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## **SPECIAL ORDER**

No.: <u>172</u> 8 Series of 2024

**SUBJECT** 

: AMENDMENT TO SPECIAL ORDER NO. 1608 SERIES OF 2024 RE: AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND PARTICIPATE IN THE NATIONAL AGRICULTURE PLANNING SUMMIT - PILOT ACTIVITY IN REGION III

In the exigency of service, Special Order No. 1608, series of 2024, authorizing the conduct and participation in the National Agriculture Planning Summit - Pilot Activity, is hereby amended to change the number of representatives in selected offices and include the Regional Agricultural Engineering Division of DA Regional Field Office - Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), as a participating office in the pilot activity.

The amended list of representatives and participants from the following offices is as follows:

Office	Number of Participants	
Department of Agriculture - Central Office		
Office of the Secretary	3	
Policy and Planning Group		
Undersecretary for Policy, Planning, and Regulations	2	
Assistant Secretary for Planning and Project Development	1	
Assistant Secretary for Policy and Regulations	1	
Office of the Director - Planning and Monitoring Service	2	
Planning and Programming Division	3	
Investment Programming Division	12	
Monitoring and Evaluation Division	3	
Project Development Service	2	
Policy Research Service	1	
Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Standards	1	

Office	Number of Participants
Biotechnology Program	1
Philippine Rubber Research Institute	1
Food Development Center	1
Department Legislative Liaison Office	1
Support Staff from Policy and Planning Group	5
Resource Persons and Facilitators	15
Bureau of Agricultural and Fisheries Engineering	2
Department of Interior and Local Government - Central Office Representative	3
Landbank of the Philippines	3
DA Regional Executive Directors (RFOs I to XIII)	15
Support staff from RFOs I, II, III, IV-A, and IV-B (one only from each office)	5
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION	
<ul> <li>DA Regional Field Office</li> <li>Regional Executive Director (3 participants, including technical staff and support staff)</li> <li>Planning, Monitoring &amp; Evaluation Division (3 participants, including the PMED Chief)</li> <li>Banner Program Coordinators for Rice, Corn, High-Value Crops, Livestock (1 participant per Banner Program)</li> <li>Regional Agricultural Engineering Division (6 technical staff)</li> </ul>	16
Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Regional Office  - BFAR Regional Director - BFAR Regional Planning Chief	2
Philippine Coconut Authority - Regional Manager - Engineering Operations Division Chief	2
Regional Agriculture and Fishery Council	1

Office	Number of Participants
<b>Provincial Agriculture and Fishery Councils</b> (1 participant from each PAFC in CAR)	6
Provincial Agriculture Office (1 participant from each PAO in CAR)	6
City Agriculture Office (1 participant from each CAO in CAR)	2
Municipal Agriculture Office (1 participant from each MAO in CAR)	75
Support Staff from the Host Region	5
Support staff from participants and invitees (for food only)	17
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All other provisions stated in Special Order No. 1608, Series of 2024, shall remain the same.

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

Done this 13th day of Nov 2024.

For and By the Authority of the Secretary

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Undersecretary for Administration

(as per Special Order No. 618, series of 2024)



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