

## REJOINDER ON STREAMLINING DTI's SRP LIST

Friday, 05 July 2024

The DTI held a rejoinder on 4 July 2024 headed by DTI's CAAB Dir. Che Carbonell regarding DTI's SRP List & how to make it more relevant for the Filipino consumer. This Technical Working Group Meeting was held with Philippine Competition Commission's Dash Cordero (in photo) and Jenno Ravalo including PSA's Merdelito Dolorito + 4 of his colleagues from the Phil. Statistics Authority. As initially proposed, categories to be delisted from the List were candles, evap./cond. milk (powdered milk to remain), coffee refill (3-in-1 to remain), bottled water, condiments and batteries. DTI Sec. Pascual maintains that price freeze enforced during times of emergency/calamity keeps the prices of these commodities in check (as needed).