



MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

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SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 40, S.2023 ON THE IMPLEMENTING GUIDELINES OF NATIVE ANIMAL BREEDER PRODUCTION PROGRAM (NABPP) UNDER THE COCONUT FARMERS' AND INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT PLAN (CFIDP) OF THE COCONUT FARMERS' INDUSTRY TRUST FUND ACT (RA 11524)

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I. RATIONALE

The implementation of the Coconut Farmer and Industry Development Plan (CFIDP) as intended by RA 11524, is spearheaded by the Philippine Coconut Authority (PCA) with the Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI) as one of its implementing agencies.

BAI is entrusted with the Native Animal Breeder Production Program (NABPP) designed to contribute in uplifting the economic situation of coconut farmers by ensuring food availability and provision of an alternative source of livelihood.

II. OBJECTIVE

To increase and diversify income source of smallholder coconut farmer by increasing farm productivity through the integration of native animals.

III. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The program involves the establishment and development of native animal breeder farms in the fifteen (15) regions in partnership with Farmers' Cooperative Association (FCAs), Coconut Farmers Organization (CFOs) and other government entities.

The NABPP is composed of four (4) components with specific packages by commodity as shown below:

Module	Commodity/Item	Qty. (per Module)	Inclusions
Bakahan sa Niyugan (Native Cattle Under the Coconut)			
I	Native/Upgraded Cattle	16	1-2 years old Bull (1) head, at least 120 kgs. Heifer (15 head), 100 kgs.
	Cattle Feeds (2 bag per beneficiary)	30 bags	40 kgs/bag
	Vitamins	15	100ml/bottle
	Dewormer	15	30 ml/bottle
	Mineral Lick	15	10 kgs. per block





Module	Commodity/Item	Qty. (per module)	Inclusions
Manukan sa Niyugan (Free-Range Native Chicken Under the Coconut)			
II	Native/Upgraded chicken	750	30 to 35 days old Male - 225 head Female - 525 head
	Chicken Feeds (3 bags per beneficiary)	45	50 kgs/bag
	Vitamins	15	100 ml/bottle
	Dewormer	15	30 ml/bottle
	Fishnet	15	1 roll per beneficiary
	Incubator/CFO Hatcher/CFO	1 1	Min. capacity -1,000 eggs Min. capacity - 300 eggs
Kambingan sa Niyugan (Native Goats Under the Coconut)			
III	Native/Upgraded Goat	45	At least 15 kgs (6mos. - 2 yr. old) Male - 15 head Female - 30 head
	Goat Feeds (2 bags per beneficiary)	30	40 kgs/bag
	Vitamins	15	100ml/bottle
	Dewormer	15	30 ml/bottle
	UMMB	15	10 kgs/block
Babuyan sa Niyugan (Native Pigs Under the Coconut)			
IV	Native/Upgraded swine	50	At least 2-3 mos. old, not less than 10 kgs. Male - 20 head Female - 30 head
	Swine feeds (2 bags per beneficiary)	30 bags	50 kgs/bag
	Vitamins	15	100 ml/bottle
	Dewormer	15	30 ml/bottle

IV. COVERAGE/ SCOPE

The NABPP shall cover the entire country, with the exception of the National Capital Region (NCR) and the Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), Coconut Farmers, FCAs and CFOs registered with the National Coconut Farmers' Registration System (NCFRS) of the Philippine Coconut Authority (PCA).

V. IMPLEMENTATION MECHANISM

1. Only PCA endorsed beneficiaries shall be considered for the NABP program;
2. Change or replacement of prospective coconut farmer beneficiary shall be possible only through the CFO endorsed by the PCA to BAI;





3. In case of CFO replacement, a waiver from the replaced CFO shall be endorsed by PCA together with the new CFO;
4. Proposed project beneficiaries including sites shall be assessed and validated for readiness and suitability for animal production as per validation form (Annex A);
5. Qualified CFOs/coconut farmer beneficiaries shall have completed capacity building activities conducted by the Agricultural Training Institute (ATI);
6. Identified beneficiaries without training attendance during validation can still avail the native animals for distribution provided said beneficiaries shall attend the next animal production training to be conducted by ATI; and
7. Technical support services on animal reproduction, nutrition and health shall be provided by the Bureau in order to ensure the success and sustainability of the program.

VI. REPAYMENT SCHEME

Repayment can be made in kind or in cash as shown in the table below:

Native Animal	Repayment	
	In Kind	In Cash
Cattle	After two to three (2-3) years	Payment in cash can be made anytime at the option of the recipient but not to exceed three (3) years
Chicken	After one (1) year	
Goat	After two (2) years	
Swine	After one and ½ (1.5) years	


Repayment of animals in kind shall be transferred to next-in-line member recipients as determined by CFOs to be endorsed by PCA and validated by BAI. The amount to be paid in cash shall be determined based on the book value as indicated in the Property Acknowledgement Receipt (PAR)/Invoice Receipt (IR).

VII. HOLDING PERIOD

The coconut farmer beneficiaries shall not sell/dispose the animal until repayment has been made in kind or in cash.

For your information and guidance.

Done this 10th day of January 2025


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