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Regional Nutrition Committee (RNC) Resolution No. 2 s 2016

STRENGTHENING THE REGIONAL NUTRITION COMMITTEE (RNC) IN REGION I

WHEREAS, in 1974, nutrition was declared as a priority thrust of the National Government with the signing of the Presidential Decree (PD) 491, otherwise known as the Nutrition Act of the Philippines and the creation of the National Nutrition Council;

WHEREAS, PD 491 mandates the formulation of the Philippine Food and Nutrition Program presently known as the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition, a coordinated and integrated program designed to eliminate malnutrition through the collective efforts of both government and private sectors;

WHEREAS, to better achieve this goal, structural organizations at national and sub-national levels have been established to coordinate the planning, implementation and monitoring of nutrition activities;

WHEREAS, the Regional Nutrition Committee (RNC) in Region I is an inter-sectoral body composed of Regional Directors or regional heads of national government agencies and other bureaus or agencies and representatives from the private sector;

WHEREAS, the functions of the RNC are the following:

1. Coordinate, monitor and evaluate the implementation of nutrition programs in support to Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition;
2. Issue implementing guidelines that will support the nutrition program in the region;
3. Formulate a Regional Nutrition Committee Strategic Action Plan;
4. Undertake projects/activities aimed at capacitating the Local Nutrition Committees and mobilizing support for the PPAN in the region; and
5. Conduct regular quarterly meeting or as the need arises to assess progress of program implementation

WHEREAS, the Regional Nutrition Planning and Evaluation Team (RNPET) composed of senior staff designated by the Regional Directors/Heads of Office was organized as the technical arm of the RNC;

WHEREAS, RNC Resolution No 1 S 2006 reorganized the Council membership to include the following agencies and institutions: DOH (Chair), DILG, DA, CHED, DTI, DAR, NCIP, DBM, NEDA, DepEd, NFA, DENR, PIA, DOLE, PopCom, DPWH, PhilHealth, ITRMC, CHR, DOST, DSWD, RLNAOs, P/CNAOs, and NNC (Secretariat),

WHEREAS, the District/City Nutrition Program Coordinators Association of the Philippines (D/CNPCAP)- Region I chapter and LUPang Ilocos Barangay Nutrition Scholars Federation, Incorporated (LUPangIlocosBNSFed,Inc.) were organized to ensure sustained quality nutrition program management and strengthen unity and linkages among its members;

WHEREAS, NNC-ROI organized the Regional Organization of Nutrition Development Advocates-1 (RONDA-1) composed of local media practitioners in Region I to participate actively and aggressively as well as effectively in the health role of a free, fearless press, and developmental program of the NNC;

WHEREAS, the RNC recognized the vital roles of these organizations in ensuring the health and nutritional well-being of the public and addressing malnutrition in the region;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, in consideration to the above premises to include the District/City Nutrition Program Coordinators Association of the Philippines- Region I Chapter, LUPang Ilocos Barangay Nutrition Scholars Federation, Incorporated and Regional Organization of Nutrition Development Advocates-1 as regular member of the RNC to be represented by their respective Presidents;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to request the Presidents of these organizations to attend the RNC regular meetings and other activities;

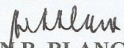
RESOLVED FURTHER, to request all the heads of the member-agencies to support the activities of the RNC by attending regular meetings;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to request the designated RNPET members (see attached Directory of RNC and RNPET members) to attend regular RNPET meetings and participate in planning, monitoring, evaluation (MELLPI and BNS Evaluation) and providing technical assistance/shepherding to concerned LGUs;


RESOLVED FINALLY, to provide copy of the resolution to the NNC- Central Office, Department of Health- Regional Office and all concerned entities for their information and reference.

APPROVED, this 21st day of March 2016 at Max's Restaurant, Parian, San Fernando City, La Union.

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