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B. LIST OF KEY INFORMANTS INTERVIEWED

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“Abadiba, Clarito” (pseudonym), top official of a cooperative that is working very closely with the plantation owners, Don Antonio Floirendo Sr. Davao, early 2002.

“Abante, Julio” and others (pseudonym), land reform beneficiaries of a VLT-scheme under the special arrangement (lease-to-own). Focus group discussion at plantation site in North Cotabato, early 2002.

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“Kapitan” (pseudonym), a long-time barangay captain in one of the villages of Mulanay, Quezon. Mulanay, third quarter of 2001.

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“Negosyanteng Puti” (pseudonym), a foreign national conducting export business in banana based in Davao. Davao City, early 2002.


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Barbon, Wilson, program manager of Agri-Aqua Development Coalition. Davao City, 11 February 2002.

Bernal, Danny, community organizer, QUARRDDS-Quezon; veteran community organizer for agrarian reform, especially in the central part of Quezon; member of PARCCOM-Quezon I. Quezon City, 20 February 2002.

Bulatao, Gerry, former undersecretary, Field Operations and Support Services Office (FOSSO) of the DAR (during Secretary Garilao’s administration), also held various positions within the DAR, and a veteran agrarian reform activists beginning in the FFF radicalism in the late 1960s–early 1970s; former underground (NDF) leader. Quezon City, 21 January 2002.

Cabanial, Romeo Fernando, head, Land Valuation Office, Land Bank of the Philippine Region 11. LBP Region 11 office, Davao City, 5 February 2002.

Cabanit, Enrico, aspiring land reform beneficiary in a Floirendo-owned banana plantation (WADECOR); secretary-general, UNORKA-Mindanao; vice president, UFEARBAI. Quezon City, 18 February 2002.

Calla, Joel, veteran agrarian reform activist, coordinator of PEACE Foundation in Region 5. Quezon City, 22 February 2002.

Carranza, Danny, executive director QUARRDDS-Quezon; also currently the coordinator of Agrarian Reform Program of the PEACE Foundation; veteran agrarian reform activist, worked in Hacienda Luisita in Tarlac, Bulacan, and Quezon. Quezon City, 4 February 2002.

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Geremia, Peter (Fr.), diocesan coordinator of Tribal Filipino Program, Diocese of Kidapawan, North Cotabato; veteran activist for the rights and welfare of the rural poor. Kidapawan City, March 2002.

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Herrera, Rene, DAR regional director for Region 4 (also formerly, and again, currently, Region 3). DAR Region 4 office, Pasig City, 24 January 2002.

Inson, Rudy, former DAR regional director for Region 11 (and, currently, DAR Regional Director for Region 7), also veteran agrarian reform activist beginning during the FFF radicalism in the early 1970s in Davao. DAR Region 11 office, Davao City, 11 February 2002.

Isidro, Ben, aspiring land reform beneficiary in a banana plantation, board member, LINDEARBAI (Linda District Employees Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries Association, Inc.) in the Linda District of Floirendo’s TADECO; Chairperson, UFEARBAI. Davao City, 16 February 2002.

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