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(Punonghimpilan Tanod Baybayin ng Pilipinas)
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**GUIDELINES ON THE PAYMENT OF RICE SUBSIDY FOR
PCG UNIFORMED PERSONNEL**

I. REFERENCES:

1. Presidents Veto Fiscal Year 2017 (R.A. No. 10924)
2. DND approved Department Circular No. 03 dated 02 February 2017
3. HPN Memorandum dated 09 March 2017

II. PURPOSE

This Circular prescribes the policies and procedures in the issuance/implementation of the rice subsidy allowance of PCG Uniformed Personnel.

III. POLICIES

1. That as per GAA 2017, the PCG has an approved programmed budget amounting to Php 67,522,560.00 under the Morale and Welfare (Financial Assistance/Subsidy) allocated for the rice subsidy of all PCG Uniformed personnel.
2. The provision of rice subsidy shall be given to PCG Uniformed Personnel as recognition to the diligent efforts and support to the governments fight against criminality, illegal drugs and corruption.
3. The rice subsidy shall be given in the form of cash allowance which shall be equivalent to twenty (20) kilos of rice per month at Php 32.00 per kilo. Adjustments in the price per kilo may be made as provided for in the annual appropriations of the PCG.

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4. As specifically provided, no rice, rice voucher and/or its equivalent shall be distributed to PCG personnel. Said subsidy shall be charged against the CG-1 IMF for CY 2017 under Morale and Welfare (Financial Assistance/Subsidy).
5. Rice subsidy will be made through the PCG Finance Center in a form of monthly cash allowance which will be received by PCG Personnel along with their monthly pay and allowances (reflected in their pay slips).
6. The monthly rice subsidy shall be applied uniformly to all PCG Uniformed Personnel. However, civilian employees, trainees such as CCGMs and CCGOs who are already provided with board and lodging are not entitled to receive the allowance.

IV. EFFECTIVITY

The rice subsidy allowance shall be provided to PCG Uniformed Personnel effective 01 January 2017. Thus, the January to July rice subsidy allowance shall be given in full. Thereafter, the allowance will be received on a monthly basis.

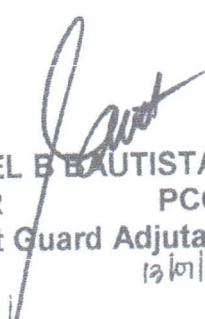
V. RESCISSION

All existing regulations and guidelines or portions thereof which are inconsistent herewith are hereby rescinded or repealed accordingly.

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