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MEMORANDUM

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      REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS
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FROM : THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR OPERATIONS AND CHAIRPERSON, DA COVID-19 FOOD RESILIENCY TASK FORCE

SUBJECT : ISSUANCE OF INTERAGENCY TASK FORCE ON EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES (IATF-EID) IDENTIFICATION (ID) CARDS FOR THE UNHAMPERED DELIVERY OF GOODS AND SERVICES IN THE AGRI-FISHERIES SECTOR

Last March 20, 2020, the Interagency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-EID) issued Resolution No. 14, which ensures the unhampere d movement of all cargoes, agriculture and fishery inputs, food products, and agribusiness personnel nationwide.

In line with the said resolution, this is to instruct your offices to include suppliers and contractors for agri-fishery projects (specially the suppliers of farm machineries under the RCEF) on the list of personnel to be issued with IATF IDs. This is for them to be able to pass through the designated checkpoints and ensure that the implementation of the said agri-fishery projects vital for food production would also be unhampere d.

For strict compliance.

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