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MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS
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FROM : **ATTY. EDWARD JAMES A. DY BUCO**
Deputy Commissioner
Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group

SUBJECT : Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Recommendation for
The Release of Donated Food Products from Willing Hearts
Foundation Singapore to LITTLE WAY COLLEGE SEMINARY

DATE : 07 November 2022

Forwarding the herein attached letter dated 13 October 2022 addressed to Sr. Ma. Pablita Ang-Ug Gabin, Authorized Representative, Little Way College Seminary from Director Pilar Marilyn M. Pagayunan, Center for Food Regulation and Research, FDA, recommending clearance for the release of donated food products from Willing Hearts Foundation Singapore to LITTLE WAY COLLEGE SEMINARY with information that the release shall be subject to the following conditions:

1. the products shall have been inspected and cleared by a representative from FDA – Regional Field Office;
2. the clearance shall solely be for the release of the products from this Bureau and shall not be construed as an authorization for its distribution, sale, offer for sales, and use;
3. FDA shall not be held liable for any damage, injury, illness, death that may result from the distribution and use of the donated food products; and
4. the clearance is without prejudice to existing tariff rules and customs regulations.

For information and appropriate action.



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Health
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

13 October 2022



SR. MA. PABLITA ANG-UG GABIN
Authorized Representative
Little Way College Seminary
Guanzon Street, Kabankalan City,
Negros Occidental, Philippines

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BY: *NORZEL E. ANGALLA* ME: *1049*

Dear Sr. Gabin:

Please be informed that this Office recommends the release of the following food products donated by Willing Hearts Foundation Singapore – 11 Jalan Ubi, Kembangan – Chai Chee Community Hub, Block 6 #01-51, Singapore to **LITTLE WAY COLLEGE SEMINARY** located at Guanzon Street, Kabankalan City, Negros Occidental, Philippines:

Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Canned Rex Tuna Flakes in Oil	127 cartons	27 April 2023
Invoice No: 220004 dated 29 March 2022		

The release of said donated food products is on the condition that the said product **shall have been inspected and cleared** by a representative from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) – Regional Field Office.

This clearance shall only be for the **RELEASE** of the product from the Bureau of Customs and shall not be construed as an authorization for its distribution, sale, offer for sales and use. FDA shall not be held liable for any damage, injury, illness, death that may result from the distribution and use of the donated food product.

This clearance is without prejudice to existing tariff rates and customs regulations.
For inspection schedule, please contact the rfoncr@fda.gov.ph.

Very truly yours,

Pilar Marilyn M. Pagayunan
PILAR MARILYN M. PAGAYUNAN
Director IV
Center for Food Regulation and Research

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