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SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM A FEDERATION OF SMALL FARMERS' ORGANIZATION AND FROM THE SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY AS MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION BOARD (NPVPB) FOR CY 2022-2024

In the interest of service and pursuant to Section 66 of Republic Act 9168, otherwise known as the *Philippine Plant Variety Protection Act of 2002*, and by virtue of Article 4 of its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR), the following are hereby appointed as members of NPVPB:

Representative from a federation of small farmers' organization:

Chita F. Sulan - Lake Sebu Indigenous Women and Farmers Association (LASIWFA)

Representative from the scientific community:

Violeta N. Villegas, Ph.D. - National Academy of Science and Technology (NAST)

The aforementioned members shall perform the duties and responsibilities stipulated in the Act and shall serve a term of three years from CY 2022 to 2024.

They shall be entitled to travel allowances and per diems for every attendance in meetings, chargeable against PVP funds, subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this 24th day of February 2022.

WILLIAM D. DAR, Ph.D.
Secretary

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