

DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR

No. <u>04</u> Series of 2023

SUBIECT

REVOCATION OF DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR 1 SERIES OF 2022, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "GENERAL GUIDELINES ON THE REGISTRATION OF NEW FERTILIZER PRODUCTS WITH REQUIRED BIOEFFICACY TRIAL AND MANDATORY PUBLICATION OF THE BIOEFFICACY TRIAL TERMINAL DEPORT"

REPORT"

In the exigency of the service and to give sufficient time to further assess the impact on the registration of fertilizer products with the Fertilizer and Pesticide Authority, Department Circular No. 1 series of 2022 is hereby revoked.

Notwithstanding the revocation, the issuance of Experimental Use Permit (EUP) for the conduct of bioefficacy trials to support registration of fertilizer products shall follow the procedure laid down in the Fertilizer Regulatory Policies and Implementing Guidelines 2019 edition.

For this purpose, the Fertilizer and Pesticide Authority is hereby instructed to issue the appropriate guidelines after its assessment.

This Circular shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force unless earlier revoked in writing. All orders inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 7th of March 2023.

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