



Republic of the Philippines  
**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**  
Office of the Secretary  
Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City

Special Order  
No. 291 :  
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**SUBJECT: Additional List of Members of the Scientific and Technical Review Panel (STRP) per DA Administrative Order No. 8, series of 2002, entitled "*Rules and Regulations for the Importation and Release into the Environment of Plants and Plant Products Derived from the Use of Modern Biotechnology*" (Added Provision to Special Order No. 384, series of 2002, on the Creation of a Scientific and Technical Review Panel)**

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In the interest of the service and in line with the implementation of DA Administrative Order No. 8 (series of 2002), the attached list of experts/scientists (Annex A), who have accepted membership to the Scientific and Technical Review Panel (STRP) shall form part of the DA pool of STRP members in addition to the DA list contained in Special Order No. 384 date August 23, 2002.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

(signed)  
**LUIS P. LORENZO, JR.**  
Secretary

## Additional List of Experts Who Accepted Invitation to the STRP

### ***A. Biology, Biochemistry, Genetic, Plant breeding and Related Fields***

1. Dr. Cynthia Hedreyda	National Institute of Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, UP Diliman
2. Dr. Antonio Laurena	Institute of Plant Breeding, UP Los Baños
3. Dr. Vermando Aquino	Institute of Plant Breeding, UP Los Baños
4. Dr. Gloria Bernas	Office of Research and Development, University of the Sto. Tomas
5. Dr. Elmer Borromeo	Retired Professor
6. Dr. Esperanza Cabrera	Biology Department, De La Salle University
7. Dr. Reynaldo Eborá	National Institute of Biotechnology and Applied Microbiology, UP Los Baños, Laguna
8. Dr. Rafael Guerrero	Philippine Council for Aquatic and Marine Research and Development, DOST
9. Dr. Pablito Magdalita	Institute of Plant Breeding, UP Los Baños
10. Dr. Veronica Migo	National Institute of Biotechnology & Applied Microbiology, UP Los Baños
11. Dr. Laura J. Pham	National Institute of Biotechnology and Applied Biotechnology, UP Los Baños, Laguna
12. Dr. Cynthia Saloma	National Institute of Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, UP Diliman
13. Dr. Priscilla Sanchez	Retired Professor
14. Dr. Ameurfina Santos	National Institute of Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, UP Diliman
15. Dr. Mary Ann Tavanlar	National Institute of Biotechnology & Applied Microbiology, UP Los Baños
16. Dr. Celia Torres Villanueva	National Institute of Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, UP Diliman

### ***B. For Human Health, Animal Health and Nutrition***

<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>
17. Dr. Trinidad Trinidad	Food & Nutrition Research Institute, DOST
18. Dr. Gemiliano Aligui	Philippine Council for Health Research & Development, DOST
19. Dr. Edward Barroga	Department of Veterinary Paraclinical Sciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, UP Los Baños
20. Dr. Gemerlyn Garcia	College of Veterinary Medicine, Central Luzon State University
21. Dr. Romeo Gundran	College of Veterinary Medicine, Central Luzon State University
22. Dr. Reynaldo Mabesa	Institute of Food Science & Technology, UP Los Baños
23. Dr. Nelson Natural	Institute of Animal Science, UP Los Baños
24. Dr. Benito Oliveros	Roche Vitamins, Inc.
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26. Dr. Ricardo del Rosario	Institute of Food Science & Technology, UP Los Baños
27. Dr. Teodulo Topacio	Professor, Emeritus
28. Dr. Ninfa Roxas	Animal Science Nutrition Department, College of Agriculture, UP Los Baños, Laguna