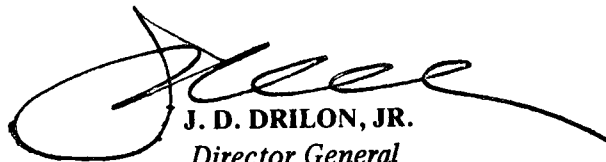


FOREWORD

At PCARR we are proud to be part of this promising project. In the past few years, the role of Social Science and Technology, particularly in Agriculture and Natural Resources, toward inducing social change and progress in the countryside has been limited, to say the least.

It is in this light that PCARR is supporting this project of Ugnayang Pang-aghamb-atao, Inc. (UGAT) in order to help strengthen the role of social science in this country.

PCARR's interest that UGAT succeed in its goal spans two administrations. My predecessor, Dr. Joseph Madamba, gave the keynote and in spirit of continuity I am happy to write this foreword of this publication.



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