Republic of the Philippines Department of Health NATIONAL NUTRITION COUNCIL Region III

REGIONAL NUTRITION COMMITTEE Resolution No. 3, Series of 2012 ADOPTING THE PHILIPINE PLAN OF ACTION FOR NUTRITION (PPAN) 2011-2016

WHEREAS, the social contract of His Excellency President Benigno S. Aquino is focused on institutional reform, economic stability and inclusive growth;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Development Plan 2011-2016 under chapter 8 translates inclusive growth by ensuring improvement in the lives of all Filipinos through equitable access to adequate and quality social services and assets;

WHEREAS, consistent with the international commitment to achieve the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) the overall goal of the PPAN is to contribute to the improving the quality of human resource base of the country and to have substantial decreases in child and maternal and overall disease burden;

WHEREAS, recognizing the right to food is a moral and legal right, PPAN upholds that food and nutrition is a right of every individual and in every nutrition intervention rights, is essential part of a holistic process;

WHEREAS, the PPAN believes that the attainment of nutritional well-being is a main responsibility of families but the duty bearers like government organizations and non-government organizations should help the families, especially the marginalized, to be able to provide for their own nutritional needs;

WHEREAS, PPAN is guided by the principles of multisectoral approach, equity, evidence-based interventions and programs, and good governance;

WHEREAS, the 7 provinces and 13 cities of Central Luzon had already been implementing the nutrition program at the barangay, municipal and provincial levels; the Provincial Nutrition Action Officers (P/CNAOs) and District/City Nutrition Program Coordinators (DCNPCs) had undergone the necessary orientations on the PPAN by the NNC Regional Office III while the concerned nutrition and health workers conducted the echo trainings, seminars and orientation at the provincial, municipal and barangay levels.

WHEREAS, the 7 provinces and 13 cities of Central Luzon have been submitting nutrition accomplishment reports based on the implemented PPAN at the barangays and municipalities in the provinces to NNC Regional Offices, and had used these in assessing, planning, coordinating, monitoring and evaluation of the local nutrition programs.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, in consideration of the foregoing, we the Regional Nutrition Committee of Central Luzon do hereby adopt the PPAN 2011-2016 as the framework for achieving nutritional adequacy and thus, contribute for a better quality of life of Filipinos;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that we commit our departments or agencies or organizations to:

- Translate the priority actions into concrete activities, the budgetary requirements of which will be integrated in our budgets, which will include funding from development partners; in the spirit of cooperation, complementation of each other's efforts and in coordination with the NNC Region III Secretariat; and
- 2. Advocate for the translation of the priority actions into concrete activities to those within the scope of our influence.

RESOLVED FURTHER, for the National Nutrition Council Region III Secretatriat to ensure that PPAN 2011-2016 is disseminated as widely as posible to enable stakeholders to align their efforts along the priority concerns;

RESOLVED FURTHER, for the National Nutrition Council Region III to monitor and to ensure that this resolution is fully implemented.

Approved this <u>6th day of November</u> 2012

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