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11 August 2021

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**

No. 23  
Series of 2021

**SUBJECT : AMENDMENT TO ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER (AO) NO. 16, SERIES OF 2020  
RE: REVISED GENERAL GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS  
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (DA-FMRDP)**


**Section 5 (d) of AO No. 16, series of 2020 is hereby amended to read as:**

***"SECTION 5. Validation of Proposed FMR Projects- Following the submission of complete supporting documents by the FMR proponents, that RAED shall conduct validation and ensure that the following criteria are satisfactorily meet or complied: XXX***

*d. It must have a minimum length of 1.00 kilometer for both flat and rolling terrain and inclined steep areas (special areas) to enhance impact and for cost efficiency. **However, at least 200 meters can be accommodated on special considerations provided that the road section is economically viable.***

This Order shall effect immediately.

Done this 11th day of August 2021.

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

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
  
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