

TECHNICAL COOPERATION COUNCIL OF THE PHILIPPINES

FY 2021 ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT (updated as of 09 March 2022)

I. Pursuant to its mandate of providing non-degree, short-term technical training to Developing and Least Developed Countries, TCCP implemented and currently running the following programs and activities for FY 2021.

A. Programs/Activities/Projects Completed

1. Advancement of the Philippines Technical Cooperation Program:

TCCP Participated in the following meetings, conferences and presentations:

- ❖ SDG17 Global Partnership Round-Table, 24 March 2021
- ❖ UN International Consultation on South South Cooperation, 23 August 2021
- ❖ Survey on South-South Cooperation Modalities In the Asia-Pacific Region, 06 August 2021
- ❖ High Level Asia Pacific Regional Review Meeting on the Istanbul Program of Action 30 August to 02 September 2021
- ❖ 5th Philippines - Brazil Bilateral Consultation Mechanism (BCM) 13 September 2021
- ❖ Presentation of the Technical Cooperation Council of the Philippines at the Ateneo University, Diplomacy and Consular Protocol Course, 22 September 2021

2. Web Based Platform Creation for TCCP's P/A/Ps

Brief:

TCCP created a Facebook account that will serve as a platform to inform the public of its program, activities and projects. This will be temporary since TCCP is currently coordinating with the DFA-ICTD on the approval from the DICT of a TCCP web-site which will be a subdomain under the DFA.

B. Programs/Activities/Projects Currently Running (On-Going)

1. On-line Food Processing Series for the Asia, Pacific and Africa countries

Activities:

- ❖ Basic Food Handling
- ❖ Fruit Preserves Production
- ❖ Fruit Juice Production
- ❖ Coconut and by-products Production
- ❖ Fish Processing

Brief:

This activity is being implemented in cooperation with the Department of Science and Technology, Industrial Technology Development Institute. With an agreement with DOST-ITDI in place, TCCP will be uploading available recorded training sessions of DOST-ITDI to its social platform. TCCP is awaiting the submission of DOST of the files for upload. Most of the said video files are undergoing re-dubbing and re-doing of sub-titles into English (originally in Taglish form) to be best appreciated in the international fora.

2. Training on Rice Integrated Crop Management: The PalayCheck System for Sri Lanka (former title of training "Training of Trainers on PalayCheck System cum Rice and Rice-Based Technologies for Sri Lanka")

Duration: March 2022 to the end of planting season

Activities:

- ❖ Transformational Leadership
- ❖ Modernized Rice and Seed Productions
- ❖ Rise with Rice (Other Skills Training)

Brief:

This training is supposedly to be implemented via face-to-face mode by sending Philippine experts from the Philrice to Sri Lanka. However, due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the program for this training had to be overhauled, re-studied and revised. Only in December 2021 that the Philippines and the Sri Lanka parties agreed on the Training Modules to be adopted because it had to coincide with the planting season of the recipient country.

This was immediately followed by the signing of a Memorandum of Agreement between TCCP and DA-Philrice in December 2021. It commenced on the onset of the planting cycle of Sri Lanka in March 2022.

II. To Catch-Up with TCCP's performance deficiencies for FY 2020 it also implemented the following Programs, Activities, Projects utilizing Continuing Appropriation from FY 2020:

A. Programs/Activities/Projects Implemented (Terminated)

1. Training on Gender Mainstreaming and Gender Responsive Budgeting

Duration: 16 September to 11 October 2021

Activities:

- ❖ Basic Concepts of Gender
- ❖ Gender Analysis
- ❖ Gender Mainstreaming
- ❖ Gender Responsive Budgeting

Brief:

The Training was implemented in cooperation with the Philippine Commission on Women. It was participated in by 33 Sri Lanka nationals from the Ministry of Women and Children and other Ministries. It was held via blended learning mode wherein 3 day live on-line sessions were held, materials, recording of sessions, and on-line test and evaluation were also made available on-line.

2. Training on Tourism Services and Hospitality Management (Terminated)

Duration: 05 - 19 November 2021

Activities:

- ❖ Hotel Management
- ❖ Customer Service and Guest Relations Management
- ❖ Managing Sustainability Focusing on Small Business Enterprise Development
- ❖ Crisis Management

Brief:

The Training was implemented in cooperation with the De La Salle, College of Saint Benilde, School of Hotel, Restaurant and Institutional Management. It was participated in by 25 Sri Lanka nationals from the Ministry of Tourism and Sri Lanka Tourism Private Sector. It was held via blended learning mode wherein 6 day live on-line sessions were held, materials, recording of sessions, and on-line test and evaluation were also made available on-line.

3. Training on Nata de Coco and Ube Processing (Terminated)

Duration: 15 December 2021 to 07 March 2022

Activities:

- ❖ Basic Food Handling
- ❖ Nata de Coco Production
- ❖ Ube Jam Production
- ❖ Snack Chips Production
- ❖ Butterscotch Production
- ❖ Ube Powder Production

Brief:

The Training was implemented in cooperation with the Department of Science and Technology, Industrial Technology Development Institute. The hands-on activities were participated in by 10 women and an additional number of members of the Philippine Ladies Association of Sri Lanka observed on-line. It was via blended learning mode wherein 7 day

live on-line sessions were held, materials, recording of sessions, and on-line test and evaluation were also made available on-line.

4. Activities for the Advancement of the Philippines Technical Cooperation Program:

- ❖ Participation to the 3rd Philippine-Cambodia Joint Commission for Bilateral Cooperation, 01 - 02 December 2021

B. Programs/Activities/Projects Currently Running

1. Ateneo Leadership and Social Entrepreneurship, Overseas Filipinos Leadership Innovation, Financial Literacy and Social Entrepreneurship (ALSE OF-LIFE)

Duration: 15 October 2021 to 17 July 2022

Activities:

- ❖ Social Entrepreneurship
- ❖ Financial Literacy
- ❖ Leadership Innovation

Brief:

The Training is being implemented in cooperation with the Ateneo School of Government, ALSE OF-LIFE Program. It is being participated in by 5 members of the Philippine Ladies Association of Sri Lanka. It is being held via blended learning mode wherein 15 day live on-line sessions will be held, materials, recording of sessions, and on-line test and evaluation are also made available on-line.

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