



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Elliptical Road, Diliman
1100 Quezon City

SPECIAL ORDER

No. 16

Series of 2022

SUBJECT : DESIGNATION OF ATTY. ARMANDO R. CROBALDE, JR. AS OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (DA) – LEGAL SERVICE

In the exigency of service, **ATTY. ARMANDO R. CROBALDE, JR.**, is hereby designated as **OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, DIRECTOR OF DA-LEGAL SERVICE**, in concurrent capacity as President of Quedan and Rural Credit Guarantee Corporation (QUENDACOR).

As such, Atty. Crobalde shall assume the duties and responsibilities inherent to the designation and such others as assigned by the Secretary.

He shall be entitled to Representation and Transportation Allowance (RATA) and all other benefits including all expenses, such as travelling, communication allowance, per diems, and incidental expenses that may be incurred in the performance of his functions, duties, and responsibilities, chargeable against DA-OSEC funds, subject to existing government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

All officials and employees of the Department including its Bureaus, Attached Agencies and Corporations, and Regional Field Offices are hereby advised of this designation and directed to give their full support and cooperation to OIC, Director Crobalde in the performance of his duties and responsibilities.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force unless revoked in writing. All other orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 7th day of January 2022.

WILLIAM D. DAR, Ph.D.
Secretary

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