

SPECIAL ORDER

No.: <u>834</u> Series of 2023

**SUBJECT** 

AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND ATTEND THE KICK-OFF

WORKSHOP FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF INNOVATION SYSTEM FOR CLIMATE-SMART PEST MANAGEMENT (CSPM) IN RICE

PROJECT IN ILOILO CITY ON JULY 18 - 21, 2023

As DA – BPI's arm tasked to administer crop pest management services anchored on optimization of crop harvests for greater food and economic sustainability, the Crop Pest Management Division, in collaboration with DA – Regional Field Office VI, is hereby authorized to conduct the **Kick-off Workshop for the Development of Innovation System for Climate-Smart Pest Management (CSPM) in Rice Project (venue TBA)** on **July 18 - 21, 2023**.

This workshop is an opportunity for the participating agencies to be oriented about the project's purpose, objectives, scopes, and plans. Specifically, it aims to:

- 1. Introduce the CSPM and its work packages to all project partners and stakeholders;
- 2. Introduce the management, coordination, communication teams of CSPM;
- 3. Draft a Special Order for all concerned staff;
- 4. Identify of the scope of activities; and,
- 5. Introduce and discuss the monitoring and evaluation format and schedules.

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

Agency/Offices	Number of Participants
Bureau of Plant Industry	27
International Rice Research Institute	5
Philippine Rice Research Institute	5
Bureau of Agricultural Research	2
DA – National Rice Program	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – II	2
Regional Crop Protection Center – VI	10
Regional Crop Protection Center – XII	2
Consultants	2
TOTAL	55

Expenses relative to the conduct of the activity, to include meals and accommodation, shall be chargeable against DA – BPI Central Office, travel and incidental expense of the participants shall be charged against their respective agencies' fund, 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 <u>I</u>th day of <u>July</u> 2023.

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