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Department of Agriculture
BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY
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MEMORANDUM ORDER

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TO : ALL REGIONAL VETERINARY QUARANTINE OFFICERS
VETERINARY QUARANTINE STATIONS

FROM : OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: REITERATION OF OFFICIAL FUNCTIONS

In view of the Memorandum issuance reprimanding a Regional Veterinary Quarantine Officer who was observed performing mandated functions of the DA-Regional Field Office (RFO) as per Sections 6 and 7 of the **DA Administrative Order No. 8 Series of 2004** to wit: *the receiving and processing of applications for accreditation of Transport Carriers and licensing of Livestock and Poultry Handlers; endorsement of such applications to BAI; and receiving and release of accreditation certificates*, all Regional Veterinary Quarantine Officers (RVQOs) are hereby directed to refrain from carrying out the foregoing and other related functions without official authorization. This is to avoid duplication or encroachment of functions that may cause unnecessary confusion among applicants. Nevertheless, the RVQOs are encouraged to assist the DA-RFO and other relevant partners / stakeholders to facilitate the processing of required certification and application with our Agency and remain focused on the implementation of their official quarantine functions.

For compliance.


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