



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NATIONAL CONVERGENCE STRATEGY FOR SUSTAINABLE RURAL DEVELOPMENT (NCS-SRD) BILL ADVOCACY (MINDANAO CLUSTER), JULY 26-28, 2023, DAVAO

In the interest of the service, authority is hereby granted to all concerned personnel of the Department of Agriculture involved in the NCI-SRD to participate in the NCS-SRD Bill Advocacy (Mindanao Cluster) on July 26-28, 2023 in Davao.

In line with this, the following personnel are authorized to attend the activity:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (DA)	
Participants	No. of Pax
National Level	
National Focal Person/Deputy National Focal Person - Asec. Arnel V. De Mesa, CESO III and staff / Dir. Gina P. Nilo, PhD and staff	2
PA CWG Members	2
1. Philippine Council for Agriculture and Fisheries (PCAF)	
2. Policy Research Service (PRS)	
Department Legislative Liaison Office – Mc Bien Saint Garcia	1
National Secretariat	5
1. Dir. Karen Kristine Roscom, PhD	
2. Justine Devela / Marineh Ambrosio	
3. Andrea Patricia Adre/Angelica Joy Cayabyab	
4. Ma. Bituin Bataller / Enrico Teano	
5. Ermalyn Cruz/ Rafael Mendoza / Lucia Lanugan	
Sub-Total	10

DEPARTMENT OF AGRARIAN REFORM (DAR)	
Participants	No. of Pax
PA CWG Members	2
1. Policy Research Service (PRS)	
2. Bureau of Agrarian Legal Assistance (BALA)	
Sub-Total	2

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES (DENR)	
Participants	No. of Pax
PA CWG Chairperson –Director Cheryl Loise Leal	1
PA CWG Member	1
1. Policy and Planning Service (PPS)	
Sub-Total	2

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DILG)	
Participants	No. of Pax
PA CWG Member	
1. Bureau of Local Government and Development (BLGD)	1
Sub-Total	1

REGIONAL CONVERGENCE INITIATIVE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP DAVAO (DA-DAR-DENR-DILG)	
Participants	No. of Pax
DA Regional Executive Director	1
DA Regional Technical Director	1
RCI TWG Members and Secretariat	3
Sub-Total	5

SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES	
Participants	No. of Pax
Committee on Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development – Sen. Imee R. Marcos and staff	2
Sub-Total	2

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	
Participants	No. of Pax
House Committee on Rural Development – Hon. Wilton T. Kho and staff	2
Sub-Total	2

PROVINCIAL/MUNICIPAL/CITY/DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVES	
Participants	No. of Pax
Office of the District Representatives	23
Office of the City Mayor	3
Sub-Total	26

GRAND TOTAL	50
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Expenses to be incurred in the conduct of the activity, including food, accommodation, and materials shall be charged against the DA-PCAF funds while traveling expenses and per diem of the participants shall be charged against the funds of the respective agencies concerned, subject to existing government auditing and accounting regulations.

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

Done this 20th day of July 2023.

DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN
Senior Undersecretary

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