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**SPECIAL ORDER**

No. 55

Series of 2024

**SUBJECT: DESIGNATION OF OFFICIALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO THE DA-DAR-DENR-DILG NATIONAL CONVERGENCE INITIATIVE FOR SUSTAINABLE RURAL DEVELOPMENT (NCI-SRD)**

In the interest of the service and pursuant to the DA-DAR-DENR-DILG Joint Administrative Order (JAO) No. 1, series of 2020 (Revised DA-DAR-DENR-DILG Joint Administrative Order No. 1, series of 2015: Strengthening the Implementation Framework for the DA-DAR-DENR-DILG NCI-SRD), the following DA officials are designated as follows:

1. **OIC UNDERSECRETARY ROGER V. NAVARRO AS PERMANENT ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVE, NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE (NSC); AND NATIONAL FOCAL PERSON (NFP), NCI-SRD;**
2. **DIRECTOR GINA P. NILO, Bureau of Soils and Water Management (BSWM) as DEPUTY NATIONAL FOCAL PERSON, NCI-SRD; and**
3. **DIRECTOR KAREN KRISTINE A. ROSCOM, Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Standards (BAFS) as HEAD, NATIONAL SECRETARIAT, NCI-SRD.**


As such, they shall perform their respective functions, duties and responsibilities as stipulated in Section 7 (7.1.1); (7.1.3); and (7.1.4) of the DA-DAR-DENR-DILG JAO No. 1, series of 2020 and such others as may be directed by the Secretary.

All expenses relative to the performance of their respective duties and responsibilities in view of the designations shall be chargeable against OSEC funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

All officials and employees of the Department, including its Bureaus, Attached Agencies and Corporations, and Regional Field Offices are hereby advised of these designations and directed to give their full support and cooperation to the above officials in the performance of their duties and responsibilities.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until revoked in writing. All orders, memoranda, and other issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked or amended.

Done this 17<sup>th</sup> day of JANUARY 2024.

  
**FRANCISCO P. TIUL LAUREL JR.**  
Secretary



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