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## MEMORANDUM

**TO :** ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS  
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ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

**FROM :** *[Signature]*  
**ATTY. VENER S. BAQUIRAN,**  
Deputy Commissioner  
Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group

**SUBJECT :** Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Recommendation  
for The Release of Donated Food Products from Feed My  
Starving Children to INTERNATIONAL CARE MINISTRIES  
FOUNDATION, INC. (ICMFI)

**DATE :** 25 April 2023

Forwarding the herein attached letters from Director Pilar Marilyn M. Pagayunan, Center for Food Regulation and Research, FDA, addressed to Mr. Edgardo Sta. Ana, ICMFI Logistics Manager, International Care Ministries Foundation, Inc. recommending clearance for the release of the following donated food products from Feed My Starving Children to ICMFI:

Date	Container Number	Seal Number	Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
24 March 2023	GSTU 9946289	UL-9694046	MannaPack™ Rice (36-375g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (white rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend)	1,260 Boxes	Earliest of which is February 2026
30 March 2023	TCNU 7743533	UL-8539281	MannaPack™ Rice (36-375g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (white rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend)	1,260 Boxes	Earliest of which is February 2026



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30 March 2023	TRHU 4878415	UL- 9718503	MannaPack™ Rice (14-1kg bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (white rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend)	1,260 Boxes	Earliest of which is February 2026
30 March 2023	DOLU 6982561	UL- 6245543	MannaPack™ Rice (36-375g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (white rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend)	1,260 Boxes	Earliest of which is March 2026

The release of the donated food products 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.



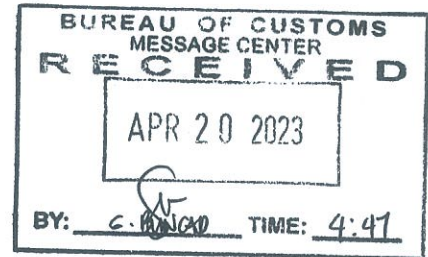
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24 March 2023



**MR. EDGARDO STA. ANA**  
ICMFI Logistics Manager  
**International Care Ministries Foundation, Inc.**  
ICM Building, Lizares Avenue,  
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Dear Mr. Sta. Ana:

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Container Number GSTU 994628-9	Seal Number UL-9694046	

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.

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For inspection schedule, please contact the FDA – Regional Field Office at [rfoncr@fda.gov.ph](mailto:rfoncr@fda.gov.ph).

Very truly yours,

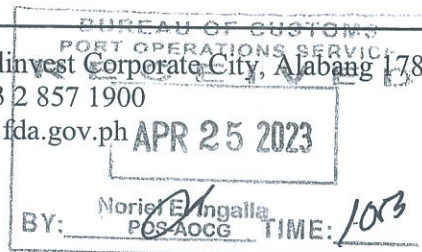
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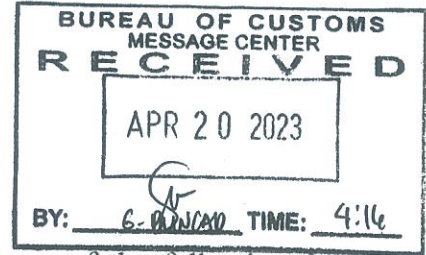
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Container Number TCNU 774353-3		Seal Number UL-8539281

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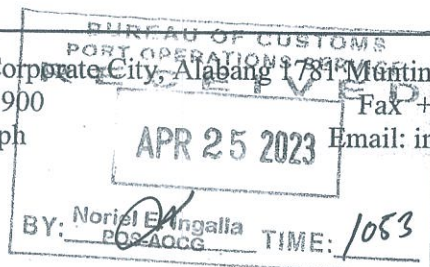
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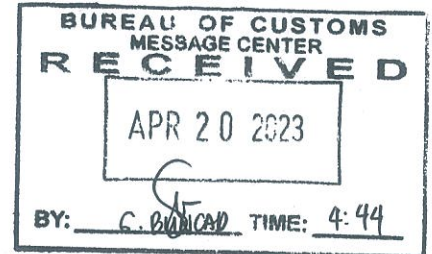


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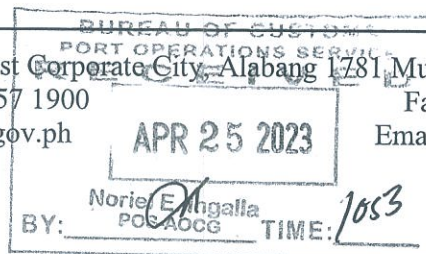
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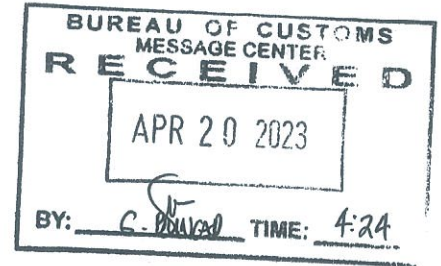
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Container Number DOLU 698256-1	Seal Number UL-6245543	

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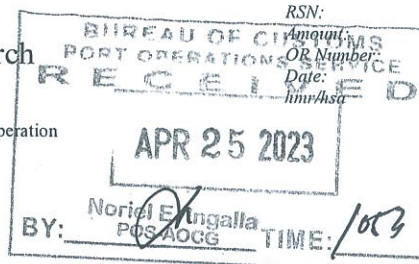
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