



OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR  
**CARLOS JERICHO L. PETILLA**

April 22, 2024

**HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER JR.**  
Vice-Governor and Presiding Officer  
and **THE HONORABLE MEMBERS**  
**SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN**  
Province of Leyte

Gentlemen and Ladies:

Greetings!

Respectfully endorsed to the Honorable August Body, authorizing the **Honorable Carlos Jericho L. Petilla, Governor, Province of Leyte**, to request assistance from PHILIPPINE CENTER FOR POSTHARVEST DEVELOPMENT AND MECHANIZATION THROUGH THE RICE COMPETITIVENESS ENHANCEMENT FUND-MECHANIZATION COMPONENT; for the acquisition of the technology, as well as designate the undersigned as the authorized representative to transact with the DA-PHILMECH and/or sign documents for and in behalf of the Provincial Government of Leyte.

I am confident that this endorsement will merit your preferential consideration. Attached herein is the document for your guidance and perusal.

Thank you.

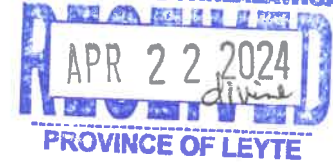
Very truly yours,

  
**CARLOS JERICHO L. PETILLA**  
Governor *ijp*

Item No.: 10

Date: 01 2024 MAY  
Republic of the Philippines  
**PROVINCE OF LEYTE**

SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN



A RESOLUTION TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE FROM THE PHILIPPINE CENTER FOR POSTHARVEST DEVELOPMENT AND MECHANIZATION THROUGH THE RICE COMPETITIVENESS ENHANCEMENT FUND – MECHANIZATION COMPONENT

SP BOARD RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_

Series of \_\_\_\_\_

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Leyte with address at Provincial Government Complex, West Bypass Road, Brgy. Guindapunan, Palo realizes that having control over all aspects of the palay and rice industry is the only way to advance for agricultural development;

**WHEREAS**, to improve its productivity and save postharvest losses, the Provincial Government of Leyte needed to acquire basic production and postharvest facilities such as:

Technologies	Number of Units	Rank according to priority of needs
Mechanical recirculating dryer (6 tons/batch)	2	1
Multi-stage Rice Mill (5 tons/hour)	1	1

**WHEREAS**, the Province of Leyte has a total of 54,144 hectares of irrigated land and 20,140.60 hectares of non-irrigated rice land;

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Leyte has been implementing Increased Crop Output Thru Rural Infrastructure and Community Empowerment (ICOT RICE) since the year 2008 to date;

**WHEREAS**, the ICOT RICE is a rice production loan to qualified farmers accepting payment in the form of palay or cash and with the option to sell their extra palay to the program at a price a peso/kg higher than the prevailing market price;

**WHEREAS**, ICOT RICE has an average number of 200 farmer-beneficiaries/year and 1,000 metric tons/year of palay processed to well-milled rice under the program;

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Leyte has access to the services of expert personnel to manage and operate the requested machinery/facility;

**WHEREAS**, as the proposed location of the project is close to rice areas with the following details:

Brgy. San Isidro, Sta. Fe	194 hectares
Brgy. San Miguelay, Sta. Fe	77 hectares
Brgy. Cabangcalan, Sta. Fe	97 hectares
Brgy. Pilit, Sta. Fe	98 hectares
Brgy. Gapas, Sta. Fe	74 hectares

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Leyte has the access in availing/hiring/assigning personnel to operate and manage the machineries/facility:

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Leyte has machinery shed as counterpart for the project with an area of 192 sq.m.

Location: Sitio Pulak, Brgy. San Isidro, Sta. Fe, Leyte

Lot Owner: Provincial Government of Leyte

Owned  Donated  Lease

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Leyte has available cash for the operating cost amounting to:

Two million five hundred thousand pesos (Php 2,500,000.00)

**NOW THEREFORE**, on motion of and duly seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, it is hereby **RESOLVED** that the Provincial Government of Leyte is requesting assistance from PHILIPPINE CENTER FOR POSTHARVEST DEVELOPMENT AND MECHANIZATION for the acquisition of the above requested technologies.

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that HON. CARLOS JERICHO L. PETILLA, Governor of Leyte, shall be designated as the authorized representative to transact with the DA-PHILMECH and/or sign documents for and in behalf of the Provincial Government of Leyte with respect to the requested assistance, with his/her three (3) specimen signatures shown below this resolution.

**APPROVED**, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2024 in Palo, Leyte.

I hereby **CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

Approved:

(Signatures of SP members)

**THREE SPECIMEN SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_