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## SPECIAL ORDER

No. 1238

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**SUBJECT : AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND ATTEND THE FINALIZATION WRITESHOP FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF VARIOUS PHILIPPINE NATIONAL STANDARDS (PNS) UNDER GENERAL FOOD STANDARDS CATEGORY, OCTOBER 2023, CENTRAL LUZON**

In the interest of service and pursuant to the implementation of its mandates, the Department of Agriculture (DA)–Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Standards (BAFS) is hereby authorized to conduct the Finalization Writeshop for the Development of various PNS under General Food Standards on **October 16-20, 2023** in a **government facility in Central Luzon**. Likewise, the following DA-BAFS personnel and Technical Working Group (TWG) members from the DA Bureaus, Attached Agencies and Corporations, and Civil Society Organizations are hereby authorized to conduct and attend the said activity:

<b>Finalization Writeshop for the Development of Various PNS under General Food Standards Category, October 2023, Central Luzon</b>		
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization</b>
1.	Karen Kristine Roscom, PFT, PhD	DA-BAFS
2.	John Gregory Aquino	DA-BAFS
3.	Karina Angela Bautista, PFT	DA-BAFS
4.	Joshua Abel, L.Agr. / Kristel Alarice Aborido, RND / Ederlie Magdalita / Mark Paulo Padullon / Ronaldo Badillo	DA-BAFS
5.	Mervyn Agad, DVM / Lilia Retes,	DA-Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI)
6.	DVM / Hernando Tipa, RCh	
7.	Niño Carlo Isnit / Freda Roxas / Ivy	DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR)
8.	Banogon	
9.	Darrell Benedicto / Hazel Joy Gusi	DA-Bureau of Plant Industry (BPI)
10.		
11.	Feliona Bautista-Alip / Mike Cuento	DA-Fertilizer and Pesticide Authority (FPA)
12.	Dan Adrian Guban / Judith Platero	DA-National Dairy Authority (NDA)
13.	Remedios Micu, RMT / Evelyn	DA-National Meat Inspection Service (NMIS)
14.	Felicidad Embestro, PFT	
15.	Danilo Jamandra, Jr. / Raquel Dagarag	DA-Philippine Coconut Authority (PCA)
16.	Rachel Elano / Gracielle Brizuela	DA-Food Development Center (FDC)
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18.	Nelson Santiago, PhD / Mark Anthony Mangoba	DA-Philippine Center for Postharvest Development and Mechanization (PHilMech)
19.	Marissa Romero, PhD / Amelia Morales	DA-Philippine Rice Research Institute (PhilRice)
20.	Pierangeli Vital, PhD	University of the Philippines (UP)-Natural Sciences Research Institute (NSRI)
21.	Abigail Rustia, PFT	UP Diliman-College of Home Economics (CHE)
22.	Myrna Benita Luna, PhD	UP Diliman-CHE
23.	Amelita Natividad, PFT	Philippine Association of Food Technologists (PAFT), Inc.
24.	Angella Melissa Carlos	Philippine Society for Microbiology (PSM), Inc.
25.	Noel Sabino, PhD	PSM, Inc.

Reimbursement and/or payment of food and accommodations, transportation fares, per diems, honoraria of non-DA personnel, venue and vehicle rentals, gasoline expenses, supplies and materials, and other incidental expenses are hereby authorized chargeable against BAFS Regular 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 orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 2nd day of OCTOBER 2023.

**DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN**  
Senior Undersecretary



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