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SPECIAL ORDER

NO. 714
Series of 2024

SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND PARTICIPATE IN THE STAKEHOLDERS' REVIEW AND CONSULTATION OF THE IMPLEMENTATION AND UPDATING OF THE NATIONAL TUNA MANAGEMENT PLAN (NTMP) 2019-2023

In the interest of the service, the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources is hereby authorized to conduct and attend the Stakeholders' review and consultation of the implementation and updating of the National Tuna Management Plan (NTMP) 2019-2023 on 29-30 May 2024 in Quezon City.

The activity aims to review the implementation of the National Tuna Management Plan 2019-2023. To 1) present and discuss the accomplishments, issues, and challenges in the implementation of the plan, 2) review of target per program/activity, and 3) solicit further actions for adjustments of the targets. The output of the review consultation will be the basis for the updating of the 5-year management plan.

In line with this, the following are hereby authorized to attend the consultation:

Agency/Sector	Number of Participants	Role/Responsibility
National Tuna Industry Advisory Board/Council (NTIAB) representatives	10	Resource Person/ Participants
PCAF key members	8	Resource Person/ Participants
Municipal Fishers/Fisherfolks	10	Resource Person/ Participants
Commercial Fishers/ Fisherfolks/ Operators	10	Resource Person/ Participants
Tuna Processor	10	Resource Person/ Participants
LGU representative	5	Resource Person/ Participants
Key Experts on Tuna (Academe)	3	Resource Person/ Participants
Non-Government Organization Representative	3	Participants
DA-NFRDI/ NSAP	3	Resource Persons/ Facilitator/ Secretariat
BFAR Regional Directors and NSAP Project Leaders of selected regions	8	Participants


BFAR-Central Office Personnel	10	Resource Persons/ Facilitator/ Secretariat
Total	80	

Expenses on the conduct of the activity such as food, venue, accommodation, supplies and materials, and other incidental expenses shall be chargeable against BFAR-Central Office funds, while all traveling expenses of the participants shall be chargeable against respective BFAR-Regional Offices' fund, subject to availability of funds and the existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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

Done this 20th 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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