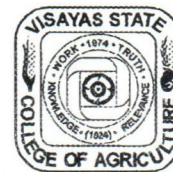


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T O: **Dr. Florencio A. Saladaga**  
Project-In-Charge  
Rice Seed Production Project

SUBJECT: **Request of the Department of Agriculture to All Seednet Members**

As requested by the Department of Agriculture, you are hereby directed to prepare/facilitate the following:

1. Submit to DA-RFU inventory of all registered seeds available by variety since they are presently programming all available seeds based on needs of the regional seed growers federation.
2. Facilitate processing of seeds in time for the May planting.
3. Reserve and make available to accredited seed growers all registered seeds produced by the Regional Seednet members. To note that the target seed requirement for November 2000 to April 2001 cropping is 21,991 bags of certified palay seeds. This will require an estimated 275 bags of registered seeds which will be needed by the private seed growers throughout the region for this May to October planting.

The inventory of all registered seeds available by variety should be forwarded to this office for submission to DA-RFU.

PhilRice is ready to send the foundation seeds within this week for your May to October planting. We are providing you a copy of Dr. Balagapo's letter and a copy of the Implementing Guidelines on the DA-NFA Procurement and Distribution of Certified Palay Seeds under the Agrikulturang MakaMASA Rice Program for reference and guidance.

For compliance.

  
**PACIENCIA P. MILAN**  
President *jj*