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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 44
Series of 2022

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO SPECIAL ORDER NO. 03, SERIES OF 2022, "Designation of Deputy Administrator Farrell Benjelix C. Magtoto as Officer-In-Charge, Administrator of the National Dairy Authority (OIC, Administrator, NDA)"

In the exigency of service and in view of the retirement of former Administrator Marilyn B. Mabale effective on December 27, 2021, Special Order (SO) No. 03, Series of 2022 is hereby amended specifically on the effectivity of the authority of OIC-Administrator Magtoto, NDA to issue appointments of personnel to regular plantilla positions (First and Second Level Positions, regardless of employment status) at NDA.

As such, his authority to issue appointments to regular plantilla positions of NDA personnel **shall be effective retroactive December 28, 2021**. Mr. Magtoto was designated as OIC-Administrator of NDA since December 16, 2021 per SO No. 890, Series of 2021.

All other provisions in SO No. 03, Series of 2022 remain in order.

All other orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 27th day of January 2022.

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Secretary

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