

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

SUBJECT:

AMENDMENT TO MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 01, SERIES OF 2022, "AMENDED GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMUNITY – BASED SWINE PRODUCTION, REPOPULATION AND EXPANSION THROUGH FARM CLUSTERING AND CONSOLIDATION AS ENUNCIATED IN THE INSPIRE PROGRAM"

To facilitate the implementation of the Component 1 of the National Swine Production Initiatives for Recovery and Expansion (INSPIRE) Program to revive the country's hog industry and in order to cope with the rising prices of goods including construction materials brought by the Russia-Ukraine conflict, and to indicate the signatory to the supplemental guidelines, provisions in Section VI and Section IX of Memorandum Circular No. 01, Series of 2022 are hereby amended, as follows:

Section VI Project Package, Fund Grant and Schemes

The recommended allocation for the funding coverage under FCA without Existing Facilities may be adjusted to cover the rise in construction materials. In particular:

- a. Funding allocation for piglets may be reduced up to 50%;
- The reduction in funding for piglets may be used to augment the construction of Biosecure facility.

Section IX Supplementary Guideline

The DA-RFOs may issue a supplementary guideline to facilitate the orderly implementation of the Project upon **approval of the Secretary of Agriculture**.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately upon signing and shall be valid unless revoked and superseded by future issuances.

Done this 13th day of May 2022.

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Secretary

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