

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS MANILA

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CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM ORDER NO. 42-93

TO: All Collectors of Customs
The Director, ESS/CISS
Chiefs, Auction and Cargo Disposal
Division/Office
All Concerned

Pursuant to Section 2607 in relation to Section 2601 of the Tariff and Customs Code of the Philippines and in order to preserve the value of the articles under seizure, you are hereby directed to dispose of all fresh, frozen, chilled and/or canned foodstuffs, within ten (10) days after the issuance of the Warrant of Seizure and Detention, the proceeds thereof to be held in escrow to be awarded to the party in whose favor the case will be decided.

If for any reason the articles are not disposed of within the 10-day period, a written explanation must be submitted to the Commissioner of Customs jointly signed by the apprehending unit, the Collector of the Port and the Chief of the ACDD. The explanation must contain the recommended course of action.

Be guided accordingly.

GUILLERMO L. PRAYNO, JR. Commissioner