



SPECIAL ORDER

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Subject : **AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT THE YOUNG FARMERS CHALLENGE 2022 NATIONAL LEVEL AWARDING AND SUMMIT ON DECEMBER 13-16, 2022 IN REGION I**

In the exigency of service and pursuant to the implementation of the Young Farmers Challenge Program 2022, the Department of Agriculture – Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (DA-AMAS) in close coordination with the DA – Regional Field Office No. 1 is hereby authorized to conduct the **Young Farmers Challenge 2022 National Level Awarding and Summit on December 13 – 16, 2022 in Ilocos Norte, Region 1.**

The Summit will be participated physically by the YFC National Level Finalists, National Panel of Judges and Coaches, National and Regional Secretariats, and the invited guests, while other participants shall attend through the online/virtual means.

This Awarding Ceremony and Summit aims to: a) recognize the 12 YFC national level awardees; b) showcase and promote the agri-fishery products of the YFC Awardees; c) establish business collaboration and networking among the 2021 and 2022 YFC Awardees; and d) discuss their corresponding duties and responsibilities to the program.

As such, the following DA officials and staff, YFC finalists, and guests are hereby authorized to physically attend and participate in the said activity:

PARTICIPANTS	NUMBER OF PAX
YFC National Level Finalists	35
National Panel of Coaches	8
National Panel of Judges	7
Assistant Secretary for Consumer Affairs	5
Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (AMAS) - YFC National Secretariat	10
Regional Field Offices - YFC Regional Secretariat (3 per Region)	45
Agriculture and Fisheries Information Division (AFID)	3
Host Region – Regional Secretariat	
Officials	3
Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Division (AMAD)	10
Regional Agriculture and Fisheries Information Section (RAFIS)	2

PARTICIPANTS	NUMBER OF PAX
Management Information System/Information and Communications Technology Division (MIS/ ICTS)	2
Guests	
Office of Senator Imee R. Marcos	10
Office of the Secretary	3
Young Farmers Challenge Club of the Philippines, Inc. (YFCI)	
YFCI Officers	4
YFCI Board of Trustees	16
Media	5
Drivers/ Support Staff	12
TOTAL	180

The participants are entitled to travelling expenses and per diems chargeable against the funds of their respective offices. All expenses to be incurred in the conduct of the activity including food, venue, service vehicles/ transportation expenses, activity materials, tokens, and other incidental expenses are chargeable against the Young Farmers Challenge Fund under the FY 2022 General Appropriations Act (RA 11639) subject to fund availability and the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This order shall take effect immediately and shall be considered revoked upon the completion of the event. All orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 8th day of November, 2022.


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