



**NOAB Resolution No. 017**  
**Series of 2013**

**APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE GUIDELINES FOR PROVISION OF PRODUCTION  
SUPPORT SERVICES FOR ORGANIC AGRICULTURE**

**WHEREAS**, Section 5 of Republic Act No. 10068 otherwise known as the "Organic Agriculture Act of 2010" established the National Organic Agricultural Program ("NOAP" or "Program");

**WHEREAS**, this Honorable Board, being the policy-making body of the Program, approved the 2012-2016 NOAP;

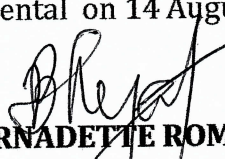
**WHEREAS**, the Program provides that proper production and technology support is vital in sustaining the interest of farmers and their eagerness to upscale and/or shift to organic farming;






**WHEREAS**, during the 21<sup>st</sup> NOAB Meeting on 13-14 August 2013, this Honorable Board agreed to approve and adopt a uniform Guidelines for Provision of Production Support Services for Organic Agriculture;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, this Honorable Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by RA 10068, has **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to approve and adopt the attached (Annex A) Guidelines for Provision of Production Support Services for Organic Agriculture;

**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, that the Secretary of Agriculture and heads of implementing units be furnished with copies of this Resolution, for reference and appropriate action.

**APPROVED** by the following Members of the Board during the 19<sup>th</sup> Regular Meeting held at Bacolod City, Negros Occidental on 14 August 2013.

  
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