## 4. STK AND RST REFILL SERVICE

Soil Test Kit (STK) and Rapid Soil Test (RST) Kit are inexpensive, quick, handy and easy to use soil testing tools to evaluate the fertility status of a soil. These kits can be used by farmers and agricultural technicians in the field to identify quickly soil macro- and micro-nutrient problems that limit rice and other crop production. Refills are done for requesting agricultural technicians and other clients.

**REGIONAL SOILS LABORATORY** 

## Schedule of availability of Services

Office or Division:

Monday to Friday 8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Classification:	SIMPLE	SIMPLE				
Type of Transaction:	G2C – Governme	G2G – Government to Government G2C – Government to Client G2B – Government to Business				
Who may avail:	<ul> <li>Farmers</li> <li>Researchers</li> <li>Investors</li> <li>LGUs</li> <li>Students</li> <li>Other walk-in</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Farmers</li><li>Researchers</li><li>Investors</li><li>LGUs</li></ul>				
CHECKLIST OF REQUIREMENT		WHERE TO SECURE				
Soil Test Kit (STK) and/or Rapid Soil Test (RST) Kit with complete reagent bottles.		Regional Soils Laboratory				
CLIENT STEPS	AGENCY ACTIONS	FEES TO BE PAID	PROCESSING TIME	PERSON RESPONSILE		
1. Submit the STK and/or RST Kit with complete reagent bottles	Step 1.1: Accept and assess the kits(s)	Refer to schedule of fees	5 minutes	Chemist IV/ RSL Staff		
	Step 1.2: Wash/ clean the reagent bottles and kits.	below for the amount to be paid	30 minutes			
	Step 1.3: Drying of reagent bottles and kit	(Page 118)	Overnight			
	Step 1.4: Relabeling of reagent bottles		1 minute/ bottle			
	Step 1.5: Refilling of reagent bottles		2minutes/ bottle			

	Step 1.6: Replacement of tin strips, applicator sticks & medicine droppers		2 minutes	
	Step 1.7: Placement of expiration date(s) of reagents in the kit(2)		1 minute	
	Step 1.8: Inform the client on the schedule of release of the kit(s)		1 minute	
2. Pay the corresponding fee (for students, researchers and other clients except for LGUs)	Step 2.1: Issuance of Official Receipt		5 minutes	Regional Cashier Cashiering Unit
3. Collect the kit(s) and acknowledge receipt thereof in the log book,	Step 3.1 Log and release the kit(s)		2 minutes	Chemist IV/ RSL Staff
TOTAL		Please see duration of the process below		

## **Schedule of Fees**

REFILL PERFORMED	FEE (Pesos)
1. Soil Test Kit (STK)	200.00
2. Rapid Soil Test (RST) Kit	150.00

<sup>\*</sup> Free of charge if requested by agricultural extension workers.

## **Duration**

• STK/RST refill services due within 2 days under normal circumstances. Services are treated on a 1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> serve basis.