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SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT : RECONSTITUTION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE RICE COMPETITIVENESS ENHANCEMENT FUND – RICE EXTENSION SERVICES PROGRAM (RCEF-RESP) TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP

In the exigency of service and in view of the retirement and reassignment of some of the members of the RCEF-RESP TWG, the members of the TWG are hereby reconstituted and shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson	REMELYN R. RECOTER, <i>ATI</i>
Permanent Alternate	ANTONIETA J. ARCEO, <i>ATI</i>
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Secretariat	CINDY C. ALFONSO, <i>ATI</i> SHERRIE C. DREJE, <i>ATI</i> JAYVEE P. MASILANG, <i>ATI</i> RAE BERNADETTE IANNA M. LAPITAN, <i>ATI</i> GAY RITCHEL G.Q. DIANALA, <i>ATI</i> GOD RICK M. ESPEÑA, <i>ATI</i> LYKA B. MERCADER, <i>ATI</i>



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The TWG shall continue to perform the following functions:

- a. Formulate/review/update the Rice Extension Services Program and the corresponding implementing guidelines;
- b. Act as a steering committee to provide overall direction for the implementation of the RCEF-RESP;
- c. Monitor and evaluate the implementation of the program in coordination with the Philippine Council for Agriculture and Fisheries (PCAF);
- d. Coordinate with the DA agencies and other government partners
- e. Prepare plans and submit reports to the DA-RCEF Project Management Office; and
- f. Perform other tasks deemed relevant in the implementation of the RCEF-RESP.

The Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until revoked in writing. All orders, memoranda and other issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 26th day of May 2023.

DOMINGO E. PANGANIBAN
DA Senior Undersecretary



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