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Under the overall guidance of the FAO Representative in the Philippines, the direct supervision of the Assistant FAOR Programme and the day to day guidance of the PDMT Team Leader, the Fisheries and Aquaculture Specialist will carry out the following duties:

1. Expand the current portfolio of FAO Philippines by leading the identification of potential project ideas, formulation of concept notes and detailed project proposal related to fisheries and aquaculture
2. Lead in providing support to the Government in ensuring that the existing Fisheries and Aquaculture Policies in the Philippines be at par with the international standards this includes the conduct of researches on technical standards, international instruments, innovative approaches and strategies
3. Lead and participate in internal committees, project teams and working group to provide specialized expertise on technical networks and international technical policies relating to fisheries and aquaculture
4. Develop technical and reporting frameworks, to support the planning, implementation, delivery of projects on fisheries
5. Respond to government requests for technical and policy assistance and technical advices on fisheries and aquaculture.
6. Lead in providing capacity development and knowledge sharing activities for the relevant staff of the government
7. Promote international cooperation/advocates best practices, and provide technical expertise at FAO regional meetings as well as intergovernmental meetings.
7. Lead in coordinating with the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR), partner organizations and other complementary agencies in all activities outlined in the project documents.
8. Perform other related duties, as requested by the FAO Representative

<p>Expected Outputs:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Liaison with and technical support to BFAR in their identified priority areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordination with BFAR strengthened • Highlights of technical working group meetings/ workshops • Regular updates on the liaison activities 2. Project formulation and technical backstopping to FAO field projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concept notes/ project proposals for fisheries and aquaculture • Implementation and completion of all activities outlined in the project documents relating to Fisheries and Aquaculture • Back to the office reports every mission 3. Others 	<p>Required Completion Date:</p> <p>6-12 months from starting date of the initial assignment</p>
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final End of Assignment Report of all activities undertaken | |
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REQUIRED COMPETENCIES

Academic Qualifications:

- Master's degree in fisheries or other field related to fisheries and aquaculture policy

General Competencies:

- Results Focus
- Teamwork
- Communication
- Building Effective Relationships
- Knowledge Sharing and Continuous Improvement

Technical Competencies and Experience Requirements:

- At least five years of relevant experience in fisheries and aquaculture with emphasis on policy development and implementation
- Working experience in fisheries management conservation, post-harvest, safety at sea, management of fisheries development projects and policies on fisheries highly desirable.
- Working experience in aquaculture and coastal capture fisheries desirable
- Working experience with international cooperation development projects essential
- Working experience for, or in cooperation with, Government institutions and NGOs essential
- Computer literate essential
- Good project and staff management skills; good verbal and communication skills essential.
- Working knowledge of English, French or Spanish and limited knowledge of one of the other two or Arabic, Chinese, Russian.