicate the area targeted by the CALG mission in Puerto Princesa West-Coast.



The CALG mission itinerary from main road to the forest clearings and squatting areas



A close-up of CALG mission itinerary



A particular of forest clearing sites being opened by squatters along the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan road

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Tagbanua members of the CALG team along the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road

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A monument placed along the edges of the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road and being positioned at one corner of the area being subject to clearing and squatting

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An illegal squatting site being identified by the CALG mission

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Squatting site in the forest along the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road

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Illegal squatting on primary forest along the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road (photo above and below)

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Illegal tree cutting and forest clearing by the group allegedly being organized by Mr. Danny Calilong (photo below)

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Plastic bag marking the planting of coffee and other seedlings of domestic species in under-brush cleared forest. This is one of the strategies being used by Mr. Calilong's group to make claims over the ancestral domain of the local Tagbanua communities

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Comments: Members of the local Tagbanua tribes patrolling their ancestral domain

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Members of the local Tagbanua communities patrolling their ancestral domain now crossed by the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road

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Squatting on forest land along the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan road (photo above up to pag. 20)

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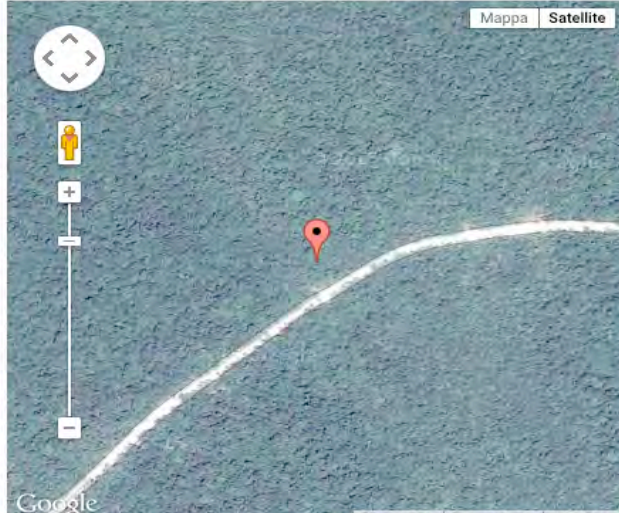
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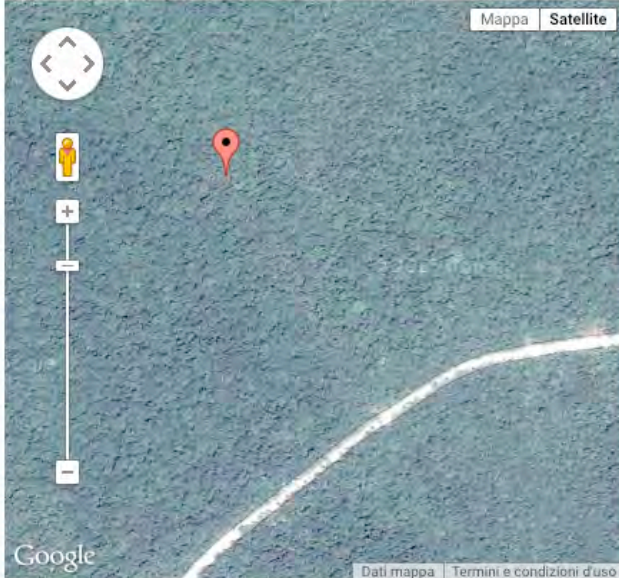
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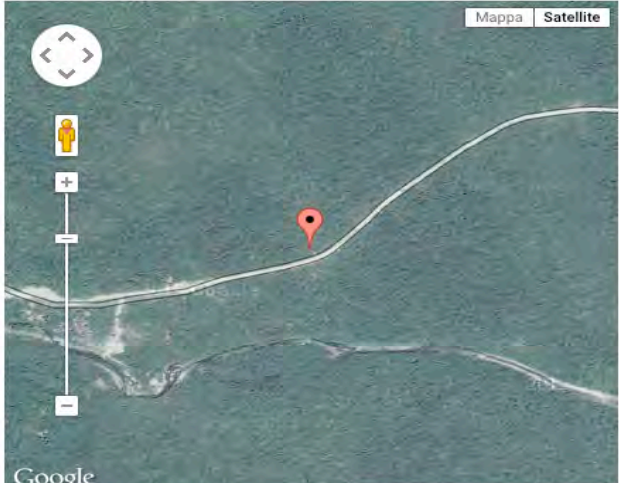
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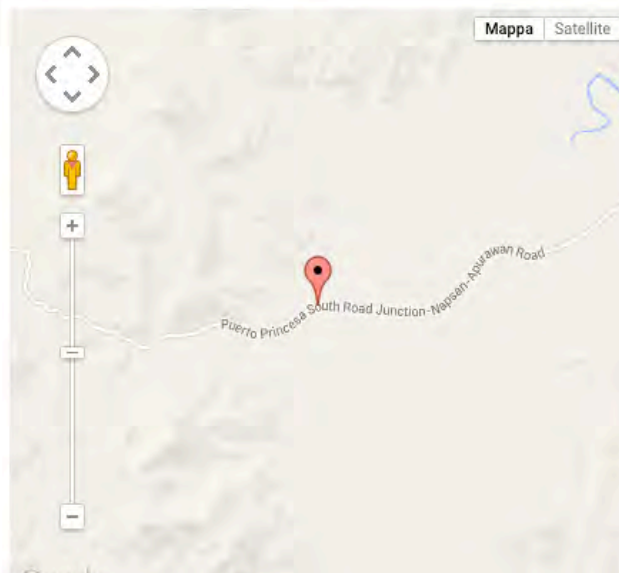
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Country

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Comments

The forest along the PP-Napsan/Apurawan road is becoming the target of colonisation and squatting by migrants.



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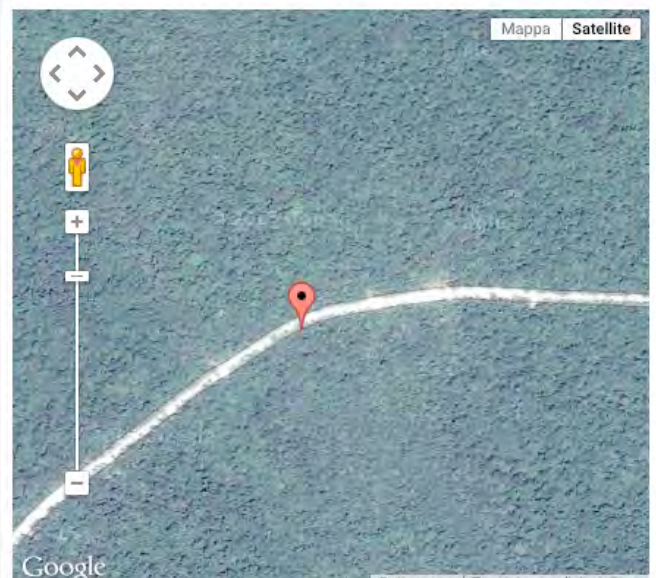
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Migrants illegally settling into the Tagbanua ancestral domain along the PP-Napsan/Apurawan Road.



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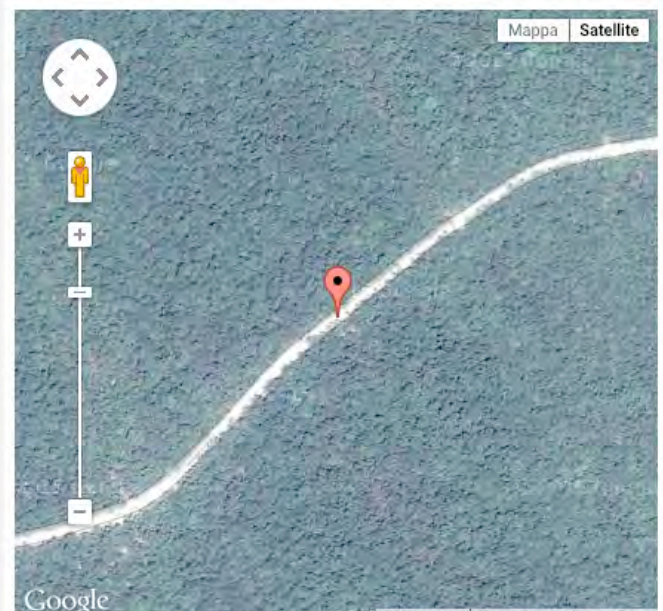
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Description

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Comments

House under construction by migrants into Tagbanua ancestral land/domain

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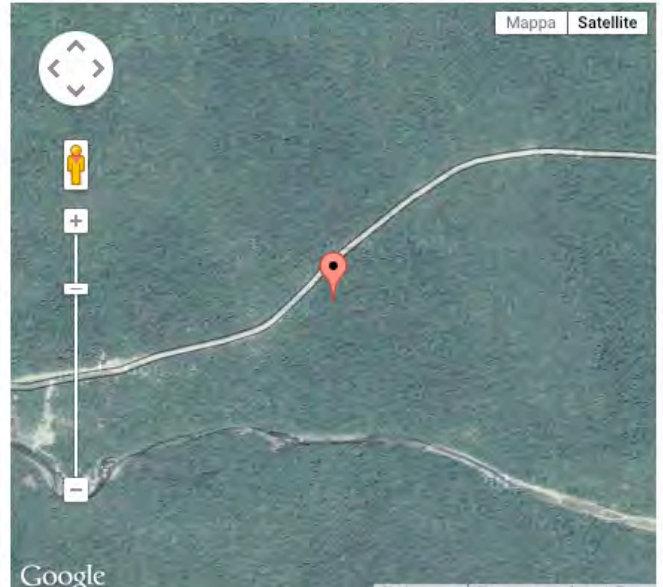
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Description

Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments

Evidence of migrants' squatting into the ancestral domain of the local Tagbanua tribes.

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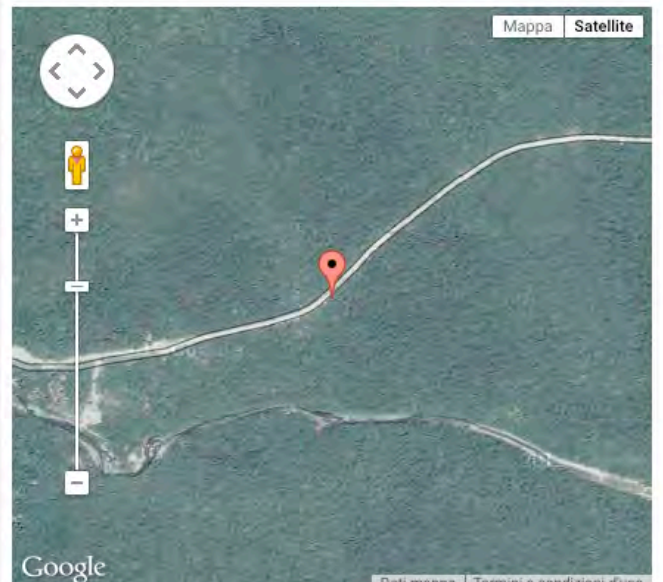
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Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines
Comments: Evidence of squatting within forest. Initial construction of a house made of wooden material

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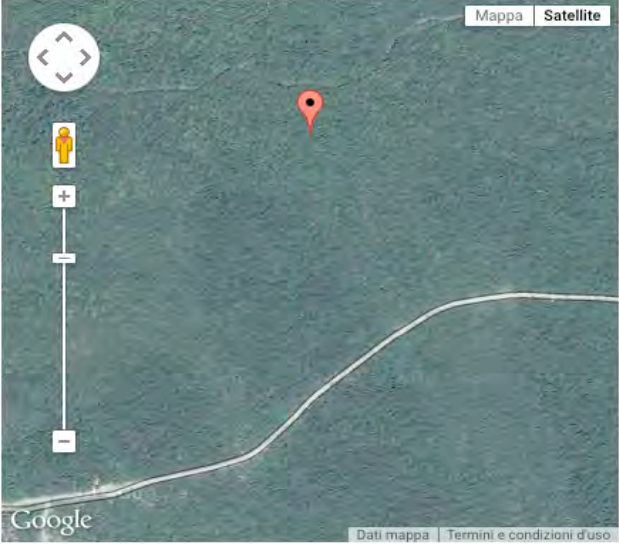
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Cutting of trees and under-brush clearing on the forest bordering the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road (photo below up to page 23)

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Province/State: Province of Palawan

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Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments: Deep under-brush clearing by migrants in virgin forest which is part of the ancestral domain of the local Tagbanua tribes.

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City: Puerto Princesa

Province/State: Province of Palawan

Country: Philippines

Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments: Illegal deep under-brush clearing not far from the national PPC-Napsan road. This area lays within the ancestral domain of the local Tagbanua tribes.

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City: Puerto Princesa

Province/State: Province of Palawan

Country: Philippines

Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments: Forest deep under-brush clearing along the road connecting PPC to Napsan

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Province/State: Province of Palawan

Country: Philippines

Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments: Under-brush forest clearing in Tagbanua ancestral domain along the PP-Napsan/Apurawan Road

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Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments: Under-brush clearing in tagbanua ancestral domain along the road connecting PPC with Napsan/ Apurawan

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City: Puerto Princesa

Province/State: Province of Palawan

Country: Philippines

Description: Puerto Princesa, Province of Palawan, Philippines

Comments: Cement monument located at the beginning of an area along the Puerto-Napsan Road, being subject to under-brush clearing.

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Cement monument located at one of the corners of the area being subject to intense under-brush clearing and tree cutting.

SATELLITE EVIDENCE OF EXTENSIVE FOREST CLEARINGS

(These areas were not visited during the CALG mission but were detected on Google Earth. Additional documentation is needed to understand the status and purposes of such clearings)

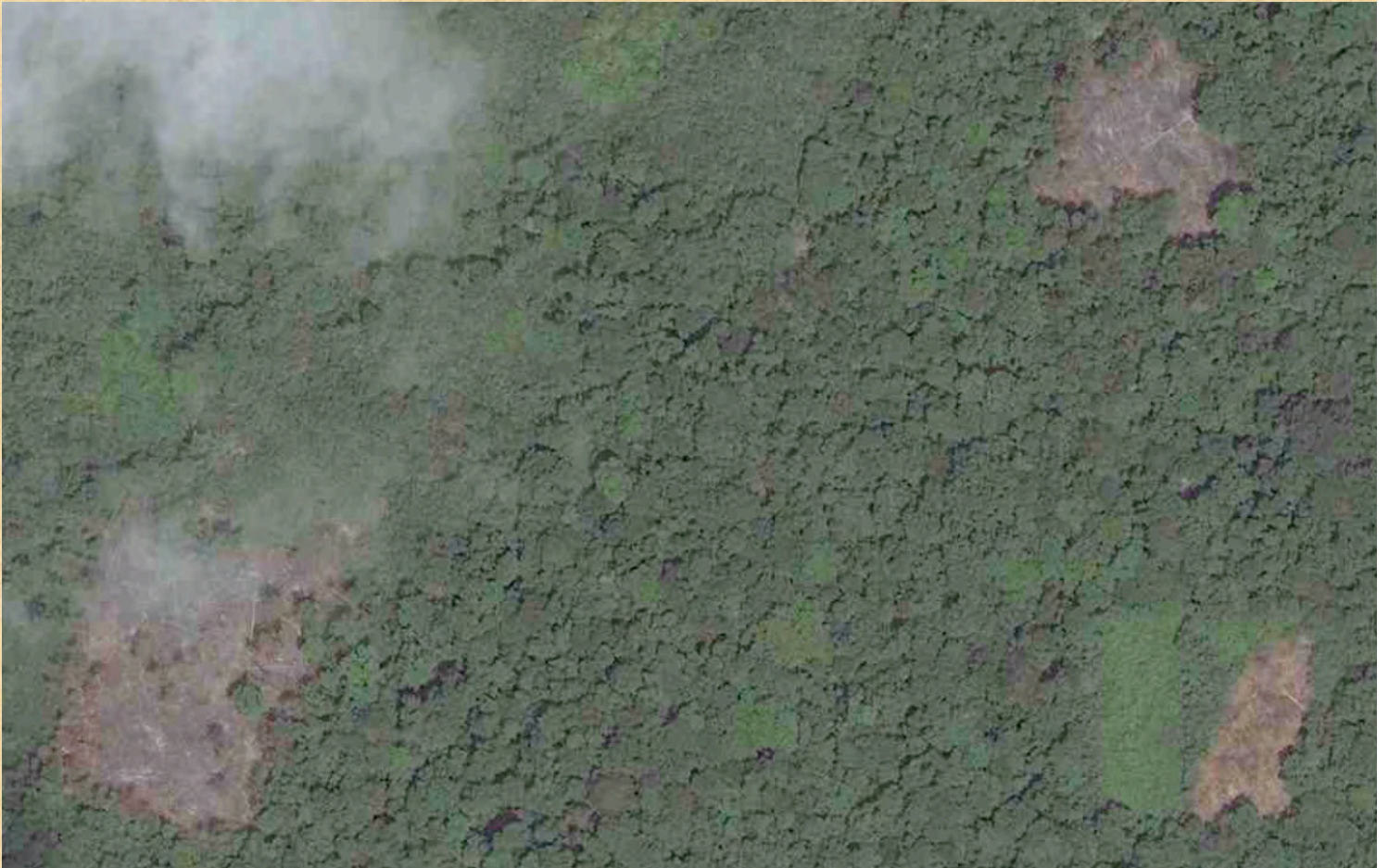


Large clearings on the opposite sites of the forest bordering the PPC-Napsan-Apurawan Road (photo above and below)



Close-up view of selected forest clearings, photo above up to page 26





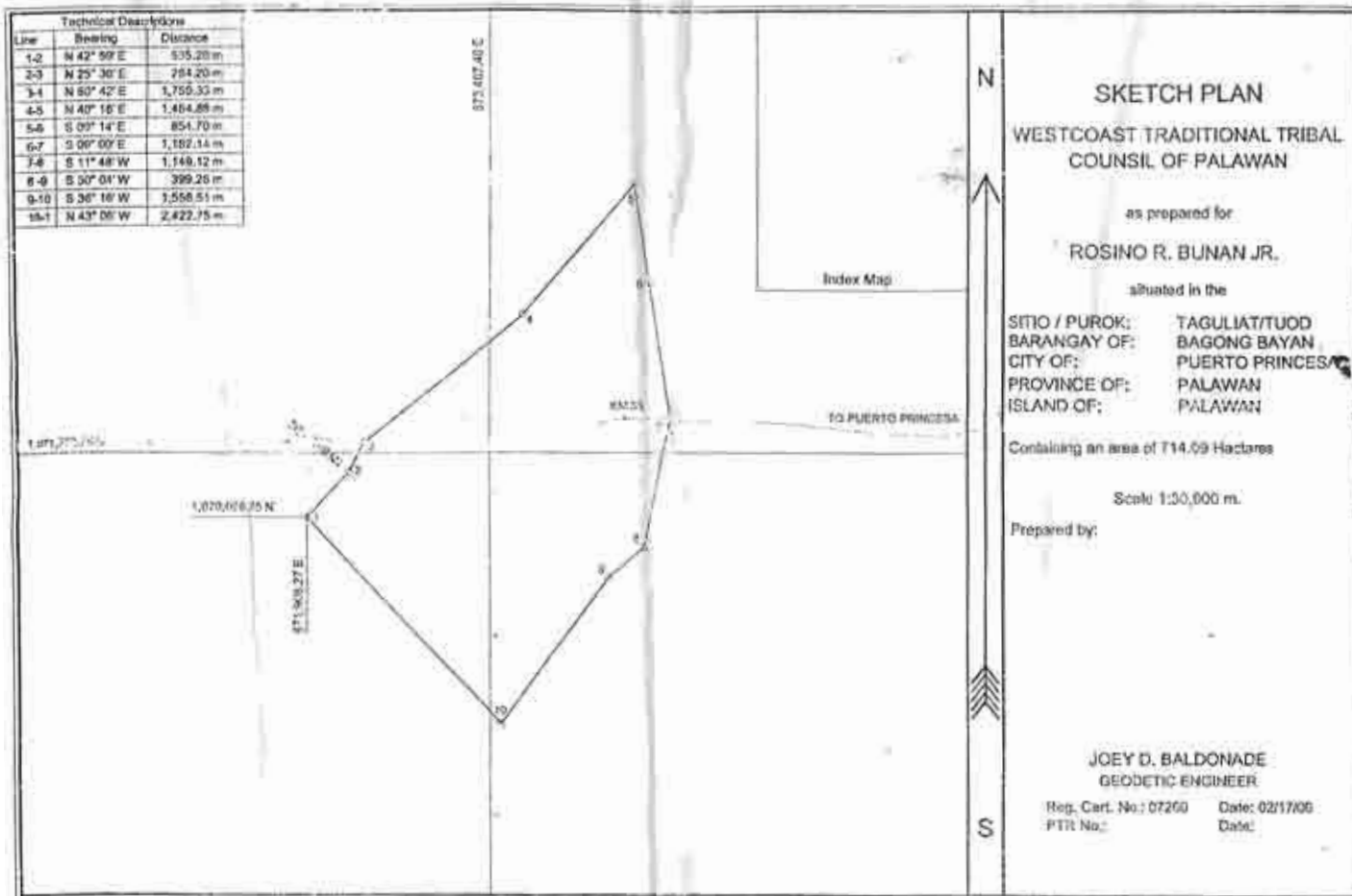


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ANNEX 1



West coast traditional forest guards
 WITF INC
 68 Paltan, Cal. Medina, Quezon, Palawan
 20 November 2015
 To Maradya EFFRANIO L. MARABO

Attention: Rogelio Atina
 Community chairman

Kapayapaan:

Ang liham na ito ay paghain ng ating formal na reklamo mula mamahingo Roseno Bunan at Maradya sardin Gurian, at chieftain Sapdul Guinto, dahil sa pagkubriday ng mga certification na nagiging isang paglayan sa pagbenta ng mga lupaing ninuno na talwas sa batas IPRA at nagiging sanhi ng pag-wasak ng ating kultura at tradisyon, at sa pag-pasok ng mga dayuhan sa ating lupaing ninuno. Ito rin ay nagiging ugat ng pagkakatatak-watak ng ating lahi at ang malungkot ay nawawala na ang kasiguruhan ng kinabukasan na dapat ay maangkin at malasap ng ating salinlahing Tagbanua.

na is din naming ipabatid na sila masicampo Roseno Bunan at Maradya sardin Gurian at chieftain Sapdul Guinto ay walang anumang kapangyarihan na manghimasok sa pagpapasya sa loob ng nasasakupan ng ating lupaing ninuno sa Parangay Napsan, Simpucan at Bagong Bayan, lungsod ng Puerto Princessa. Kalakip ng pagpapabatid na ito ang mag-sampa ng kaso sa nararapat na mga ahensiya

Name	Tungkulin	Logda
Melvina B. Sublimente	BDD	
Rosita J. Segonca	BDD	
Angela D. Sublimente	BDD Samarana	
Adelaida V. Relafado	mancha samarana	
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Abegeal Dalendeg	Mancha	
Sucinda D. Dalendeg	"	
Rubian E. Dalendeg	BDD Samarana	
Dennis E. Dalendeg	mancha	
Rogelio Espuel	"	
Julisann R. Toru	"	
William L. Toru	"	
Candina S. Gulondog		
Willy I. Gulondog		
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Mark M. Salvo Sr.		
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September 01, 2015

HON. LEILA DE LIMA
Secretary
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Chairman
Philippine Commission on Human Rights
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Sirs/Madam:

We would like to endorse to your good offices this urgent request of the IP Leaders of Barangays Bagong Bayan and Napsan of Puerto Princesa City to conduct a mission with regards to various alleged abuses and land grabbing committed by different individuals whom some of them are government employees and officials.

We are afraid that a bloody confrontation would happen soon if no concrete actions are initiated.

We look forward to your response. More power.

Very truly yours,

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President, NATRIPAL
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Nov. 6, 2015



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Environment and Natural Resources Office
COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE
Barangay Santa Monica, Puerto Princesa City

ANNEX 3b

October 29, 2015

MS. MARIVIC QUINTO-BERO

Secretary General
Coalition Against Land Grabbing (CALG)
c/o Awat Law Office, 2nd floor Basaya Bldg., Junction 1
Barangay San Miguel, Puerto Princesa City

Dear Ms. Bero,

This office received a letter from Atty. Jaqueline Ann C. De Guia, Officer-In-Charge of the Commission on Human Rights of the Philippines Regional Office No. IV concerning the letter you wrote dated September 1, 2015 about various alleged abuses and land grabbing committed by different individuals in Barangays Bagong Bayan and Napsan, this City.

In order to establish appropriate actions regarding the said issues it is prudent to hold an initial conference. In this regard, we would like to request you to coordinate with this office and schedule a meeting together with Mr. Roy D. Bero, KOMPRE Convenor and Mr. Johnmart M. Salunday, NATRIPAL President to discuss the details of the concerns of the IP leaders and assist us in resolving the issue.

Thank you and anticipating your prompt response on the matter.

Very truly yours,

For and in the absence of the CENRO



Leonard T. Caluya
LEONARD T. CALUYA

Development Management Officer IV
(Officer In-Charge)

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ANNEX 3c

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
Katutubong Pamayan ng Tagbanua
Barangay Napsan at Barangay Bagong Bayan
Lungsod ng Puerto Princesa

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G. JUAN DELA CRUZ

PENRO

Bgy. Sta. Monica, Lungsod ng Puerto Princesa

Sa iyo PENRO Dela Cruz,

Ang sulat na ito ay pagpaparating ng aming pormal na reklamo sa inyong tanggapan sa pamamagitan ng sama-samang salaysay na aming nilagdaan para sa inyong kaalaman at agarang pagtugon sa patuloy na pagsira sa aming kagubatan sa aming LupaingNinuno sa barangay Napsan at Bagong Bayan, Lungsodng Puerto Princesa City.

Umaasa kami ng kaukulang aksyon at pagtugon mula sa inyong tanggapan.

Lubos na gumagalang,

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RODOLFO D. BULAGIS
NCIP ID. No. 0474
ISAGANI E. DALENDEG

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CONRDO S. DALENDEG
NCIP ID. No. 0473

Binigyan ng sipi:

Commissioner Alicia Dela Rosa-Bala
Civil Service Commission
CSC Building, Constitutional Hills, Batasan Complex
Diliman 119, Quezon City

Atty. Gerard A. Mosquera
Environmental Ombudsman
Deputy Ombudsman for Luzon

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SALVADOR E. DULCE
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FLORENCIO G. ESRAEL
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ARTHUR Z. VIGONTE
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GENER D. SUBLEMENTE
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PINAGSAMANG SINUMPAANG SALAYSAY

Kami, RODOLFO D. BULAGIS, SALVADOR E. DULCE, FLORENCIO G. ESRAEL, ISAGANI E. DALENDEG, JACINTO E. TORCE, ARTHUR Z. VIGONTE, CONRADO S. DALENDEG, MARLON L. TANGOD, at GENER D. SUBLEMENTE, nasa wastong gulang, mga tradisyunal na lider ng katutubong pamayanan ng Tagbanua sa Barangay Bagong Bayan at Barangay Napsan, Lungsod ng Puerto Princesa, ay malayang nagpapahayag ng mga sumusunod:

Na, ang katutubong pamayanan ng Tagbanua sa Barangay Napsan, Barangay Bagong Bayan at Barangay Simpucan, Lungsod ng Puerto Princesa, mula sa abot ng aming alaala ay siyang lihitimong nagmamay-ari ng Lupaing Ninuno na may sukat na 49,385.4885 ektarya. Bilang patunay noong Setyembre 25, 2013 ang National Commission on Indigenous People's En Banc ay nagpalabas ng resolusyon na may bilang 158-2013-AD na inaprobahan ang aplikasyon sa CADT ng aming pamayanan (tingnan ang kalakip na kopya ng resolusyon);

Na, ang lupaing ninuno at ang aming pamumuhay ay nahaharap sa malaking banta dahil sa sapililitang pagpasok at panghihimasok ng mga sumusunod:

Noong unang linggo ng Abril, 2015 ay kinausap kami nina Masikampo Roseno Bunan at Maradya Sardin Gurian, kaugnay sa okupasyon ni Daniel Calilung sa malaking bahagi ng aming lupaing ninuno na matatagpuan sa Tagkelyat (pulang lupa) na may lawak na humigit kumulang 500 ektrya ng walang pahintulot mula sa myembro ng aming katutubong pamayanan;

Na, pinakiusapan kami ni Masikampo Roseno Bunan at Maradya Sardin Gurian na mag apply kami ng SIFMA sa nabanggit na lupa at itatalagang Project Manager si Calilung. Dahil kami ay may pagdududa sa tunay na layunin nina Calilung, Masikampo Bunan at Maradya Sardin, iminungkahi naming mga lider na magkaroon ng "Memorandum of Agreement" sa pagitan ni Ginoong Calilung at ng katutubong pamayanan. Iminungkahi rin namin na dapat ay isama ang Tanggapan ng NCIP sa proseso upang matiyak na ang magiging kasunduan ay malinaw at ayon sa Batas IPRA at sa gayon ay maprotektahan ang karapatan at kapakanan naming mga katutubo;

Ang pag-uusap na ito sa pagitan naming mga Katutubo ng tatlong barangay at sa grupo nina Calilung, Masikampo Bunan at Maradya Sardin ay hindi na nasundan dahil gusto nilang madaliin ang proseso;

Na, nagulat nalang kaming mga tradisyunal na lider nang malaman namin na itinuloy nila Calilung, Masikampo Bunan at Maradya Sardin ang aplikasyon sa DENR sa pamamagitan ng FLAGT at ipinangalan sa anak ni Masikampo Bunan na si Roseno Bunan, Jr. at patuloy ang ginagawa nilang paglilinis, pagputol ng mga puno at pagbebenta ng lupa sa loob ng Tagkelyat na labag sa mga batas pangkalikasan at sa batas IPRA, at isang panghihimasok sa aming Lupaing Ninuno sa bahagi ng pulang lupa (tingnan ang kalakip na larawan);

Na, kaming mga tradisyonal lider at mga miyembro ng aming katutubong pamayanan ay walang nilagdaan na anumang dokumento na nagbibigay ng pagsang-ayon o pahintulot sa mga gawain sa Tagkelyat at mariin naming tinututulan ang matinding kasiraan sa aming gubat at mga sagradong lugar sa loob ng aming Lupaing Ninuno (Pulang Lupa) na ginaqawa nila Calilung, Bunan, Sardin at mga kasabwat nito:

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Na, dahil sa pananatili at pagmamatigas ni Calilung at ng kanyang mga tauhan at sa pakikipagsabwatan ni Masikampo Bunan at Maradya Sardin ay hindi na kami pinapahintulutan na makapasok sa nasabing erya upang manguha ng bagtik, rattan at iba pang produktong gubat na siyang pangunahing pinagkukunan naming mga katutubo ng aming kabuhayan;

Na, ang ginagawa sa Tagkelyat (Pulang Lupa) ay matinding pagsira sa aming kagubatan dahil ang pagpuputol ng mga puno at paglilinis ng kagubatan ay sa tabing kalsada lamang at lantad na lantad kaya nagtataka kami tila may pagpapabaya sa pagpapatupad ng batas at tila may pagpahintulot sa nasabing grupo nila Calilung, na ayun sa kanyang kwento sa ilan naming mga kasama ay mga opisyal din ng CENRO at mga opisyal ng ibang ahensya ng pamahalaan;

Na, kabilang din sa kinakaharap naming suliranin ay ang pagpasok ng mga tauhan ng Bantay Gubat sa panguguna ni Renato Estrada kasama ang kawani ng CENRO na si Jesus Villados sa bahagi ng aming Lupaing Ninuno na itinuturing naming mga katutubo na sagradong lugar at ito ay matatagpuan sa Lebeng na siyang 'Libingan' ng aming mga ninuno na sakop ng Barangay Napsan;

Na, ang mga kawani ng Bantay Gubat sa pangununa ni Renato Estrada at kawani ng CENRO na si Jesus Villados ay walang pagrespeto sa karapatan naming mga katutubo, ang presensiya sa aming pamayanan ng mga nabanggit na kawani ng ating pamahalaan ay nagdudulot ng pangamba sa aming buhay at pamumuhay, tulad nalang nang pamamaril kay Salvador E. Dulce ni Rolando Abonillo, kawani ng Bantay Gubat noong Agosto 29, 2015 sa Lebeng, Barangay Napsan at hindi man lang pinakinggan ng kawani ng Bantay Gubat ang kanyang paliwanag bagkos ay pinagbantaan pa ang kanyang buhay;

Na, nasasangkot din sina Renato Estrada at Jesus Villados at ng kanilang grupo sa malawakang panghihimasok ,pagpapalilinis, pagpapabakod at pagtanim ng palm oil at niyog sa bahagi ng aming lupaing ninuno ng walang pahintulot mula sa miyembro ng aming katutubong pamayanan;

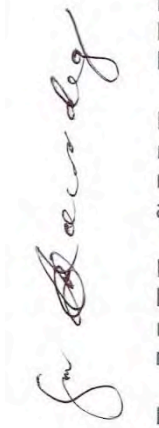
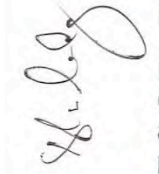
Na, isa pa kinakaharap namin na suliranin ay ang sapilitang pagpasok at pag okupa sa loob ng aming lupaing ninuno ni James Williams sa humigit kumulang 244 ektarya na matatagpuan sa Tagkilala River/Banong Bridge, Barangay Bagong Bayan, bahagi ng nabanggit ay nalinisan at nabakuran na;

Na, si James Williams ay isang banyaga at sa aming pagkakaalam sa umiiral na batas sa ating bansa ay walang karapatan ang isang banyaga na mag may-ari ng isang lupain at ayon din sa ating Batas sa Agrarian ay hindi maaring-magmay-ari ang isang indibidwal ng higit sa 5 ektarya;

Na, si Rico Fernandez ay sapilitan din pinasok ang bahagi ng aming lupaing ninuno na matatagpuan sa Salakot, Barangay Bagong Bayan at may lawak na 24 ektarya,sa kasalukuyan ang kanyang nalinisan na ay humigit kumulang 3 ektarya at may mga malalaking puno rin itinumba dahil sa paglilinis;

Na, si Gil Atienza ay patuloy din ang ginagawang paglilinis sa bahagi ng aming lupaing ninuno sa Lebeng, Barangay Napsan, sa kasalukuyan ay may humigit isang ektarya na ang kanyang nalilinis at pagsusunog ng mga damo at puno na kanilang itinumba;

Na, lubos kaming nangangamba na kung magpapatuloy ang panghihimasok sa aming lupaing ninuno ng wala kaming pahintulot ay baka dumating ang panahon na kaming mga katutubo at ang mga susunod naming henerasyon ay wala ng mapapakinabangan



Na, ikinalulungkot din namin ang paggamit sa kapwa namin katutubo na mula sa karatig na barangay (Bubusawin) sa paglilinis, pagputol ng mga puno at pagpasok sa aming lupaing ninuno;

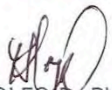
Na, sa maraming pagkakataon kapag may nangyayaring pagkasira sa kagubatan ang palagiang isinisasi sa aming mga katutubo at madalas kami ang pinapanagot, subalit kapag ang sangkot ay kilalang tao o may sinasabi sa buhay ay hinahayaan na lamang;

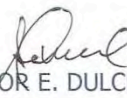
Kaming mga katutubo ay mahigit daang taon ng naninirahan sa mataas na bahagi ng Lungsod ng Puerto Princesa, at kung wala kaming sapat o malalim na kaalaman sa sustenableng pamamahala ng aming lupaing ninuno at lahat ng likas yaman na nakapaloob dito, lahat sana ng kabundukan ay kalbo na at hindi na naabutan pa;


Na hinihiling namin sa inyong tanggapan ang isang masusing pag-imbetiga, pagtanggap ng mga nakatayong istruktura, pagpapatupad ng mga batas sa Kalikasan, at pagsampa ng kaukulang kaso sa lahat ng nasasangkot sa lalong madaling panahon;

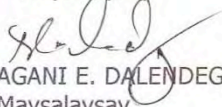
Na, malaya at kusang loob naming isinagawa ang salaysay na ito upang patotohanan ang lahat ng aming nabanggit sa itaas.


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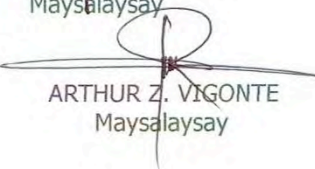

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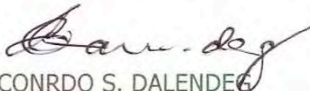

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Maysalaysay



FLORENCIO G. ESRAEL
Maysalaysay



ISAGANI E. DALENDEG
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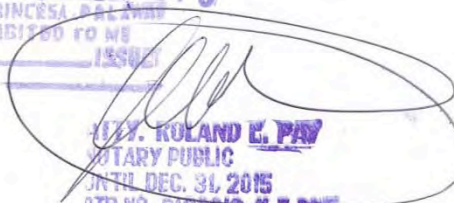

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GNG. EMER D. GARAEZ
CENRO
Puerto Princessa City

Sa inyo Ang. Garaez,

Kapayapaan!

Ang liham na ito ay pagpapabatid sa tanggapan ng CENRO, Puerto Princessa na walang anumang uri ng aplikasyon, SIFMA man o FLAGT ang kinibigyan nanin ng pahintulot sa loob ng aming lupaing Ninuno na sakop ng mga katutubong, Tagbansa ng mga Barangay ng Napsan, Simpucan at Bagong Bayan sa West Coast ng Lungod ng Puerto Princessa.

Para na rin sa inyong kaalaman, si Markampo Rosero L. Bunan, at Maradya Sardin Purian at Popdul Quinto ay walang anumang kapangyarihan sa pagpapasya sa loob ng aming lupaing ninuno. Ang anumang uri ng certification mula sa kanila ay walang kalage lulu na kung, ito ay hindi dumaman sa pag-uusap ng mga lokal na lider at miyembro ng katutubong Pamayanan ng Tagbansa ng mga Barangay ng Napsan, Simpucan at Bagong bayan.

Nais rin naming ipabatid sa inyo na tinatanggelan na namin nang kapangyarihan si Chieftain Popdul Quinto na i-represente ang aming mga lokal na samahan sa anumang transaksyon kangnay sa aming lupaing ninuno.

Na ang anumang pasya ng inyong tanggapan taliver sa pagpapabatid na ito at walang malaking pagang-ayon


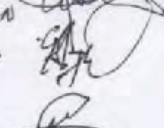
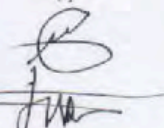
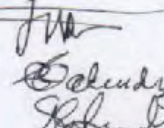
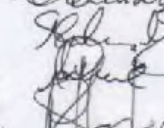
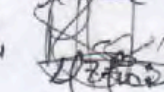
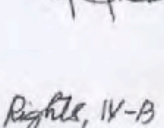
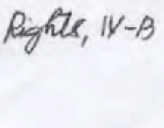


ng mga pamayanan at lider ng kasasakupan ng tatlong
Barangay ng West Coast Lungsod ng Puerto Princessa at
salungat sa mga prinsipyo ng batas ng Pilipinas ay hindi
namin kilalanin.

Kaugnay nito, hinikiling namin na mabigyan kami ng kaba-
uhang ulat ng imbestigasyon na isinagawa ng inyong tangga-
pan sa reklamo ng pangangamkam sa arming. Lupaing humuno
at sa pagisa sa kagubatan. Inasahan namin na mabibigyan
kami ng kopya ng ulat bago matapos ang tarag 2015.

Umasa kami ng inyong pakikiusap at pagtugon sa pagpa-
pabatid na ito.

Maraning Salamat sa.

Sumagalang,

PANGALAN	TUNGKULIN	PAMAYANAN	LAGDA
1. ARTHUR S. VIGONTE,	Agwasi	STO. NIÑO NAPSAN	
2. FLORENCIO ESRAEL	BANDICAN	STO. NIÑO NAPSAN	
3. Rodolfo D. Pulogin	SATYA	Bay. Bayang Bayan	
4. Victor I. TORCE	Pangandalan	Bay. Napsan	
5. JACINTO TORCE	Sabandan	Bay. Napsan	
6. Conrado S Dalendag	Parakasa	Bay. B. Bayan	
7. Rogmni E. Dalendag	Pang-lima	Bay. Napsan	
8. Salvador E. Dula	Orangkaya	Bay. Dagong Bayan	
9. JOHN MARY M. SALUNDAY	ORANGKAYA/NTREIPAL	PELIS-BAY SIMPUKAN	
10. DANIEL Z FLORES	SARIBANGSAWAN	STO. NIÑO NAPSAN	

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2. Atty. Richard Masquera, Environmental Ombudsman
3. Atty. Josie R. Agbali, Legal Officer, NCIP IVB
4. Atty. Jacqueline Lequia - Dela Peña, Commission on Human Rights, IV-B
5. NCIP Palawan
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