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BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
Manila

04 August 2017

CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 129 - 2017

TO : All District Port Collectors
All Others Concerned

SUBJECT : Temporary Lifting of the Quota Tariff to allow the
Importation of Seven (7) Million Kilograms of Pork
Products under HS Code 0203

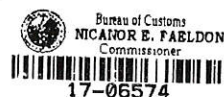
Attached is the Letter from Mr. Emmanuel F. Piñol, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, requesting for the temporary lifting of quota tariff to allow the importation of seven (7) million kilograms of pork products under HS 0203 subject to the following conditions:

1. Only Veterinary Quarantine Clearance (VQC) to import from May 2, 2017 onwards shall be entitled, provided that the shipment will arrive on June 15, 2017 onwards but not later than September 30, 2017.
2. Shipments that will arrive after September 30, 2017 will be subjected to forty percent (40%) tariff.
3. Only registered meat traders will be given VQC to import pork products under this special import program. The meat importers are not allowed to sell the pork products to meat processors.

This Customs Memorandum Circular (CMC) supersedes Customs Memorandum Circular (CMC) No. 89-2017 dated June 21, 2017.

For your information and guidance.

Nicanor E. Faeldon
NICANOR E. FAELDON
Commissioner



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Dear Commissioner Faeldon:

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This has reference to our letter to the Finance Secretary, Mr. Carlos G. Dominguez III, dated April 26, 2017 in connection with the request for the temporary lifting of the imposition of in quota tariff to allow the importation of Seven (7) Million Kilograms of pork products with 30% duties.

We would like to inform you that the HS Code **02064900** should be AHTN Code under **Heading Number 02.03**. We seek your assistance to make the necessary correction.

Thank you and we highly appreciate your appropriate action on this matter.

Very truly yours,

EMMANUEL F. PIÑOL
 Secretary

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Hdg. No.	AHTN Code 2012	Description	Rates of Duty (%)				
			2017	2017	2018	2019	2020
				01 Jul – 31 Dec	Starting 01 Jan		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
02.02		Meat of bovine animals, frozen.					
	0202.10.00	- Carcasses and half-carcasses	10	10	10	10	10
	0202.20.00	- Other cuts with bone in	10	10	10	10	10
	0202.30.00	- Boneless	10	10	10	10	10
02.03		Meat of swine, fresh, chilled or frozen.					
		- Fresh or chilled:					
	0203.11.00	-- Carcasses and half-carcasses:					
	0203.11.00A	--- In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.11.00B	--- Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.12.00	-- Hams, shoulders and cuts thereof, with bone in:					
	0203.12.00A	--- In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.12.00B	--- Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.19.00	-- Other:					
	0203.19.00A	--- Pork bellies, In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.19.00B	--- Pork bellies, Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.19.00C	--- Fore-ends and cuts thereof, In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.19.00D	--- Fore-ends and cuts thereof, Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.19.00E	--- Other, In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.19.00F	--- Other, Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
		- Frozen:					
	0203.21.00	-- Carcasses and half-carcasses:					
	0203.21.00A	--- In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.21.00B	--- Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.22.00	-- Hams, shoulders and cuts thereof, with bone in:					
	0203.22.00A	--- In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.22.00B	--- Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.29.00	-- Other:					
	0203.29.00A	--- Pork bellies, In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.29.00B	--- Pork bellies, Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.29.00C	--- Fore-ends and cuts thereof, In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30

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Annex A

Hdg. No.	AHTN Code 2012	Description	Rates of Duty (%)				
			2017	2017	2018	2019	2020
				01 Jul – 31 Dec	Starting 01 Jan		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
		Quota					
	0203.29.00D	--- Fore-ends and cuts thereof, Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
	0203.29.00E	--- Other, In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0203.29.00F	--- Other, Out-Quota	40	40	40	40	40
02.04		Meat of sheep or goats, fresh, chilled or frozen.					
	0204.10.00	- Carcasses and half-carcasses of lamb, fresh or chilled - Other meat of sheep, fresh or chilled:	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.21.00	-- Carcasses and half-carcasses	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.22.00	-- Other cuts with bone in	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.23.00	-- Boneless	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.30.00	- Carcasses and half-carcasses of lamb, frozen - Other meat of sheep, frozen:	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.41.00	-- Carcasses and half-carcasses	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.42.00	-- Other cuts with bone in	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.43.00	-- Boneless	5	5	5	5	5
	0204.50.00	- Meat of goats:					
	0204.50.00A	-- In-Quota	30	30	30	30	30
	0204.50.00B	-- Out-Quota	35	35	35	35	35
02.05	0205.00.00	Meat of horses, asses, mules or hinnies, fresh, chilled or frozen.	5	5	5	5	5
02.06		Edible offal of bovine animals, swine, sheep, goats, horses, asses, mules or hinnies, fresh, chilled or frozen.					
	0206.10.00	- Of bovine animals, fresh or chilled - Of bovine animals, frozen:	7	7	7	7	7
	0206.21.00	-- Tongues	7	7	7	7	7
	0206.22.00	-- Livers	5	5	5	5	5
	0206.29.00	-- Other	7	7	7	7	7
	0206.30.00	- Of swine, fresh or chilled	7	7	7	7	7

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TO : All District and Port Collectors
All Others Concerned

SUBJECT : Temporary Lifting of the Quota Tariff to allow the
Importation of Seven (7) Million Kilograms of Pork
Products under HS Code 02064900

Attached is the Letter from Mr. Emmanuel F. Piñol, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, requesting for the temporary lifting of quota tariff to allow the importation of seven (7) million kilograms of pork products under HS code 02064900 subject to the following conditions:

1. Only Veterinary Quarantine Clearance (VQC) to import issued from May 2, 2017 onwards shall be entitled, provided that the shipment will arrive on June 15, 202017 onwards but not later than September 30, 2017.
2. Shipments that will arrive after September 30, 2017 will be subjected to forty percent (40%) tariff.
3. Only registered meat traders will be given VQC to import pork products under this special import program. The meat importers are not allowed to sell the pork products to meat processors.

For your information and guidance.

Nicanor E. Faeldon
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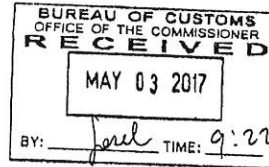


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April 26, 2017

Mr. Carlos G. Dominguez III
Finance Secretary
Department of Finance
Roxas Blvd, Malate, Manila,
1004 Metro Manila



Thru : **MR. NICANOR E. FAELDON**
Office of the Commissioner
G/F OCOM Bldg.
Bureau of Custom
Port Area, Manila

Dear Secretary Dominguez:

This is with reference to the imposition of in quota tariff on imported pork cuts covered by Minimum Access Volume (MAV) allocations under HS Code 02064900 in line with the 2004 Tariff and Customs Code of the Philippines or the ASEAN Harmonized Tariff Nomenclature), pursuant to Customs Memorandum Order 28 Series of 2004, dated 08 October 2004.

Due to the damaged caused by the disease "Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea" and other swine diseases to local pig industry for the last 8 months there was a significant decrease in the production of pork meat that resulted in the tight supply of pork products that led to the sudden increase in price of local pork meat, the Department of Agriculture (DA) decided to allow the importation of Seven (7) million kilograms of pork and pork products.

In this regard, we are requesting for the temporary lifting of the imposition of in quota tariff to allow the importation of Seven (7) million kilograms of pork products under HS Code 02064900 with 30% tariff.

For the effective implementation of this special importation, the DA will impose the following conditions;

1. Only Veterinary Quarantine Clearance (VQC) to import issued from May 2, 2017 onwards shall be entitled, provided that the shipment will arrive on June 15, 2017 onwards but not later than September 30, 2017;
2. Shipments that will arrive after September 30, 2017 will be subjected to 40% tariff.
3. Only registered meat traders will be given VQC to import pork products under this special import program. The meat importers are not allowed to sell the pork products to meat processors.

We hope for your usual, prompt and favourable action on this matter.

Thank you and warm regards.

EMMANUEL F. PIÑOL
Secretary

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