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SPECIAL ORDER No. 1493

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SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO PARTICIPATE AND REPRESENT DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN THE RAMON MAGSAYSAY BASKETBALL LEAGUE (RMBC) OPEN LEAGUE FROM DECEMBER 17, 2023 to FEBRUARY 29, 2024.

In the interest of promoting sportsmanship, camaraderie, and advocating for the importance of physical and mental health in line with the values upheld by the Department of Agriculture, the Department hereby accepts the invitation to Participate and Represent the Department of Agriculture in the Ramon Magsaysay Basketball League (RMBC) Open League, organized in celebration and honor of The Feast of Sto. Nino at Bago Bantay, Quezon City.

The participation of the Department of Agriculture in the said tournament aims to:

- 1. Promote and advocate for Food Safety among athletes and stakeholders;
- 2. Support the values of sportsmanship and camaraderie among government agencies and stakeholders; and
- 3. Highlight the significance of physical and mental health for the well-being of all participants involved.

The following personnel are hereby authorized to participate in the activity:

No.	Participant/s	Office/s
1	Earl Gerard Joseph Lacson	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
2	Peejay Barua	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
3	Ramon Alfredo J. Mabayo	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
4	Christian Mark Joshua Dela Rama	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
5	Alfred John Paulo Dejelo	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
6	Van Jeafford P. Siangco	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
7	Justin A. Tañada	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
8	Christian Gelmar A. Cimafranca	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)
9	Anthon Perie S. Castro	Special Projects Coordination and Management Assistance Division (SPCMAD)
10	Ryan John B. Abejar	Office of the Secretary (OSEC)
11	Jay Cabasisi Cabrera	Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP)
12	Federico B. Baello Jr.	Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP)
13	Jinky Magayaga	Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP)

14	Jeric Edem Menoy	Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA)		
15	Joseph Artienda	DA-Region IV-B		
16	Christian A. Rubin	National Agriculture Organic Program (NOAP)		
17	Milan Vargas	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)		
18	Roy Urbano	DA Inspectorate and Enforcement (DAIE)		
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Expenses related to this activity, including food, transportation expenses and entry fee of Php15,000, shall be covered by the Department of Agriculture funds subject to the availability of funds and compliance with the standard government accounting and auditing regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately upon issuance and shall be considered revoked upon the completion of the RMBC Open League. All prior orders, memoranda, and directives conflicting with this Order are deemed null and void.

Done this 14th day of DECEMBER 2023.

FRANCISCO P. TIU LAUREL JR.

Secretary

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