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Fisheries Technical Seminar
“Facilitating Market Access of Fish and Fishery Products for International Trade”

DRAFT PROGRAM

15 June 2023 | 09:00AM – 05:00PM (Philippines)

*Hidalgo and Amoroso Halls, 2nd Floor
World Trade Center (WTC), Pasay City*

TIME	TOPIC/S	RESOURCE PERSON
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Registration	Secretariat
9:00 AM – 9:10 AM	Preliminaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opening Prayer National Anthem 	Audio-Visual Presentations
9:10 AM – 9:20 AM	Welcome Message	Atty. Demosthenes R. Escoto <i>Director, BFAR</i>
9:20 AM – 9:30 AM	Objectives, and Mechanics of the Technical Seminar	Amor G. Diaz <i>Chief, FIDSSD</i>
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM	The FAO Port State Measures Agreement and its Connectivity to International Fish Trade and Market Access	Francisco Blaha <i>International Consultant</i>
10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	The International Regulatory Framework applicable to Trade of Fisheries and Aquaculture Products, the recent Trade and Production Flows and Market Trends	Marcio Castro de Souza Senior Fishery Officer, International Trade, FAO
10:00 AM	Working Coffee Break	
10:30-11:00 AM	The Philippine Food Safety Management and Regulatory Framework to Facilitate Market Access and Trade	Amor G. Diaz <i>Chief, FIDSSD</i>
11:00 AM-12:00 NN	Open Forum	
12:00 NN – 12:15 NN	Awarding of Plaque of Appreciation to the Resource Persons of the morning session	
12:15 NN – 1:15 PM	Lunch Break	
1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	Market Access: Certification and Traceability Requirements	Nada Bougoss Fishery Office, FAO
	Market Access: Food Safety and Border Rejections – Practical Examples	Giulia Loi Food Safety Advisor, FAO



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2:15 PM – 3:30 PM	The most important import requirements of fisheries and aquaculture products <i>The main import requirements of the major import markets (US, EU, China, Japan, and South Korea) will be covered.</i>	William Griffin Market Analyst, FAO Shirlene Maria Anthony Samy Director, INFOFISH
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Online Tools to Facilitate Analysis of International Trade of Fisheries and Aquaculture Products	William Griffin Market Analyst, FAO
3:30 PM	Working Coffee Break	
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Open Forum	
5:00 pm – 5:20 PM	Awarding of Plaque of Appreciation to the Resource Persons of the afternoon session	
5:20 PM – 6:00 PM	Closing Remarks	ZALDY PEREZ <i>Assistant Director of Administrative Services, BFAR</i>
-End of Activity-		

Master of Ceremony
Jhonrick Orense