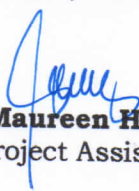


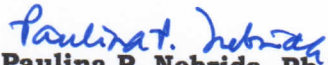
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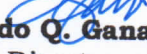


Upscaling women entreps thru GREAT Women Project 2

The Department of Science and Technology (DOST) through its Director for Administrative and Legal Service and DOST-wide GAD Focal Person, Director Elizabeth A. Fontanilla (2nd from left) spearheaded the transition meeting with Philippine Commission on Women- GREAT Women Project 2 (PCW – GWP2) Project Management Office last February 27, 2018. The meeting classified the status of women micro entrepreneurs (WMEs) currently enrolled in the project and identified interventions for WMEs to facilitate FDA certification. The meeting was participated by representatives from DOST Regional Offices with DOST-FNRI and DOST-ITDI. The GREAT Women or the Gender Responsive Economic Actions for the Transformation of Women is a governance and capacity development project that aims to promote and support a gender-responsive enabling environment for women's economic empowerment, particularly those in microenterprises. Other personalities in the photo are (right-left) Ms. Maureen Heidi L. Perez from DOST RO I, Representative Mary Lynch from Canadian Government, Ms. Maria Fe B. Singson from DOST Central Office, Mr. John Glenn D. Ocaña from DOST RO VIII, Ms. Luzviminda A. Villanueva PCW-GWP2 Project Management Office, Director Fontanilla and Ms. Teresita A. Tabaog of DOST RO II.

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