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NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD Resolution No. <u>609</u> Series of 2021

APPROVING THE NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD (NOAB) PRIORITY AGENDA AND CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES FOR FY 2021

WHEREAS, Section No. 05 of Republic Act No. 10068 otherwise known as the "Organic Agriculture Act of 2010", as amended by Republic Act No. 11511, established the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP);

WHEREAS, the Honorable Board is the policy-making body mandated under Section 6 of RA No. 10068, as amended, to provide direction and general guidelines for the implementation of the NOAP;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 8 of the amended OA Act of 2010, which states the NOAB shall prescribe its rules and procedures for the attainment of the objectives of the Act, an annual calendar of activities and priority agenda are prepared to ensure the maximum participation of the members and effective conduct of activities the NOAB.

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, to approve the NOAB Priority Agenda and Calendar of Activities for FY 2021 as presented in the attached Annex A.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of the approved Priority Agenda and Calendar of Activities for FY 2021 is provided to all members of the NOAB and the NOAP-NPCO for reference and guidance.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that any changes or modification in the priority agenda and schedule of activities shall be immediately communicated to the members of the NOAB and concerned offices for reference and guidance.

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Department of Agriculture (DA)

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Annex A. National Organic Agriculture Board Priority Agenda and Calendar of Activities for FY 2021

I. Priority Agenda

NOAB Technical Working Group	Priority Agenda
A Cluster - Institutional	1. Crafting of the Implementing Rules and Regulations
Development, Monitoring	of Republic Act No. 11511 or the Amendment of
and Evaluation, and	Organic Agriculture Act of 2010 (RA No. 10068)
Capacity Building (Strategic Themes 1 and 3)	2. Updating of the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP) Document FY 2017-2023
(oracogic friends Fand 5)	3. Development of Guidelines for the development of
	regional and local OA roadmaps
	4. Review and update of guidelines for the
	Accreditation of Organic Agriculture Extension
	Service Providers (OA ESPs)
	5. Revision of Training Regulation on NC II for Organic Agriculture in collaboration with TESDA
	6. Discussion on the Establishment of Bureau of
	Organic Agriculture
	7. Discussion on the Development of Organic
	Agriculture Curriculum
	8. Discussion on the monitoring and evaluation
	mechanisms for organic agriculture
	9. Discussion on the Proposal for the Creation of the
	Bureau of Organic Agriculture
	10. Discussion on the creation of a task force on
	livestock and poultry
B Cluster- Research and	1. Review and updating of OA RDE Agenda Plan and
Regulations	Guidelines for the Evaluation of Research
(Strategic Themes 2 and 6)	Proposals;
	2. Review and update guidelines relative to
	registration of organic biocontrol agents (OBCA)
	3. Review and update Department Circular No. 01,
	Series of 2018 or Revised Guidelines for the Official
	Accreditation of Organic Certifying Bodies (OCB)
	4. Review and update Department Circular No. 07,
	Series of 2020 or the Guidelines for Establishment,
	Maintenance, and Amendment of the National List
	of Permitted Substances for Organic Agriculture
	5. Review and update Department Circular No. 09,
	Series of 2020 or the National List of Permitted
	Substances for Organic Agriculture
	6. Develop single unified set of rules and regulations
	for the registration of organic produce and inputs
	7. Develop Guidelines for the Implementation of
	Section 14: Participatory Guarantee System of RA
	No. 11511







NOAB Technical Working Group	Priority Agenda
	8. Develop guidelines for labeling enforcement
C Cluster- Production, Post- Production, Marketing and Credit (Strategic Themes 4 and 5)	 Develop Implementing guidelines for the Establishment of Organik Konek Develop Marketing Agenda for Organic Agriculture Discussion for the digitalization of organic agriculture Continuation of coordination activities with the BIR
	 re: the Tax Incentives for Organic Agriculture Review and update Department Circular No. 16, Series of 2018 or the Revised Guidelines for the Provision of Certification Assistance for Organic Agriculture Entities Review and update Guidelines for the National Organic Agriculture Achievers Awards (NOAAA) Review and update Department Circular No. 14, Series 2018 or the Revised Guidelines for the Establishment of Organic Demonstration and Training Farms
	 Review and update Administrative Order No. 01, Series of 2013 or Rules and Procedures on the Evaluation, Approval, and Implementation of Organic Agriculture Project Proposals, Amendment to Administrative Order No. 04, Series of 2012 Re: Guidelines on the Evaluation and Approval of Organic Agriculture Project Proposals Coordination activities with PCIC, ACPC, and LBP for the implementation of Section 25 (Incentives) of RA 11511

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II. FY 2021 Calendar of Activities

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