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**SUBJECT : REVOCATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 18  
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In the interest of the service and pursuant to the provisions of the Anti-Red Tape Act of 2007 (Republic Act 9485) and the Ease of Doing Business Act of 2018 (RA 11032), Administrative Order No. 18 providing for the Guidelines on the Issuance of Certificate for Conversion of Agricultural Lands dated 18 May 2020 is hereby revoked.

The National Technical Evaluation Committee on Land Use Matters (NTECLUM) and the Regional Technical Evaluation Committee on Land Use Matters (RTECLUM) are hereby abolished. All pending applications and fees received for the issuance of Certificate of Eligibility for Conversion of Agricultural Lands shall be returned to the applicants, with a note expressing that, for purposes of the Department's compliance with pertinent provisions of RA 11032, the Certificate of Eligibility shall no longer be required in the land conversion process.

This Order shall take effect immediately. All other department orders, circulars and issuances inconsistent herewith are also hereby revoked.

Done this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 2020.

  
**WILLIAM D. DAR, Ph.D**  
Secretary

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