



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



Regional Nutrition Committee VIII

RNC Resolution No. 8, Series of 2020

**DESIGNATING OFFICER-IN CHARGE DIRECTOR IV (OIC Director IV) EXUPERIA
B. SABALBERINO OF THE EASTERN VISAYAS CENTER FOR HEALTH
DEVELOPMENT AS CHAIRPERSON OF THE REGIONAL
NUTRITION COMMITTEE (RNC)**

WHEREAS, The Regional Nutrition Committee (RNC) is the highest policy making body tasked to formulate a regional nutrition plan, issue implementing guidelines for the region based on the policies set by the National Nutrition Council, coordinate and monitor the implementation of agency and local government unit (LGU) programs, and conduct regular quarterly meetings to assess progress of program implementation;

WHEREAS, the RNC is guided with the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition (PPAN), the blue print in taking actions for nutrition, laying out targets, setting directions and priority actions;

WHEREAS, the Composition of RNC members is patterned after the composition/membership of agencies in the Governing Board with modification of structure to include academe and the participation of the civil society organizations;

WHEREAS, the Committee is currently composed of the following members (1) Department of Health (DOH); (2) Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG); (3) Department of Agriculture (DA); (4) Department of Budget and Management (DBM); (5) Department of Education (DepEd); (6) Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE); (7) Department of Science and Technology (DOST); (8) Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD); (9) Department of Trade and Industry (DTI); (10) National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA); (11) Philippine Information Agency (PIA); and (12) Commission on Population and Development (POPCOM) with the participation of (10) Eastern Visayas State University (EVSU), Tacloban City of the Academe Sector; (13) Plan International from the Non-Governmental Organization; and (14) Eastern Visayas Association of Barangay Nutrition Scholars (EVA-BNS); and (15) Harmonized Initiatives of Media for the Spread of Good Nutrition in Region-8 (HIMSoG-8) from the Civil Society Organizations;

WHEREAS, As provided for in Executive Order 472, s. 2005, entitled "*Transferring the National Nutrition Council from the Department of Agriculture to the Department of Health*", Section No. 2 provides the composition of the officers namely: the Secretary of the Department of Health shall be the ex-officio Chairperson of the Governing Board of the National Nutrition Council with the Secretaries of Department of Agriculture and the Department of the Interior and Local Government as Ex-officio Vice- Chairpersons which pattern the RNC;

WHEREAS, With the compulsory retirement of Director IV Minerva P. Molon on November 1, 2020, Director III, Exuperia B. Sabalberino was designated as the Officer-in-Charge Director IV of the Eastern Visayas Center for Health and Development through Department Personnel Order (DPO) No. 2020-2462 effective November 2, 2020 duly signed by Secretary Francisco T. Duque III;

WHEREAS, in order the Committee to continuously deliver its functions and achieve the targets of the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition, issue implementing guidelines that will support the nutrition programs in the region, formulate Regional Strategic Plan of Action for Nutrition and Regional Nutrition Action Plan, and undertake projects/ activities aimed at capacitating the Local Nutrition Committee and mobilizing support for the PPAN in the region, thus the need of the RNC Chairperson is necessary.

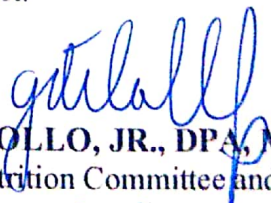
NOW THEREFORE, upon the motion of RD Erlinda Olivia Tiu of Philippine Information Agency, duly seconded by Dr. Elsa Gerona of the Department of Education, be it;

RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to designate Dr. Exuperia B. Sabalberino the Officer-in-Charge, Director IV of Eastern Visayas Center for Health and Development as the Chairperson of the Regional Nutrition Committee.

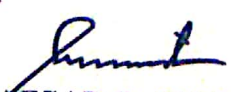
RESOLVED FURTHER, that copy of this resolution be forwarded to the RNC member agencies for information.

APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY, this 9th day of November, Two Thousand and Twenty in Palo, Leyte.

Certified true and correct:


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Approved:


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