



MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS
 ALL SUB-PORT COLLECTORS
 ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : *By: Bienvenido Y. Rubio*
 Director, Port Operations Service, AOCG

SUBJECT : ACCEPTANCE AND SYSTEM OF VERIFICATION OF SCANNED
 COPIES OF COMPASSIONATE SPECIAL PERMITS (CSPs)
 ISSUED BY THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (FDA)

DATE : 11 May 2021

This has reference to the Compassionate Special Permits (CSPs) being issued by the FDA Director General to specialized institutions and specialty societies to avail of unregistered or investigational drug products through licensed establishments for certain kind/type of patients, with a specific volume and period of use.

Due to the urgency of the CSP applications and to address the limitations posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, please be informed that scanned copies of approved CSPs are emailed in advance to the clients to facilitate the process of the importation of drugs that are urgently needed to save lives or prevent deterioration of patient condition.

In view thereof, you are hereby directed to

- a. accept the scanned copies of CSP and utilize the verification system to expedite the importation of urgently needed drugs. Verification of such can be done through clinicalresearch@fda.gov.ph; and
- b. submit a weekly report on **IMPORTATION OF DRUGS WITH CSPs**. Said report shall be submitted through pocd@customs.gov.ph not later than Monday of the following week starting May 10 to 16, 2021.

For compliance.