



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
**BUREAU OF CUSTOMS**  
ASSESSMENT AND OPERATIONS COORDINATING GROUP  
**IMPORTS AND ASSESSMENT SERVICE**

MANILA 1099  
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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** ALL DISTRICT AND SUB-PORT COLLECTORS

**FROM :** **ATTY. EDWARD JAMES A. DY BUCO**  
Deputy Commissioner *ED*  
Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group

**SUBJECT:** **Requisition for the List of Confiscated Rice Shipments without Authority/Clearance from the NFA**

**DATE :** February 15, 2018

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- 1.0 Reference:
  - a. Letter of Rocky L. Valdez, Director, Grains Marketing Operations Dept., National Food Authority
- 2.0 In reference with the aforementioned, you are hereby ordered to submit to the **Imports and Assessment Service (Attn: Assessment Coordination and Monitoring Division)**, a list of the foregoing subject with the corresponding current status and/or proceeding process undertaken in relation to the said confiscated rice shipments.
- 3.0 For your compliance and appropriate action.

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**NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY**

Philippine Sugar Center Bldg., North Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City  
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February 02, 2018

**MR. ISIDRO S. LAPEÑA**  
Commissioner  
Bureau of Customs  
Port Area, Manila

Dear Commissioner Lapeña:

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Please include also the current status and/or proceeding process that the BOC has undertaken with regards to the said confiscated rice shipments

Said information shall be used to assess the quantity of rice that entered the country to properly determine the supply situation of said commodity.

Thank you for your continued support.

Very truly yours,

*[Signature]*  
**ROCKY L. VALDEZ**  
Director  
Grains Marketing Operations Dept.

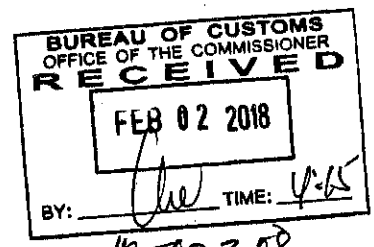
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