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February 3, 2022

CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 15-2022

To : The Assistant Commissioner
All Deputy Commissioners
All Directors and Division Chiefs
All District / Port Collectors
And Others Concerned

SUBJECT : USE OF THE TRADENET PLATFORM BY THE BUREAU OF FISHERIES AND AQUATIC RESOURCES (BFAR) TO PROCESS CERTIFICATES OF ACCREDITATION (COAs) AND EXPORT COMMODITY CLEARANCES (ECCs)

Attached herewith is the letter dated January 18, 2022 from Commodore Eduardo B. Gongona, PCG (Ret.), National Director, Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (DA-BFAR) informing of BFAR's readiness to start using the Tradenet Platform (Tradenet.gov.ph) to process Certificates of Accreditation (COAs) and Export Commodity Clearances (ECCs).

Initially, the following five (5) users will be using the said platform:

- a. Yeung Marine Products;
- b. Isla Aquamarine;
- c. Seatraceability;
- d. Hightower Inc.; and
- e. Aquatic Phoenix Asturias Corp.,

while the rest of the stakeholders will still use the manual issuance of the said services in the meantime but will eventually migrate to the Tradenet System in due time.

BFAR further informs that while the COA and ECC is in electronic form, this does not preclude the presentation and acceptance of a manually prepared amended permit in cases allowed by the rules.

Attached to the letter are samples of COA and ECC generated by the Tradenet Platform for reference together with activity diagrams of the modified procedures for the issuance of COA and ECC that are EODB compliant in the said platform.

BFAR, further informs that it recognizes the important and indispensable role of the Bureau in claiming and utilization of the aforementioned COA and ECC within

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the Tradenet system (Tradenet.gov.ph). The online, real-time, and immutable nature of the feedback regarding the said claiming and utilization will provide BFAR with a more efficient way to monitor and document the usage of the said permits.

For information and appropriate action.

Please confirm the dissemination of this circular throughout your offices within fifteen (15) days from receipt hereof.


REY LEONARDO B. GUERRERO
Commissioner



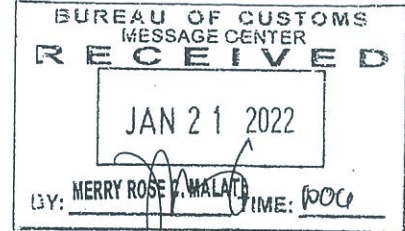
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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Agriculture
BUREAU OF FISHERIES AND AQUATIC RESOURCES
Fisheries Building Complex, Bureau of Plant Industry Compound,
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18 January 2022



CARLO S. DOMINGUEZ
Secretary of the Department of Finance
National Single Window Steering Committee Chairman

Subject: USE OF THE TRADENET PLATFORM (Tradenet.gov.ph)

Dear Secretary Dominguez:

This is to respectfully inform your good office that the *Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources* is ready and will now start to use the Tradenet Platform (Tradenet.gov.ph) to process Certificate of Accreditation and Export Commodity Clearance. Initially, five (5) users will be using the said platform, namely (1) Yeung Marine Products, (2) Isla Aquamarine, (3) Seatraceability, (4) Hightower Inc., (5) Aquatic Phoenix Asturias Corp.

In the meantime, the rest of the stakeholders will still use the *manual issuance of the said services* but will eventually migrate to the **Tradenet System** in due time.

Please note that while the *Certificate of Accreditation and Export Commodity Clearance* is in electronic form, this does not preclude the presentation and acceptance of a manually prepared amended permit, in cases allowed by the rules.

Attached herewith is the sample *Certificate of Accreditation and Export Commodity Clearance* generated by the Tradenet Platform for your reference. Also, attached for your reference are the activity diagrams of the modified procedures for the *issuance of Certificate of Accreditation and Export Commodity Clearance* that are EODB compliant in the said platform.

We recognize the important and indispensable role of the Bureau of Customs (BOC) in the claiming and utilization of the aforementioned *Certificate of Accreditation and Export Commodity Clearance* within the Tradenet System (Tradenet.gov.ph). The online, real-time, and immutable nature of the feedback regarding the said claiming and utilization will provide the *BFAR* with a more efficient way to monitor and document the usage of the said permits.

Thank you and we look forward to working with you.

Very truly yours,

Commodore EDUARDO B. GONGONA, PCG (Ret.)
BFAR National Director

CC: Ret. Gen. Rey Leonardo Guerrero, AFP
BOC Commissioner, NSW-Technical Working Group Chairman

Atty. Jeremiah B. Belgica
ARTA Director General, NSW-Technical Working Group

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Accreditation No: _____

CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION

This is to certify that

Name of Importer

with business address located at _____ is an accredited importer of this Office in accordance with Republic Act No. 8550 otherwise known as the Philippine Fisheries Code as amended by RA 10654 and complies with the existing Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Requirements for Importation of Fish and Fishery/Aquatic Products as _____ *(purpose of importation)* _____.

Any significant change in activities or closure of the facility must be notified without delay to this Office.

Issued this ____ day of _____ 2018 in Quezon City, Philippines.

EDUARDO B. GONGONA
Director

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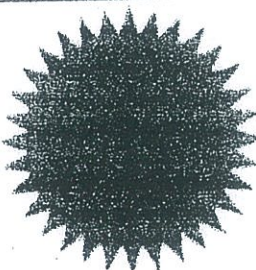
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EXPORT COMMODITY CLEARANCE (ECC)

Fisheries Administrative Officer No. 217 series of 2001 as amended by FAO 233-2, series of 2012

1. Exporter (Name, Address, Telephone No.)		2. Exporter Code No.	3. ECC No.	
Customer Broker		4. Purpose of Exportation		
Date of Issue		5. Source of Products (Province, Town, etc.)		
Date of Loading		10. Port of Loading		
Point(s) of Discharge		12. Country of Destination		
Commodities	14. HS Codes	15. Description Form	16. Weight/kg	17. Value FOB US\$

I am hereby certified that the information supplied herein by the undersigned is true and correct.

<p>Printed Name and Signature of Exporter Authorized Representative of the Exporter</p> 	<p>Approved:</p> <p>By Authority of the Director</p> <p>Printed Name and Signature Inspecting Fisheries Quarantine Officer</p>
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* This Clearance is valid only for thirty (30) days from date of issue

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1 - Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, Department of Agriculture

2 - Office File

Date of Issuance	_____
Fees collected	_____
Official Receipt No.	_____
O.R. Date	_____
Clearance Expiry Date	_____