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**SPECIAL ORDER**

No. 901

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**SUBJECT : AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT IMPLEMENTATION REVIEW AND 23<sup>RD</sup> NATIONAL COORDINATION MEETING OF PRDP I-REAP PROJECT**

In the exigency of service and for the effective implementation of the project, the Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP)- Investments for Rural Enterprise and Agricultural and Fisheries Productivity (I-REAP) Component of the National Project Coordination Office (NPCO) is hereby authorized to conduct **Implementation Review and 23<sup>rd</sup> National Coordination Meeting on August 1-4, 2023 in Region IV-A.**

The activity aims to assess the Component's performance for the first semester of the year 2023 and come up with operational strategies to comply with the key agreed actions during the 15<sup>th</sup> World Bank Implementation Support Mission and to prepare for the PRDP Scale-Up. Specifically: (1) Present and discuss physical and financial performance of the Component in the implementation of subprojects and activities funded under sub-component 3.1 and 3.2; (2) Discuss completion action plan for enterprises SPs funded under Additional Financing 2 and EU Co-Financing Grant; (3) Discuss key agreed actions during the 15<sup>th</sup> WB ISM and come up with action plans to comply with the findings and recommendations; (4) Agree on the strategies and action plans in preparation for the implementation of PRDP Scale-Up; (5) Discuss outstanding issues and concerns in the implementation and provision of technical assistance to enterprises and come up with recommendations on how to address these.

The authorized participants in the activity are officials and staff of the DA-PRDP and DA Offices. The distribution of participants per office are as follows:

| <b>Particulars</b>   | <b>Number of Participants</b> |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Office of the National Deputy Project Director   | 1                             |
| NPCO I-REAP Component  | 9                             |
| PSO I-REAP (Deputy Project Director, I-REAP Component Head and 3 Technical Staff)  | 20                            |
| RPCO I-REAP (I-REAP Component Head and 3 Technical Staff)  | 64                            |
| NPCO Components/ Units (one representative each from I-PLAN, I-BUILD, SES, Finance, M and E, Econ, GGU, InfoAce, Procurement, Knowledge Management Specialist, Institutional Development Specialist) | 11                            |
| Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (AMAS)   | 3                             |



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| Host Region (RPCO IV-A) | 2          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>110</b> |

The expenses to be incurred in the conduct of this activity including food, venue, accommodation, workshop materials, and other incidental expenses shall be charged against PRDP NPCO I-REAP fund while the transportation expense and per diem of the participants shall be charged to their respective offices, subject to the availability of funds and the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this 31st day of July 2023.

  
**DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN**  
Senior Undersecretary



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