



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

No. 825
Series of 2022

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO SPECIAL ORDER NO. 943, SERIES OF 2021, "Creation of an Inter-Agency Technical Working Group on the Harmonization of Systems and Procedures for Plant Variety Registration and Protection"

In the interest of service, Special Order (SO) No. 943, Series of 2022 is hereby amended to correct the names of the members and their affiliation and also to provide honoraria to non-Department of Agriculture (DA) members.

The following are the amendments:

1. Corrected Names of Members and Their Affiliation:

- **MR. NESTOR C. ALTOVEROS**, Institute of Crop Science (ICrops), College of Agriculture and Food Science (CAFS), University of the Philippines Los Baños (UPLB)
- **DR. GABRIEL O. ROMERO**, Philippine Seed Industry Association (PSIA)
- **MR. ELMER E. ENICOLA**, Institute of Plant Breeding (IPB), UPLB
- **MR. RENATO A. REAÑO**, International Rice Research Institute (IRRI), *retired*

2. Honoraria for Non-DA Members:

Non-DA members shall also be entitled to honoraria chargeable against the National Seed Industry Council (NSIC) or Plant Variety Protection (PVP) funds, subject to usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

3. Secretariat:

The Secretariat shall be the technical staff of the NSIC-PVP Office.

All other provisions in SO No. 943, Series of 2021 remain in order.

This Order shall take effect immediately and remain in force until the completion of the assigned task. All orders and memoranda inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 17th day of October 2022.

DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN
Senior Undersecretary



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