

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD

BAFPS Bldg., BPI Compound, Visayas Ave., Quezon City



NOAB Resolution No. 245

Series of 2013

INCREASING THE AMOUNT ALLOTTED FOR PRODUCTION SUPPORT SERVICES FROM TWENTY PERCENT (20%) TO FORTY PERCENT (40%) OF THE ORGANIC AGRICULTURE FUND ALLOCATION OF REGIONAL FIELD UNITS AND IMPLEMENTING AGENCIES FOR 2014

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 2011-2016 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 19^{th} NOAB Meeting on 18-19 June 2013, this Honorable Board agreed to increase the amount allotted for production support from 20% to 40% of the organic agriculture fund allocation for 2014;

NOW, THEREFORE, this Honorable Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by RA 10068, has RESOLVED, as it hereby RESOLVES, to approve the said increase in the amount allotted for production support;

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 19th Regular Meeting held at Basco, Batanes on 19 June 2013.

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