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#### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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### **SPECIAL ORDER**

NO. 1107 Series of 2023

## SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT ASSESSMENT ON THE KOICA - RPC ILOILO

In the interest of service, the Department of Agriculture initiated the operationalization activities of KOICA Rice Processing Centers in the country. The Department, through the Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service, Field Operation Service, Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Engineering, Office of the Undersecretary for Rice Development, and Office of the Secretary-Monitoring Team, shall conduct a market and technical assessment of the KOICA RPC Iloilo at Pototan, Iloilo, on September 11-15, 2023. This activity aims to assess the market and technical viability of the KOICA RPC in Iloilo and to provide appropriate recommendations moving forward. A team shall be created to conduct this assessment and shall be composed of the following:

OFFICE	DESIGNATION	
Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service		
Irish Joan O. Ativo	Marketing Specialist IV	
Lovely C. Sablay	Marketing Specialist IV	
Shiela Joy DC. Samalburo	Agriculturist II	

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Field of Operation Service - SPCMAD	1
Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Engineering	1
Office of the Secretary-Monitoring Team	1
Office of the Undersecretary for Rice Industry Development	1

The team shall have the following duties and responsibilities:

- Validation of the market and industry situation (e.g., local rice industry, existing and potential market of RPC).
- Assessment of the financial situation and current organizational structure of the PFMPC.
- Preparation of the case study report for the KOICA RPC Iloilo.

The Team is expected to submit their output and findings to the AMAS Director prior to the submission to the Office of the Senior Undersecretary.

The Department of Agriculture - Regional Field Office VI is directed to render support to the Assessment Team. Necessary documents, manpower counterpart, and other logistical support should be made available to the Team.





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As such, they are entitled to claim for their traveling expenses and per diems chargeable against the fund of their respective offices subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this of September , 2023.

DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN Senior Undersecretary

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