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**SPECIAL ORDER**

NO. 23

Series of 2023

**SUBJECT : CREATION OF THE DA-BAR BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION TEAM**

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In exigency of the service and pursuant to the provisions of DA Department Order No. 8, s. 2019 dated June 26, 2019, the composition of the Background Investigation Team (BIT) of the Bureau of Agricultural Research (BAR) is hereby constituted as follows:

Chairperson : **JUDE RAY P. LAGUNA**  
Acting Head, HRMU

Members : **MARJORIE M. MOSENDE**  
Senior Agriculturist, RPDD

**RHEA D. DESALESA**  
Senior Agriculturist, RCD

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Information Officer IV, KMISD

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The DA-BAR BIT shall be primarily responsible for conducting the background investigation of shortlisted candidates for vacant permanent positions which shall serve as initial inputs for the Human Resource Merit Promotion and Selection Board (HRMPSB). The collected data will serve as reference in the deliberation of candidates for recruitment or promotion to positions that require either first or second level civil service eligibility.

All expenses to be incurred in the performance of the Team's functions shall be charged against BAR funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This order shall take effect immediately. All orders, memoranda, and other issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this \_\_\_\_ day of February 2023.

  
**JOELL H. LALES**  
OIC Director