



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

DEPARTMENT OF AGRARIAN REFORM

Tunay na Pagbabago sa Repormang Agraryo

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 09

Series of 2023

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO THE REORGANIZATION OF THE SPECIAL CONCERNS AND THE EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND COMMUNICATIONS OPERATIONS SECTOR UNDER MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 07 DATED 09 NOVEMBER 2023 SERIES OF 2023

Pursuant to Section 7, par. 4, Ch. 2 of Executive Order (E.O.) 292, in the interest of the service to achieve operational efficiency, judicious use of human and financial resources, transparency and accountability, the organizational structure of the Office of the Undersecretary for Special Concerns and External Affairs and Communications Operations (OUSC-EACO) is hereby streamlined as follows:

1. A Public Information Service (PIS) is hereby created in place of the Public Assistance and Media Relations Service (PAMRS) and shall perform all of the functions and responsibilities of the latter.

The existing personnel of the PAMRS shall undergo performance evaluation and assessment to determine their capabilities to perform public information and media relations functions.

2. The Legislative Liaison and External Affairs (LLEAS) Service shall cease to operate as a separate unit and its functions, budget and personnel shall be absorbed by the Office of the Undersecretary for Special Concerns and External Affairs and Communication Operations (OUSC-EACO)

All personnel and officials of the LLEAS shall undergo performance evaluation and assessment of qualifications to determine their capabilities to perform legislative liaison and other related functions.

All Memorandum Circulars and other issuances inconsistent herewith are hereby superseded.

This Circular shall take effect immediately.

18 December, 2023, Diliman, Quezon City.

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