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Hon. Ramon V. Guico III, DPM
Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 0053-2023

**ORGANIZING THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES PROVINCIAL
CENSUS COORDINATING BOARD OF PANGASINAN**

WHEREAS, Executive Order (EO) No. 352, otherwise known as the Designation of Statistical Activities That Will Generate Critical Data for Decision-Making of the Government and the Private Sector, issued on 01 July 1996, designates the regular conduct of the Census of Agriculture and Fisheries (CAF) every ten years with the objective of providing government planners and policy makers with data on which to base their plans for the country's development;

WHEREAS, Section 6 of Republic Act (RA) No. 10625, otherwise known as the Philippine Statistical Act of 2013 mandates the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) to prepare and conduct periodic censuses on population, housing, agriculture, fisheries, business, industry and other sectors of the economy;

WHEREAS, the latest CAF was undertaken in 2013 with 2012 as reference year and the next census will be conducted in September 2023 with 2022 as reference period to come up with data on agricultural and fisheries structures; to provide sampling frame for other statistical undertaking; and to provide basic data for use in national as well as local development planning;

WHEREAS, recognizing the increasing importance of the census data in meeting data needs at the lowest geographic level, the assistance provided by government agencies, government-owned and controlled corporations, and local government units (LGUs) to the PSA, as in previous censuses, will be instrumental to the success of the 2022 CAF;

WHEREAS, to ensure the cooperation of all government and private entities and smooth flow of census operations at local level, there is a need to create provincial, city, and municipal census coordinating boards;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RAMON V. GUICO III, by virtue of the authority granted to me by law and in compliance with relevant rules and regulations do hereby organize the Census of Agriculture and Fisheries (CAF) Provincial Census Coordinating Board (PCCB) of Pangasinan;

Section 1. Composition. The Provincial Statistics Committee (PSC) of Pangasinan shall serve as the Provincial Census Coordinating Board for 2022 CAF with the Provincial Governor as Chairperson and inclusion of the following government and private entities as additional members: