



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

No. 101

Series of 2023

**SUBJECT : RECONSTITUTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (DA)
PRE-INSPECTION COMMITTEE (PIC) FOR FOREIGN MEAT
ESTABLISHMENT (FME) ACCREDITATION**

In the exigency of the service and in view of the change of leadership in the different offices of the DA and with the need to fast-track the processing of the application of foreign countries for accreditation of their meat establishment the DA PIC for FME Accreditation created as per DA Special Order (SO) No. 845 S. 2016 is hereby reconstituted to be composed of the following or their authorized representatives, to wit:

Chairperson : Director, Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI)

Members : Executive Director, National Meat Inspection Service (NMIS)
Director, DA Policy Research Service (PRS)
Chief, DA International Affairs Division (IAD)
Chief, Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries
Standards-Standards Development Division (BAFS-SDD)
Chief, BAI-National Veterinary Quarantine Services Division (NVQSD)
Chief, NMIS Meat Import Export Division (MIED)

Secretariat : DA-BAI (Lead Secretariat)
DA-NMIS
DA-IAD

The committee shall perform the following functions:

1. Plan and prepare for DA Inspection Missions (DAIM) for the accreditation of FMEs;
2. Draft guidelines for the identified activities pursuant to DA Administrative Order (AO) 16 s. 2006 (Pre-border Measure) which includes identification and training of FME inspectors, official procedures for inspection, and reportorial requirements, among others;
3. Submit regular progress reports on the work of the Committee to the Secretary;
4. The Lead Secretariat prepares Notices of Meetings and Minutes of Meetings; and
5. Perform other related functions as may be directed by the Secretary.

All of the above-named officials and staff are authorized to collect traveling expenses, per diems, and other incidental expenses chargeable against the funds of their respective offices subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This ORDER shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until revoked in writing. All orders and memoranda inconsistent herewith, such as DA SO No. 845 S. 2016, are deemed amended or revoked.

Done this 13th day of February 2023.


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Senior Undersecretary



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