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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 600

Series of 2024

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIAL ORDER NO. 110, SERIES OF 2024 RE: CREATION OF THE STEERING COMMITTEE AND SUB-COMMITTEES FOR THE PHILIPPINE HORTICULTURE AND URBAN AGRICULTURE SUMMIT 2024

In the exigency of service, the Steering Committee and its Sub-Committees created through the DA Special Order No. 110, s2024 are hereby amended to facilitate the preparation and conduct of the Philippine Horticulture and Urban Agriculture Summit 2024 to be held in May.

The Committees shall be composed of officials and personnel from the Bureau of Plant Industry (BPI), Agricultural Training Institute (ATI), High Value Crops Development Program (HVCDP), and the National Urban and Peri-Urban Agriculture Program (NUPAP) as follows:

STEERING COMMITTEE

This Committee shall lead and oversee the planning and implementation of the event, facilitate meetings, and represent the Committee during relevant activities, and perform other tasks for the successful implementation of the event.

Chairperson : Cheryl Marie Natividad-Caballero
Undersecretary, High Value Crops

Gerald Glenn F. Panganiban, Ph.D.
Director, BPI, HVCDP, and NUPAP

Co-chairpersons : Remelyn R. Recoter, MNSA, CESO III
Director, ATI

Herminigilda A. Gabertan, Ph.D.
Assistant Director for Research, Development and Production Support Services, BPI, and Deputy Director, NUPAP

Ruel C. Gesmundo
Assistant Director for Regulatory Services, BPI

Geronima P. Eusebio
OIC-Head, Biotechnology Office, BPI

Members :

- Nemielynn Pangilinan, *ATI*
- Sherrie Dreje, *ATI*
- Kristine Joy De Guzman, *BPI*
- Anisah Guro-Macalangcom, *BPI*
- Ma. Flor Bencito, *BPI*
- Lolinnie Eugenio, *BPI*
- Raul Maminta, *BPI*
- Elaiza Nicole Dotimas, *BPI*
- Peter Magdaraog, *BPI*
- Christopher Cruz, *BPI*
- Shereene Samala, *BPI*
- Joan May Tolentino, *BPI*
- Elalin Torio, *BPI*
- William Mugot, *BPI*
- Ellaine Molon, *BPI*
- Carl Vincent Gapasin, *BPI*
- Antonieta J. Arceo, *ATI*
- Arlene Geminiana S. Nilo, *ATI*
- Joeven C. Calasagsag, *ATI*
- Leonel Limbauan, *HVCDP*
- Atty. Joycel Panlilio, *HVCDP*
- Shein Gomez, *NUPAP*

SUB-COMMITTEES

A. FINANCE

This Committee shall manage fund allocation and procurement of necessary materials, suppliers, and services needed for the event.

Committee Head : Sherrie Dreje, *ATI*

Co-heads : Kristine Joy De Guzman, *BPI*
Anisah Guro-Macalangcom, *BPI*

Members :

- Jessa Recto, *BPI*
- Ma. Cristina Flor, *BPI*
- Ma. Flor Bencito, *BPI*
- Jhoana Grace San Gabriel, *BPI*
- Jerlyn Bersin, *BPI*
- Francisca Bormeda, *HVCDP*
- Leonel Limbauan, *HVCDP*
- Dea Ann Alita, *HVCDP*
- Wynona Contegino, *NUPAP*
- Daniela Mari Superal, *NUPAP*
- Karen Estrella, *NUPAP*
- Jomar Tabor, *ATI*
- Justin Paolo Interno, *ATI*

B. PROGRAM AND USHERING

This Committee shall identify the activities to be included in the event, coordinate the day-to-day activities, and assist the guests and participants during the event proper. They shall assist the Invitation Committee in the profiling of guests and participants.

Committee Head	:	Peter Magdaraog, <i>BPI</i>
Co-heads	:	Alexis Marie Sagisi, <i>BPI</i> Shein Gomez, <i>NUPAP</i>
Members	:	Mark Raymond Reyes, <i>BPI</i> Ryan Atienza, <i>BPI</i> Sherwin Dannug, <i>BPI</i> Ma. Princess Onoya, <i>BPI</i> Princess Anicoy, <i>BPI</i> Rhea Solis, <i>BPI</i> Diego Rovillos, <i>BPI</i> Ella Lacanilao, <i>BPI</i> Jess Escalada, <i>BPI</i> Tracey Mae Cea, <i>BPI</i> Jhon Cyril Pelito, <i>BPI</i> Rezie Mae Catamora, <i>BPI</i> Eljohn Bejar, <i>BPI</i> Jason Lucero, <i>BPI</i> Apel Jae Clemente, <i>BPI</i> Jairus Abellar, <i>BPI</i> Paul Bernard La Torre, <i>BPI</i> Marc Dominic Frenal, <i>BPI</i> Christian Andarino, <i>BPI</i> Melvin Banagbanag, <i>BPI</i> Jomar Mosende, <i>BPI</i> Rogelio Magbitang Jr., <i>BPI</i> Viola Katherine Gamboa, <i>BPI</i> Andrew Andrade, <i>BPI</i> Sean Villaflor, <i>BPI</i> Nhyll Acuña, <i>BPI</i> Joseph Lucero, <i>BPI</i> Sharmila DL. Ramchad, <i>BPI</i> Sheila Ann T. Abarra, <i>BPI</i> Christiane Fatimah Decena, <i>BPI</i> Sam del Rosario, <i>BPI</i> Remie de Manuel, <i>BPI</i> Mikko Facturan, <i>BPI</i> Angeline Salinas, <i>BPI</i> John Russ Cachin, <i>BPI</i> Raphael Danigem Dimaya, <i>BPI</i> Janine Mantilla, <i>BPI</i> Morshid Macalayo, <i>BPI</i>

Annika Mae Zamudio, *BPI*
 Julie Fearl Doping, *BPI*
 Hilarie Mae Ruiz, *BPI*
 John Marc Gonzaga, *BPI*
 Charmaine Parafina, *BPI*
 Marichu Zuniga, *BPI*
 Jeffrey Morate, *BPI*
 Roland Christian Sanchez, *BPI*
 Belinda Cruz, *BPI*
 Carl Vincent Gapasin, *BPI*
 Joanna Rosa Angela Digno, *BPI*
 Veronica Lopez, *NUPAP*
 Veronica Sophia Realubit, *NUPAP*
 Maurene Gracela, *NUPAP*
 Rosevee Patiño, *NUPAP*
 Shandee Fay Catimbang, *ATI*
 Hershey Turda, *ATI*

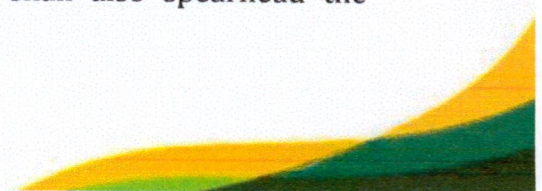
C. Invitation

This Committee shall be responsible for the identification and invitation of resource speakers, guests, and participants for the event, maintain a list of the invitees, and track the confirmation of these participants.

Committee Head	:	Shereene Samala, <i>BPI</i>
Co-head	:	Elaiza Nicole Dotimas, <i>BPI</i>
Members	:	Regine Patiño, <i>HVCDP</i> Mon-Jusyl Alva, <i>HVCDP</i> Dea Ann Alita, <i>HVCDP</i> Veronica Sophia Realubit, <i>NUPAP</i> Shein Gomez, <i>NUPAP</i> Karen Estrella, <i>NUPAP</i> Justise Raymond III Ocampo, <i>HVCDP</i> Daniela Mari Superal, <i>NUPAP</i> Mark Raymond Reyes, <i>BPI</i> Ericka Joy Ancayan, <i>BPI</i> Alexis Marie Sagisi, <i>BPI</i> Darlene Joy Siena, <i>BPI</i> Lermarie Bautista, <i>BPI</i> Aurora De Guzman, <i>BPI</i> Carl Vincent Gapasin, <i>BPI</i> Joanna Rosa Angela Digno, <i>BPI</i>

D. Publicity, Promotion, Technical and Documentation

This Committee shall be responsible for the preparation and dissemination of information and publication materials relevant to the event in collaboration with other appropriate offices and organizations. They shall also spearhead the



audio-visual arrangement during the event and prepare documentations including but not limited to write-ups and photo/video-documentation.

- Committee Head : Lolinnie Eugenio, *BPI*
Co-head : Joeven S. Calasagsag, *ATI*
Karl Louise Salibio, *ATI*
Aaron Paul Constantino, *NUPAP*
- Members : Aries Apiña, *BPI*
Justise Raymond III Ocampo, *HVCDP*
Aianne Mae Rey, *NUPAP*
Philline Alexa Yap, *NUPAP*
Sean Giuseppe Palencia, *NUPAP*
Hazel Joy Gusi, *BPI*
Marianne Antonio, *ATI*

E. Logistics and Health and Safety

This Committee shall be responsible in ensuring the availability of transportation and necessary materials and supplies, facilitate the physical arrangement, and prepare and lead during emergency situations.

- Committee Head : Raul Maminta, *BPI*
Co-head : Arlene Geminiana S. Nilo, *ATI*
Ellaine Molon, *BPI*
Christopher Cruz, *BPI*
- Members : Valerio Colis Jr., *BPI*
Roy Suaco, *BPI*
Kristine Angeli Valdez, *BPI*
Johner Ombrezo, *BPI*
Earl Austin Aromin, *BPI*
Saimon Caligayahan, *BPI*
John Leo Gavino Gamboa, *BPI*
Lovely Corrilla, *BPI*
Mauro Morante, *BPI*
Cherrylyn Parafina, *BPI*
Jallyn Remoquillo, *BPI*
Mark Robin Cabral, *BPI*
Mark Kenneth M. Sierra, *BPI*
Kar Michael E. Gandeza, *BPI*
Ramon Bong Alcachupas, *NUPAP*
Julius Harris Familara, *NUPAP*
Ezekiel March Unating, *NUPAP*
Osmundo Villanueva Jr., *NUPAP*
John Carl Ace B. Velez, *ATI*
Manuel M. Dimalaluan, *ATI*
Mc Alter A. Lanzon, *ATI*
Jonel Peralta, *ATI*

F. Food and Token

This Committee shall be responsible for the preparation of food for participants and organizers and tokens for distinguished guests and resource speakers.


Committee Head : William Mugot, *BPI*
Co-head : Jhoana Grace San Gabriel, *BPI*
Nemielynn P. Pangilinan, *ATI*
Sherrie C. Dreje, *ATI*
Erika Vizcarra, *ATI*

Members : Samuel Fontanilla, *BPI*
Jane Veena Gutierrez, *BPI*
Elalin Torio, *BPI*
Diana Tabudlong, *BPI*
Kathlen Racho, *BPI*
Mea Tabago, *BPI*
Mary Jane De Guzman, *BPI*
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Karen Estrella, *NUPAP*
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All expenses to be incurred by the members of the committees in the performance of their functions shall be chargeable against the funds of their respective offices, subject to the existing government accounting and auditing laws, rules, and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force and considered revoked upon completion of the activity. All orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 23rd day of APRIL 2024.


FRANCISCO P. TIU LAUREL JR.
Secretary

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