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Department of Science and Technology
Technology Application and Promotion Institute

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TAPI Special Order No. 379
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Subject: Amendment of TAPI SO No. 297 - Reconstitution of the Inter-Agency Technical Evaluation Committees (IATECs) to evaluate proposals for funding under the GALING Program

In the interest of the service, the following Inter-Agency Technical Evaluation Committees (IATEC) are hereby reconstituted to evaluate the technical and market viability of the proposals under the Grants and Assistance to Leverage Innovations for National Growth (GALING) Program per the table below:

Technology	Technical Experts
Improved KoolGear	Engr. Tarhata Mariano (Chair) DOST-PCIEERD
2 in 1 Hydrogen Infuser Machine for Health and Wellness	Ms. Joana A. America DOST-PCHRD Engr. Ian Dominic Tabanag DOST-PCIEERD Secretariat: Ms. Diane Abigail Dimaculangan
Foldable Water Tank with Zeramic Filter	Engr. Theda Mae Dumali DOST-TAPI Ms. Abigail Aya-Atienza Maynilad Water Inc. Mr. Dirk Jan D. Coligado Maynilad Water Inc. Secretariat: Ms. Diane Abigail Dimaculangan
Marissa Turbine: Vertical-Axis Tidal Turbine (previously named 'Saltpanel')	Dr. Andres Tuates DA-PhilMech

**Portable Solar Power-Based Cocos
Nucifera Dryer**

Mr. Aldrin Calderon
ASCENT Inc.

Mr. Niel Stephen Lopez
DLSU

Secretariat: **Mr. Mark Angelo Lasala**

The Committee members, except those from DOST-TAPI, shall be entitled to receive honorarium based on DOST Memorandum Circular No. 001 Series of 2009 or the Revised Implementing Guidelines on the Grant of Honoraria to Personnel Whose Services Are Engaged by the National Science and Technology System chargeable against the Invention Development Assistance Fund (IDAF) of DOST-TAPI subject to the availability of funds and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations for their participation in the evaluation and submission of their written report.

This Order takes effect immediately and shall cease upon the Committee's submission of a written evaluation report including findings and recommendation(s) within five (5) working days after evaluation to the Office of the Director, DOST-TAPI.


ATTY. MARION IVY D. DECENA
Director