

Project Update: November 2016

A follow-up Coastal and Marine Law Enforcement Training for the local law enforcers and other relevant stakeholders of Barangay Balatubat, Naguilian and Minabel on Camiguin Island was held from 7th-9th April 2016 at Brgy. Balatubat. This training aimed to increase the capacity of local law enforcers on the proper procedures for enforcement of various environmental laws in the Philippines, in particular those that are relevant to current issues in their locality such as dynamite fishing and illegal logging. It also aimed to enhance their knowledge on legal protocols to enable them to protect better their environment. Twenty participants representing the local fisher folk organisation, village officials, the Philippine Coast Guard and village police attended. The training culminated in a practical exercise at sea on how to board and investigate boats suspected of illegal activity.



Training participants conducting practical exercise on the beach



Coastal and marine law enforcement training practical exercise for local law enforcers



Coastal and marine law enforcement training lecture in Camiguin Island, Calayan