



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Elliptical Road, Diliman
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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 444

Series of 2022

SUBJECT : AUTHORITY TO ATTEND THE TRAINING SEMINAR ON THE INTRODUCTION TO R AND DATA MANAGEMENT USING THE TIDYVERSE ECOSYSTEM AND BASIC STATISTICS WITH EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES SCHOOL OF STATISTICS, IN COLLABORATION WITH UP STATISTICAL CENTER RESEACH FOUNDATION INC. (UPSCRFI)

In the interest of service and to enhance the leadership capacity and coaching and mentoring skills of Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Standards' personnel, **Ms. Melissa L. Astillero**, *Senior Science Research Specialist*, and **Ms. Jerilee M. Sabariaga**, *Senior Science Research Specialist*, of **BAFS** are hereby authorized to attend on official time the training seminar on **Basic Statistics with Exploratory Data Analysis hosted by UP School of Statistics, in collaboration with UPSCRFI on June 22-24, 2022** with total of 18 hours via Zoom Web Conferencing.

In this regard, Ms. Melissa L. Astillero and Ms. Jerilee M. Sabariaga are authorized to collect a registration fee of **Five Thousand Pesos (5,000.00 pesos)** based on the DBM National Budget Circular No. 563 dated 22 April 2016, chargeable against BAFS regular funds, subject to the availability of funds and the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Further, they will be required to submit a learning application plan to BAFS Human Resource Division within five (5) days after the webinar. In case of withdrawal or non-attendance to the training, a written explanation signed by their immediate supervisor must be submitted.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall be considered revoked upon completion of the event.

Done this 4th day of June 2022.

WILLIAM D. DAR, Ph.D.
Secretary



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