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SUBJECT

DESIGNATION OF THE PRDP NATIONAL PROJECT ADVISORY

BOARD (PRDP NPAB) AS THE INTERIM MINDANAO INCLUSIVE AGRICULTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (MIADP) ADVISORY

BOARD (MAB)

The Mindanao Inclusive Agriculture Development Project (MIADP) was created following the model and framework of the PRDP. Both projects aim to increase agricultural productivity, resiliency, and access to markets and services of organized farmer and fisherfolk groups. However, the MIADP focuses on Indigenous Cultural Communities / Indigenous Peoples (ICCs/IPs) and will be implemented in Ancestral Domains in the country

Given the infancy of MIADP, the MIADP Advisory Board (MAB) have yet to be created and its composition to be identified. To provide guidance and facilitate the implementation of the project, the PRDP National Project Advisory Board (PRDP NPAB) is hereby designated as the Interim MAB.

The current composition of the **PRDP NPAB** which shall act as the **Interim MAB** are as follows:

CHAIRPERSON	DA Secretary or Senior Undersecretary
MEMBERS:	 Head of Agency or Designated Alternate of the following agencies with rank not lower than a Director:
	 Agricultural Credit Policy Council (ACPC)
	 Agricultural Training Institute (ATI)
	 Bureau of Agricultural and Fisheries Engineering (BAFE)
	 Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Standards (BAFS)
	Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI)
	 Bureau of Agricultural Research (BAR)
	 Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR)
	Bureau of Plant Industry (BPI)
	 Bureau of Soils and Water Management (BSWM)
	National Dairy Authority (NDA)
	 Philippine Crop Insurance Corp. (PCIC)
	 Philippine Council for Agriculture and Fisheries (PCAF)
	 Philippine Fisheries Development Authority (PFDA)
	 Philippine Center for Postharvest Development and Mechanization (PHilMech)

- Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority (PhilFIDA)
- Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA)

The functions duties and responsibilities of the INTERIM MAB are as follows:

- a. Provide overall direction and oversight for MIADP implementation;
- Serve as policy-making body that guides the planning and activities of MIADP implementation;
- Review, recommend and approve functions, organizational structures and staffing pattern requirements of MIADP as well as these MIADP's relevant Regional Offices;
- d. Review, approve and endorse proposals for the annual budget of MIADP;
- e. Furnish the annual work and financial plan (WFP) for the implementation of MIADP to the funding institution for review and approval;
- f. Create, if needed, Regional Policy-making Bodies in all the regions of the country which it be responsible for the oversight of project implementation at the regional level of the aforementioned project; and
- g. Perform such other functions as may be deemed necessary by the Chairperson for effective execution of its functions and responsibilities.

Further, the PRDP NPAB the as Interim MAB shall create a Project Technical Secretariat and its composition through a Special Order issued by the Senior Under Secretary. The Secretariat shall provide technical and administrative support to the Interim MAB.

The Interim MAB shall meet annually or as the need arises.

All expenses to be incurred by the MAB in the performance of their functions, duties and responsibilities shall be charged against the allocated funds for the PRDP NPAB subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately, and shall remain in full force until the formal creation and composition of the Advisory Board Specific for MIADP. All orders, memoranda and other issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 8th day of September , 2023.

DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN Senior Undersecretary

