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Resolution No. 19

Series of 2024

RESOLUTION ON THE CREATION OF SMALL TECHNICAL WORKING GROUPS FOR THE REVIEW AND FINALIZATION OF THE FY 2025 - FY 2030 PLANS OF THE BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY AND THE BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY

WHEREAS, Section 2 of Republic Act No. 10068 or the Organic Agriculture Act of 2010, as amended by Republic Act No. 11511, declares the policy of the State to promote, propagate, develop further, and implement the practice of organic agriculture in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, Section 5 of RA 10068, as amended, established the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP);

WHEREAS, Section 6 of R.A. 10068, as amended, created the National Organic Agriculture Board (NOAB) as the policy-making body that shall provide direction and general guidelines for the implementation of the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP);

WHEREAS, the NOAP is in the process of preparing a comprehensive strategic plan for FY 2025-2030, which shall serve as a guiding framework for the implementation of organic agriculture programs, activities, and projects (PAPs) of the Department of Agriculture and its operating units;

WHEREAS, the NOAB Technical Working Group (TWG), during its October 22, 2024 meeting reviewed the proposed Five-Year Plans of the Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI) and Bureau of Plant Industry (BPI) and agreed to form two (2) small technical working groups (TWGs)—one for BAI and one for BPI—to further refine and enhance their respective plans prior to presenting them to the NOAB for final approval;

WHEREAS, during discussions on BPI's five-year plan, the ongoing proposal to amend Republic Act No. 7308, known as the Seed Industry Development Act of 1992, was emphasized, prompting a recommendation for a thorough review of the proposed amendments;

NOW, THEREFORE, this Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by R.A. 10068, as amended, has **RESOLVED, as it is hereby RESOLVED**, to approve the formation of two (2) small Technical Working Groups (TWGs): one for the Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI) to finalize its FY 2025–FY 2030 plan, and the other for the Bureau of Plant Industry (BPI) to finalize its FY 2025–FY 2030 plan as well as to review the proposed amendments to R.A. 7308;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Technical Working Group (TWG) for the Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI) shall be chaired by Director Noel Lumbo and will include members Director Godynel Isedenia, Director Gabriel Arubio, Dr. Blesilda Calub, and staff from both the BAI and NOAP. Additionally, the Technical Working Group (TWG) for the Bureau of Plant

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RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this Board Resolution be furnished to all concerned for information, reference and guidance.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of October 2024 in Butuan City, Philippines by the following NOAB members present:

USEC. CHERYL MARIE NATIVIDAD-CABALLERO, MTM
Chairperson
Department of Agriculture (DA)
Date signed: 11-12-24

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Permanent Representative
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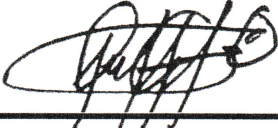
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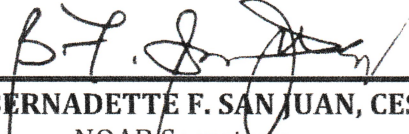
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