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SPECIAL ORDER
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SUBJECT : CREATION OF THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP ON THE REVISION OF THE TRAINING REGULATIONS ON ORGANIC AGRICULTURE PRODUCTION (OAP) NATIONAL CERTIFICATION II

Pursuant to Rule 24.4 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the Organic Agriculture Act or Republic Act No. 10068, as amended by Republic Act No. 11511, that mandates the Technical Education Skills and Development Authority (TESDA) to ensure that the National Organic Agriculture Board (NOAB) and DA - Agricultural Training Institute (ATI) are in mutual agreement prior to the approval of any competency standards or training regulations relevant to organic agriculture. The NOAB shall then endorse to the TESDA Board the competency standards of training regulations for approval.

In the interest of service and in view of the standards review of the TESDA training regulations on Organic Agriculture Production National Certification II, a technical Working Group (TWG) is hereby created with the following compositions:

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The TWG shall be responsible for the following:

1. Review, update, and finalize the training regulation that will cover the principles and practices of Organic Agriculture;
2. Provide technical inputs on the content of the curriculum, instructional materials, and competency assessment tools;
3. Review the content and approve the layout, packaging design, and cover of the training modules; and
4. Perform other tasks deemed relevant in finalizing the TR on OAP NC II.



All expenses to be incurred in the conduct of related activities of the TWG such as food during meetings shall be chargeable against the Organic Agriculture funds of ATI and NOAB, while traveling expenses and per diem of the TWG shall be chargeable against their respective offices' funds, subject to 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 other orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 14th of September, 2023.

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