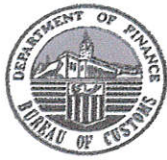


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MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONER AND
SERVICE DIRECTORS
ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS
ALL DEPUTY COLLECTORS FOR
ASSESSMENT AND OPERATION
ALL CHIEFS, FORMAL ENTRY DIVISION OR
ITS EQUIVALENT UNIT
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : REY LEONARDO B. GUERRERO
Commissioner *[Handwritten Signature]*

SUBJECT : Rice Importations

DATE : 01 March 2019



All rice importations covered by NFA Import Permit issued on or before March 04, 2019 shall still be subject to in-quota tariff rates.

All rice importations arriving in the Philippines after March 04, 2019 shall, aside from the SPS from the originating country, be already subject to a Sanitary Phytosanitary Import Clearance (*SPSIC*) issued prior to the arrival thereof by the Bureau of Plant Industry (*BPI*). Another advisory shall be issued as to the tariff rates thereof.

For immediate and strict compliance.

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