

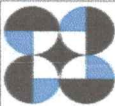
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The basis for the definition of terms is *ISO 9001:2015* standard. The following abbreviations shall be used in this Manual.

DOST	-	Department of Science and Technology
QMR	-	Quality Management Representative
DC	-	Document Custodian
QM	-	Quality Manual
PM	-	Procedures Manual
WI	-	Work Instructions
FM	-	<i>Forms Manual</i>
NCAR	-	Nonconformity and Corrective Action Report
PSTO	-	Provincial Science and Technology <i>Office</i>
PSTD	-	Provincial Science and Technology Director
ARD	-	Assistant Regional Director
RPMO	-	<i>Regional Program Management Office</i>
FOS	-	Field Operations Services
SETUP	-	Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program
S&T	-	Science and Technology
R&D	-	Research and Development

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- TS - Technical Services
- FASTS - *Finance, Administrative Support and Technical Services*
- ORD - *Office of the Regional Director*
- MIS - *Management Information Systems*

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