



Republic of the Philippines
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SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND ATTEND THE IN-HOUSE WORKSHOP ON THE REVIEW AND SCREENING OF RESEARCH PROPOSALS FOR SUSTAINABLE CORN PEST SURVEILLANCE AND MANAGEMENT IN MANILA ON MAY 22, 2023

As mandated to administer the crop pest management services anchored on the optimization of crop harvests for food security, the DA – Bureau of Plant Industry – Crop Pest Management Division (DA – BPI – CPMD) is hereby authorized to conduct the **In-House Workshop on the Review and Screening of Research Proposals for Sustainable Corn Pest Surveillance and Management** in Manila on May 22, 2023.

The objectives of the activity are:

1. Present research proposals for sustainable corn pest surveillance and management, including physical targets and budgetary requirements;
2. Review and screen the research proposals; and,
3. Come up with improved/strengthened research proposal on pest surveillance and management.

The participants authorized to attend the said workshop are from the following offices:

Agency/Offices	Number of Participants
Department of Agriculture	2
Bureau of Plant Industry	22
Bureau of Agricultural Research	5
Regional Crop Protection Center – CAR	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – I	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – II	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – III	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – IV-A	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – MIMAROPA	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – V	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – VI	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – VII	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – VIII	2

Regional Crop Protection Center – IX	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – X	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – XI	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – XII	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – XIII	2
MAFAR – BARMM	2
Resource Persons	2
Consultants	2
TOTAL	65

Expenses relative to the conduct of the activity such as meals, accommodation and other incidental expenses shall be chargeable against DA – BPI Central Office while travelling and incidental expense of the participants shall be charged against their respective agencies' funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this 14th day of May 2023.

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