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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

NO. 37
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SUBJECT : ADDENDUM FOR BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO.26, SERIES OF 2021-Submission of Utilization Report for Feed Ingredients which may also be used for Production of Food for Human Consumption or for other Uses.

In line with the recent Congressional Inquiry on agricultural imports, there is a reiteration to ensure that only quality Palm Oil/Olein would reach the domestic market for use by the domestic livestock, poultry, aqua and pet industries as specified under the Philippine Standards on Animal Feeds; and to be responsive to prevailing market forces relative to its supply and demand.

In connection thereto, item c of Memorandum Circular no. 26, S 2021 For Importation for Trading Purposes; is hereby incorporated to read as follows:

c. For Sanitary and Phytosanitary Import Clearance (SPSIC) application on importation for trading purposes

c.1. The Proforma Invoice for submission for SPSIC application shall constitute the sum of the Purchase Order (PO) from the end-user (s) /Feed Manufacturer (s) client duly licensed/registered under the Bureau of Animal Industry.

c.2. The Feed Control Officer (FCO) shall be notified regarding the said PO's prior to SPSIC application for proper assessment.

c.3. The volume of importation per PO shall depend on the plant/warehouse/utilization capacity for a given time.

Others :

- Upon arrival at the importer/trader's depot, the first and final distribution shall proceed directly to the processing plant/warehouse of the end-user/feed manufacturer client (distribution to another trader no longer applies).
- Only palm oil/olein per se shall be allowed importation. (The Refined, Bleached and Deodorized (RBD) form of palm oil/olein no longer applies).

- Non-compliance entails suspension/revocation of corresponding License to Operate, Certificate of Feed Product Registration, and Sanitary and Phytosanitary Import Clearances whichever is deemed applicable.
- FCO shall conduct monthly/yearly inventory/assessment on the rate of importation, domestic production vis-à-vis the animal industry rate of consumption based on population.

This CIRCULAR shall take effect immediately upon publication.

Done this 16th day of August, 2023.

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