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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 686
 Series of 2024

SUBJECT : AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND ATTEND THE 4K PROGRAM TRAINING OF TRAINERS ON RICE AND BANANA FARM MANAGEMENT

In the exigency of service, the Kabuhayan at Kaunlaran ng Kababayang Katutubo-National Program Management Office (4K-NPMO) is hereby authorized to conduct and participate in the **4K PROGRAM TRAINING OF TRAINERS ON RICE AND BANANA FARM MANAGEMENT** on **10-14 June 2024** in Region IX.

This training aims to empower implementers and Indigenous Peoples (IP) partners with essential skills to support sustainable rice and banana farming practices within Indigenous Cultural Communities. This includes promoting farming techniques sensitive to their cultural context and environment. Additionally, the objectives seek to enhance community resilience through capacity building in agriculture, share successful methods from Indigenous Peoples Organizations for thriving in markets, and foster collaborative partnerships to advance Indigenous-led agricultural initiatives.

The following offices and respective number of participants are authorized to attend the activity:

Position/ Designation	Number of Participants
Department of Agriculture (DA)	
Office of the Secretary	3
4K National Program Management Office (NPMO)	9
Agribusiness and Marketing Division (RFO 9)	1
4K Focal/technical staff for RPMO with Rice and Banana SCAD	5
IPO Partners with Rice and Banana SCAD	
Cordillera Administrative Region	
- Tipon Ti Umili Para ti Panangsalwad iti Nakaparswaan (TIPON) Inc.	2
Region 4B	
- RO4-SAB-0309-099 Alangan Mangyan Kabataan Farmers Association	2
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Region 6 - Masaroy Farmers Association	2
Region 9 - Siayan Lupa Pusaka Subanen Association	2
Region 10	
- Minabtan Sumonda Higaonon Tribal Organizations Inc.	2


Resource Speaker	
Agricultural Training Institute	2
TOTAL	30

Expenses to be incurred in the activity such as food, venue, accommodation, supplies and materials, honoraria of the resource speakers, and other incidental expenses shall be charged against the 4K-NPMO funds, while traveling expense, per diem, and other incidental expenses of the participants shall be chargeable against the fund of their respective offices, subject to existing 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 10th day of May 2024.

For and By the Authority of the Secretary


ALLAN Q. UMALI
 Undersecretary for Administration
 (as per Special Order No. 618, Series of 2024)



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