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MEMORANDUM ORDER

No. 62

Series of 2023

**SUBJECT : DEPUTIZATION OF THE NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY
PERSONNEL TO JOIN THE DA'S MONITORING TEAM IN
CONNECTION TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF EXECUTIVE
ORDER NO. 39**

His Excellency President Ferdinand Marcos, Jr. issued Executive Order No. 39, series of 2023 (EO 39), entitled the "Imposition of Mandated Price Ceilings (MPC) on Rice," directing the Department of Agriculture to ensure the strict implementation of the MPC on rice in the market, including monitoring and investigation of abnormal price movements.

In view of EO No. 39 and pursuant to Section 10 paragraph 14 of Republic Act No. 7581 or the Price Act, the personnel of the National Food Authority are hereby deputized to provide technical assistance in the monitoring and enforcement of the MPC, particularly to ensure the correct classification of Regular Milled Rice (RMR) and Well Milled Rice (WMR) in accordance with Memorandum Circular (MC) No. AO-2018-10-002 issued by NFA in 2018 on the General Guidelines on the Suggested Retail Price (SRP) for Milled Rice.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until revoked in writing. All orders inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 7th day of September 2023.

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