



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 45
Series of 2019

“CREATION OF THE PROVINCIAL SALT INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, PROVIDING FOR ITS COMPOSITION AND FUNCTIONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

WHEREAS, a workshop entitled “Occidental Mindoro Salt Industry Road Mapping Workshop Using the Value Chain Approach” was conducted on June 15-16, 2017 in Sikatuna Beach Hotel and Restaurant, San Jose, Occidental Mindoro. In that workshop, the following outputs were formulated: Product and Market Analysis; Value Chain Map of Salt Industry of Occ. Mindoro for the Domestic Market; Analysis of Value Chain Actors’ Constraints and Opportunities; Vision, Mission, Objectives, Strategies and Indicators; and Proposed Programs, Projects and Activities based on identified strategies to address prioritized constraints;

WHEREAS, a subsequent workshop on Occidental Mindoro Salt Industry Road Map Revisit was conducted on September 5, 2019 in San Jose, Occidental Mindoro which was participated by both private and public stakeholders of the Salt Industry Cluster. The workshop aims to analyze the product market situation; determine other constraints and opportunities; revisit the vision, mission, objectives, strategies and indicators; and update the action plan;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Occidental Mindoro has been actively participating in the Salt Iodization Program of the United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) prior to the enactment of RA 8172 (ASIN Law);

WHEREAS, Rule VI, Section 2 of DOH Department Circular No. 96 series of 2004 provides that Local Government Units (LGUs) shall support the development and sustainability of the Salt Iodization Program in coordination with the DILG;

WHEREAS, Occidental Mindoro is the biggest producer of salt in the country with vast potential land area for development and significantly contributes to job creation in the province;

WHEREAS, Occidental Mindoro is a microcosm of the salt industry dynamics in the country;

WHEREAS, there is a need to implement, monitor and evaluate the provincial strategic plans for the salt industry;

NOW THEREFORE, I, EDUARDO B. GADIANO, Governor of Occidental Mindoro, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the creation of the Provincial Salt Industry Development Council, as follows:



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Section 1. Creation of Provincial Salt Industry Development Council (PSIDC). The Council shall be composed of the following:

Chairman	:	Eduardo B. Gadiano Governor
Co-Chairman	:	Representative from Tamaraw Salt Producers Cooperative (TAMACO)
Secretariat	:	Personnel from the Department of Trade and Industry
Members	:	Local Chief Executive or Representative from Local Government of San Jose Local Chief Executive or Representative from Local Government of Magsaysay Local Chief Executive or Representative from Local Government of Looc Local Chief Executive or Representative from Local Government of Lubang Representative from Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Representative from Occidental Mindoro State College (OMSC) Representative from Department of Health (DOH) Representative from Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) Representative from Office of the Provincial Agriculturist (OPA) Representative from Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) Representative from Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) Representative from Provincial Planning and Development Office (PPDO) Representative from Provincial Health Office (PHO)

Section 2. Functions. The Provincial Salt Industry Development Council shall be responsible for the following:

1. Conduct regular meetings for the purpose of recommending plans, programs and policies for salt industry development;
2. Provide assistance on salt production, iodization and product development and identification of appropriate marketing strategies;



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3. Forge linkages with other agencies and institutions in the planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the salt industry development program;
4. Establish and update a database of all information relevant to salt industry in the province;
5. Submit quarterly status report on salt industry development program to PGOM thru the Provincial Planning and Development Office.

Section 3. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE this 26th day of November 2019 at the Provincial Capitol, Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro.


EDUARDO B. GADIANO
Governor