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SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT : RECOMPOSITION OF THE PRICE AND VOLUME WATCH COMMITTEE AND ADVISORY GROUPS FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Pursuant to the Department of Agriculture Special Order No. 124 series 2022 creating the Price and Volume Watch Committee and Advisory Groups for Livestock and Poultry, the following are hereby designated:

A. Composition of the Price and Volume Watch Committee for Livestock and Poultry (Technical Committee)

Chairperson : Assistant Secretary for Consumer Affairs
Co-Chairperson : Director, Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI)
Members : National Livestock Program (NLP)
Philippine Council for Agriculture and Fisheries (PCAF)
National Meat Inspection Service (NMIS)
Philippine Carabao Center (PCC)
National Dairy Authority (NDA)
Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (AMAS)
DA-Minimum Access Volume (DA-MAV)
National Corn Program (NCP)
Philippine Coconut Authority (PCA)
Secretariat : Bureau of Animal Industry – Livestock Research and Development Division (BAI-LRDD)

B. Composition of the Advisory Groups for Livestock and Poultry:

Swine Advisory Group

Mr. Chester Warren Tan	NFHFI	Dr. Arnulfo Frontuna	SIF
Mr. Lawrence Chuapoco	Pilmico	Dr. Jaime Sison	Foremost Farms
Mr. Edwin Chen	ProPork	Dr. Zaoilo Lapus	PCSP

Broiler and Layer Advisory Group

Atty. Jose Elias Inciong	UBRA	Ms. Alicia Danque	Vitarich
Mr. Lawrence Chuapoco	Pilmico	Mr. LeoPoldo Mendoza	PABLI
Dr. Rosette Angelie Arca	PABI-SMFI	Mr. Tux Siddayao	PABLI
Mr. Jun Aquino	Phil. Malay	Ms. Cecille Virtucio	BEPCO
Mr. Gregorio San Diego, Jr.	PEB		

Meat Importers and Processors Advisory Group

Mr. Felix O. Tiukinhoy, Jr. PAMPI **Ms. Alyssa Tanlimco** JFC
Mr. Jess Cham MITA

Ruminant Advisory Group

Mr. Virgilio Badilla FCRAP **Dr. Rufo Llorin** FGASPAPI
Mr. Eduardo Lecciones SRRA

Vendors Advisory Group

Mr. Manny Pareja UVA

C. Roles and Responsibilities of the Technical Committee

1. Serves as the technical advisory body of the Secretary in terms of supply and demand situation of livestock commodities, meat and meat products prices (both local and international), and volume gaps;
2. Call for regular and emergency meetings with the Advisory Groups to discuss issues/concerns affecting the livestock and poultry industry, prices, importation, animal disease situations, Minimum Access Volume, importation, cold storage inventories, and outlooks;
3. Involve in the meetings of other National or Local Government Agencies and other stakeholders whenever necessary;
4. Integrate and analyze relevant information gathered during meetings;
5. Formulate situational analysis and adoption of measures that will address any volume gaps and sudden price surges;
6. Evaluate policy options to address pressing issues on supply, importation, prices, and inventories;
7. Transmit policy recommendations containing detailed actions designed to manage the livestock, poultry, and meat supply and demand situations to the DA Secretary for his decision; and
8. Furnish the Bantay Presyo Technical Committee (BPTCJ) and other relevant DA Offices with the policy recommendation to the Secretary.

D. Roles and Responsibilities of the Advisory Group:

1. Attend regular meetings and emergency meetings called by the Technical Committee;
2. Assist in the close monitoring of livestock, poultry, eggs, meat, and meat product prices, and other allied industries such as feeds including demand and supply trends to the Secretariat;
3. Provide reliable industry information with regard to the prices of livestock, poultry, eggs, meat and meat products, and other allied industries such as feeds including demand and supply trends to the Secretariat;
4. Assist in the dissemination of information to the private sector and industry associations;
5. Assist in the development and implementation of programs that enhance the predictability of production and consumption, supply and demand of livestock, poultry, meat, and meat products and allied commodities; and
6. Provide inputs to the Technical Committee for the integration of policy issues and recommendations for submission to the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture.

E. Roles and Responsibilities of the Secretariat

1. Initiate the call for meetings of the Technical Committee and Advisory Groups upon the instructions of the DA Assistant Secretary for Consumer Affairs;
2. Prepare the agenda for the meeting;
3. Send invitations to participants to attend the meeting and confirm their attendance;
4. Send an invitation to resource persons to attend the meeting and confirmation of the attendance of the resource persons;
5. Document discussions of the meeting in the form of minutes of highlights;
6. Maintain database/records of important documents of the Technical Committee and Advisory Groups; and
7. Prepare highlights of the meetings and/or policy recommendations for transmittal to the Officers and Members of the Technical Committee and Advisory Groups and the DA Secretary for their information and policy considerations, respectively.

F. Regional Livestock and Poultry Technical Committee and Advisory

Regional Price and Volume Watch Committee and Advisory Groups for Livestock and Poultry shall be organized especially for Livestock and poultry-heavy producing regions such as Ilocos Region, Central Luzon, CALABARZON, Northern Mindanao, and SOCCSKSARGEN.

All expenses incurred in the performance of the duties and responsibilities of the Price and Volume Watch Committee and Advisory Groups for Livestock and Poultry members, including meals during meetings, traveling, honoraria, and other incidental expenses shall be charged from the **National Livestock Program** funds subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this 10th of January 2023.

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