



**SPECIAL ORDER**

No. 153

Series of 2023

**SUBJECT : AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND ATTEND ACTIVITIES OF THE BUREAU OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES STANDARDS - STANDARDS RESEARCH DIVISION (BAFS-SRD) RELATED TO STANDARDS RESEARCH FROM JANUARY TO DECEMBER 2023**

In the exigency of service and pursuant to the implementation of its mandates, the BAFS is hereby authorized to conduct the activities indicated below from January to December 2023. Likewise, the BAFS personnel and BAFS Regional Focal Person for Standards Development and Research per DA Special Order No. – 712, s. 2021, are hereby authorized to conduct and attend the said activities.

**1. CY 2023 Mid-Year Assessment Workshop and Orientation for the BAFS Regional Focal Person for Standards Development and Research (Visayas and Mindanao) at Region VII in June 2023.**

Location	Region VII	
<b>BAFS Participants</b>	Standard Research Division 1. Edna Lynn C. Floresca 2. Jerilee M. Sabariaga 3. Melissa L. Astillero 4. Zaireen B. Cleofe 5. Kriszia Ann U. Decena 6. Vivian E. Timple 7. Angelo N. Custodio  BAFS Information and Communication Unit 8. Representative  Organic Agriculture Division 9. Representative	Standards Development Division 10. Representative  Technical Services Division 11. Representative  BAFS Planning Unit and Procurement Unit 12. Representative 13. Representative  BAFS Learning and Development Unit 14. Representative
<b>Regional Focal Person</b>	DA RFO VI 1. Representative  DA RFO VII 2. Representative  DA RFO VIII 3. Representative  DA RFO IX 4. Representative	DA RFO X 5. Representative  DA RFO XI 6. Representative  DA RFO XII 7. Representative  DA RFO CARAGA 8. Representative

**2. CY 2023 Year-End Assessment Workshop and Orientation for the BAFS Regional Focal Person for Standards Development and Research (Luzon) at Cordillera Administrative Region in November-December 2023**

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<b>BAFS Participants</b>	Standard Research Division 1. Edna Lynn C. Floresca 2. Jerilee M. Sabariaga 3. Melissa L. Astillero 4. Zaireen B. Cleofe 5. Kriszia Ann U. Decena 6. Vivian E. Timple 7. Angelo N. Custodio  BAFS Information and Communication Unit 8. Representative  Organic Agriculture Division 9. Representative	Standards Development Division 10. Representative  Technical Services Division 11. Representative  BAFS Planning Unit and Procurement Unit 12. Representative 13. Representative  BAFS Learning and Development Unit 14. Representative
<b>Regional Focal Person</b>	DA RFO CAR 1. Representative  DA RFO I 2. Representative  DA RFO II 3. Representative  DA RFO III 4. Representative	DA RFO IVA 5. Representative  DA RFO IVB 6. Representative  DA RFO V 7. Representative

These activities will be a venue for reviewing SRD's research outputs and programmed activities. It also aims to orient BAFS Regional Focal Persons on Standards Development and Research on its function in standards research in the respective regions.

Reimbursement and/or payment of food and accommodation, transportation, per diem, venue and vehicle rentals, gasoline expenses, catering services, supplies and materials, and other incidental expenses shall be chargeable against BAFS Regular Funds, subject to the availability of funds and the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Regional Field Offices may charge travel expenses per diem to their respective offices' Regular Funds.

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

Done this 8th day of February 2023.

**DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN**  
Senior Undersecretary



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