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Complementary Foods LGU- Calauag Katherine P. Ruby, M.D. 09985757163 Thursday 2012/12/06 00:00 Wednesday 1969/12/31 16:00 Calauag Livelihood Center, Calauag, Quezon

## Description:

The establishment of a community-based food processing plant in Calauag for complementary food production was initiated by the LGU with the cooperation of the National Association of Calauageñans (NACS). Through the initiative of DOST-FNRI Director Dr. Mario V. Capanzana, the municipality of Calauag was identified as one of the beneficiaries of DOST-FNRI project entitled "Roll Out of the FNRI-Developed Complementary/ Snack Foods in the Regions". The complementary food production facility is temporarily situated in one of the rooms of the Calauag Livelihood Center and was officially launched last July 30, 2013. The insumix, labeled as "LSV Mix", had its initial production of 340 packs (30g/pack) last October 29, 2013. Production is intermittent since it depends on the availability of the stocked finished products. At present, the insumix is provided for free to the targeted malnourished participants in the barangays within Calauag; however, an ordinance on LSV Mix to be sold commercially is still being deliberated upon by the Sangguniang Bayan. The LGU is currently looking for funds for the construction of a permanent processing center and implementation plans are still undetermined.