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SPECIAL ORDER

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**SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT THE YOUNG FARMERS CHALLENGE FY 2023
UPSCALE COMPONENT MENTORING AND COACHING ACTIVITY**

In the interest of service and pursuant to the implementation of the Young Farmers Challenge (YFC) Program-Upscale Component, the Department of Agriculture – Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (DA-AMAS) is hereby authorized to conduct the **Young Farmers Challenge-Upscale Component Mentoring and Coaching Activity** on **October 23-27, 2023** in the National Capital Region.

The said event aims to:

1. Present to the sixteen (16) YFC Upscale finalists the guidelines and mechanics of the competition;
2. Discuss the corresponding duties and responsibilities of YFC Upscale awardees; and
3. Coach and mentor the YFC Upscale finalist to improve their business pitch deck, business plan, and enterprise implementation.

As such, the following are the authorized number of participants:

PARTICIPANTS	NO.
YFC Upscale National Finalists	32
Mentors and Coaches	5
YFC National PMT	8
YFC Regional PMT	15
AFID	2
Total	62

All expenses to be incurred in the conduct of the activity, including food, venue, service vehicles/ transportation, activity materials, honoraria and/or token of the panel of judges, coaches, and guests, and other incidental expenses shall be chargeable against the Young Farmers Challenge Fund under the FY 2023 General Appropriations Act (RA 11936) subject to the availability of funds and the existing government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this 16th day of August, 2023.

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Senior Undersecretary



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