



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Agriculture
**National Fisheries and Aquatic Resources
Management Council (NFARMC)**
Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City

**NFARMC RESOLUTION No. 07
Series of 2022**

RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE PROPOSED DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER PROVIDING FOR THE GUIDELINES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF FISHERY POST-HARVEST INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITY AND MACHINERY

WHEREAS, the National Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management Council (NFARMC) is a multi-sectoral body composed of representatives from all major stakeholders in Philippine fisheries and serves as an advisory and recommendatory body to the Department of Agriculture (DA);

WHEREAS, Section 72 (a) of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R. A. No. 8550 as amended by R. A. No. 10654 [the "AMENDED FISHERIES CODE OF 1998"] states that xxx "NFARMC shall have the following functions: (a) assist in the formulation of national policies for the protection, sustainable development and management of fishery and aquatic resources xxx";

WHEREAS, Section 59 of the Amended Fisheries Code mandates the Local Government Units (LGUs) to coordinate with the private sector and other concerned agencies and Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management Councils (FARMCs) in the establishment of post-harvest facilities;

WHEREAS, Rule 60.1 of IRR of R.A. No. 10654 mandates the Department of Agriculture - Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (DA-BFAR) and the Philippine Fisheries Development Authority (PFDA) in coordination with the LGUs to establish the minimum standards for post-harvest facilities, using as reference among others, the Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point (HACCP)-based system;

WHEREAS, during the Second Quarter Meeting of the NFARMC held at the MICROTEL by Wyndham, UP - Ayala Land, Technohub, Commonwealth Ave., Diliman, Quezon City on 29 April 2022, the DA-BFAR presented the proposed Department Administrative Order providing the Guidelines for the Establishment, Operation and Maintenance of Fishery Post-Harvest Infrastructure Facility and Machinery;

WHEREAS, after thorough deliberation and discussion, upon motion made which was duly seconded, the NFARMC adopts and approves the proposed draft Department Administrative Order providing the Guidelines for the

Establishment, Operation and Maintenance of Fishery Post-Harvest Infrastructure Facility and Machinery, subject to the revision thereof taking into account the inputs and comments of the Council members;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that after discussion and deliberation, the NFARMC hereby approves, adopts and recommends to the Secretary of Agriculture the draft Department Administrative Order providing the Guidelines for the Establishment, Operation and Maintenance of Fishery Post-Harvest Infrastructure Facility and Machinery, subject to the revision thereof taking into account the inputs and comments of the Council members;

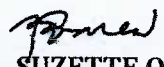
RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources and the Department of Agriculture;

UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED during the Second Quarter Meeting of the Council on 29 April 2022 held at the MICROTEL by Wyndham, UP - Ayala Land, Technohub, Commonwealth Ave., Diliman, Quezon City.

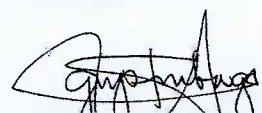

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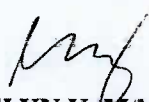
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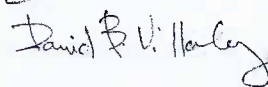

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