How to be a Dairy Partner?

**STEP 1:**
Submit a formal Letter of Intent to be a Dairy Partner Partner. The letter should be addressed to:

**The Administrator**
NDA Building, BAI Compound,
Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City

**STEP 2:**
Pass the Technical Evaluation of NDA on Viable Dairy Farm Operation covering the following:

- Acceptability and readiness of farm site or location as to the capability to provide the minimum animal-to-land area requirement (3 animal unit per hectare) and to develop forage and pasture area 8-12 months before the delivery of the animals.

- Availability and adequacy of farm or utility resources

- Adequacy of, and accessibility to feeds resources

- Dairy husbandry capability and readiness

- Good track record with the cooperative and other financial entities

- Good standing of the organization or association to which the representative is a member, in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and/or Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) rules and policies and/or Department of Trade and Industry (DTI).

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**Healthier children and Increased farmers income**
Mandate
The Dairy Development Act of 1995 mandated the NDA to act as the central policy determining body tasked to ensure the accelerated development of the Philippine dairy industry through policy direction, program coordination and implementation. It is an attached government corporation to the Department of Agriculture (DA).

Vision
A profitable, competitive and sustainable growing dairy industry built on financially viable business performance throughout the value chain, providing a good quality of life for farmers and ensuring consumers safe and quality milk and milk products by 2020.

Mission
To provide leadership to the Philippine dairy industry in partnership with the private sector through the provision of well-crafted policy, science-based, technical expertise, sound business support and effective management of dairy programmes.

Major Programs

DAIRY HERD BUILD UP PROGRAM
Aims to increase the dairy animal population in the country through:
- Herd Infusion via Importation of dairy animals and other genetic materials
- Crossbreeding and upgrading of local animals thru artificial insemination (AI) and other practical/economical breeding technologies
- Establishment of Dairy Multiplier Farms (DMFs) and breeding farms by the private stakeholders
- Provision of animal health services to dairy farms

MILK FEEDING PROGRAM
Aims to address malnutrition of children and create livelihood opportunities for dairy stakeholders through:
Activities:
- Drumming up support from partner LGUs and individuals for the establishment of a co-managed Milk Trust Fund that will pay for local milk feeding programs
- Encouraging and promoting Milky Bank sponsorships

DAIRY BUSINESS ENHANCEMENT AND MARKET DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
Aims to ensure the viability and sustainability of local dairy enterprises through:
- Capacity Building and Business Development Assistance will be provided to interested stakeholders.
- Facilitate the access to dairy inputs (infrastructure, dairy equipment, capital-thru credit facilities).

MILK QUALITY AND SAFETY ASSURANCE PROGRAM
Aims to regulate milk production and postharvest handling through:
- Enforcement of the Dairy Regulations
- Conduct a complete farm and Milk Collection Centers audit for issuance of COC and LTO for compliant dairy enterprises.
- Facilitating and conducting training courses for Dairy Safety Compliance Officers (DFSCO), and stakeholders.