



NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD
Resolution No. 004
Series of 2022

**APPROVING THE NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE PROGRAM (NOAP) FY
2023 PLAN AND BUDGET PROPOSAL (PBP)**

WHEREAS pursuant to Republic Act 10068, as amended, otherwise known as the “Amended Organic Agriculture Act of 2010”, the law established the National Organic Agriculture Program;

WHEREAS, RA 10068 has been amended by RA 11511, and Section 2 thereof states to the effect, that the State reaffirms its policy to promote, propagate, develop further, and implement the practice of organic agriculture in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, the National Organic Agriculture Board (NOAB) is the policy-making body mandated under Section 6 of RA 10068, as amended, to provide direction and general guidelines for the implementation of the NOAP;

WHEREAS, Sec. 26 of RA 11511 expressly states that, “The Department of Budget of Management shall include annually in the President’s program of expenditure for submission to and approval by Congress One Billion Pesos (PhP1,000,000,000.00) for the promotion and development of the National Organic Agriculture Program.”

WHEREAS, only PhP512 Million representing Tier 1 for FY 2023 was allocated for NOAP which is below the One (1) Billion appropriated for the Program in RA 11511;

WHEREAS, the Program has submitted to the Planning and Budget Division of the DA for submission to DBM an additional budget of PhP387.3 Million representing Tier 2 to complete the total 1B appropriation;

WHEREAS, the Program has ready projects and activities that are in line with the “OneDA” approach that will address the needs of organic agriculture practitioners and stakeholders;

WHEREAS, NOW, THEREFORE, considering the foregoing, this Honorable Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by RA 10068, as amended, has **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, approving the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP) FY 2023 Plan and Budget Proposal (PBP).

RESOLVED FINALLY, that the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture, and the NOAP-NPCO, the Senate Committee on Agriculture be furnished a copy of this resolution.

APPROVED by majority of the following Members of the NOAB present in a 1st Special Board Blended Meeting held on 24 February 2022, in Dagupan City, Pangasinan, Philippines.



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