

**National Organic Agriculture Board Resolution No. 002
Series of 2012**

**AFFIRMING ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO 14 FOR THE REGISTRATION OF
ORGANIC FOOD AND ORGANIC INPUT PRODUCERS**

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Organic Agriculture Act of 2010 (RA 10068) and Rule 16.3 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations, mandates the Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Product Standards (BAFPS) with the registration of organic food and organic input producers;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this mandate from the law, Administrative Order No.14 (AO 14) was issued by the Secretary of Agriculture, containing the guidelines on the registration of organic food and organic input producers;


WHEREAS, Section 6 of RA 10068 states that the National Organic Agriculture Board (NOAB) is the policy-making body of the National Organic Agriculture Program;

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of NOAB that a number of organic fertilizer producers are concerned whether their registration with BAFPS under AO 14 is sufficient under the law;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board hereby **RESOLVES** to affirm Administrative Order No 14 as the governing guidelines for the registration of organic food and organic input producers;

BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER, that (1) all licenses and registration issued by BAFPS pursuant to AO 14 are effective, legal and in force and effect; and (2) the office of the Agriculture Secretary and Fertilizer and Pesticide Authority be furnished a copy of this resolution.

APPROVED and **SIGNED** by the following members of the Board on the following dates by referendum.


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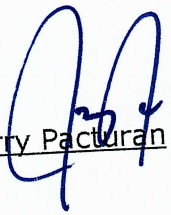
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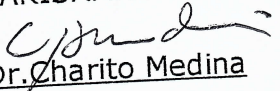
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