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MEMORANDUM

FOR : ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS
ALL SUPPORT COLLECTORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : **ATTY. EDWARD JAMES A. DY BUCO**
Deputy Commissioner, AOCG *dy*

SUBJECT : FORMAL NOTIFICATIONS ON THE USE OF TRADENET
PLATFORM AS OF SEPTEMBER 2021 OF THE BUREAU
OF PLANT (BPI)

DATE : 18 October 2021

With reference to the attached letter dated 07 September 2021 from Director George Y. Culaste, Phd, BPI addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Finance (DOF), copy furnished the BOC Commissioner, and the Director General, ARTA, please be informed that the BPI has been ready to use/using the Tradenet Platform (Tradenet.gov.ph) to process application for LTO as Importer of plants, planting materials and plant products.

The following five (5) stakeholders have already used said platform:

- a) Gensan Feedmill, Inc
- b) Raf Rice Trading
- c) Northfields Enterprises Int'l Inc.
- d) Grandemarc Ltd. Corp.
- e) Ifresh Corp.

As to the rest of the stakeholders, the current system of manual processing of LTO will still be used but will eventually migrate to the Tradenet System in due time.

Moreover, while the LTO are in electronic form, it should be noted that this does not preclude the presentation and acceptance of a manually prepared amended permit in cases allowed by the rules.

Please be guided accordingly.



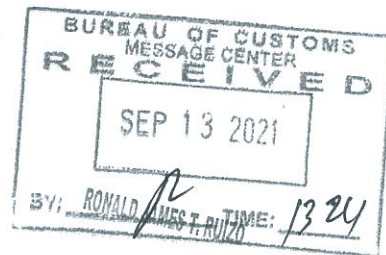
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CARLO S. DOMINGUEZ

Secretary
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 Plant Industry is ready and will now start to use the Tradenet Platform (Tradenet.gov.ph) to process License to Operate as Importer of plants, planting materials and plant products.

Initially, five (5) users have used the said platform, namely:

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| 1. GENSAN FEEDMILL, INC. | 2. GRANDEMARCO LTD. CORP. |
| 3. RAF RICE TRADING | 4. NORTHFIELDS ENTERPRISES INT'L INC. |
| 5. IFRESH CORP. | |

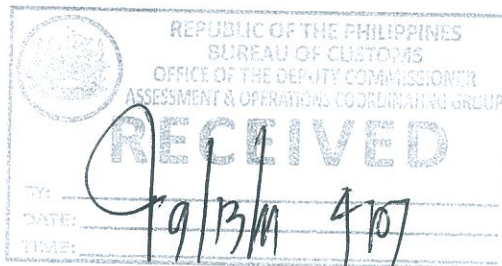
In the meantime, the rest of the stakeholders will still use the current system of manual processing of their License but will eventually migrate to the Tradenet System in due time.

Please note that while the License to Operate as Importer is in electronic form, this does not preclude the presentation and acceptance of a manually prepared amended permit, in cases allowed by the rules.

BPI would like to thank the Tradenet Project Management Office team for the all the efforts and rest assured that we will continue working with the team to proceed with the development of the system.

Very truly yours,

GEORGEY CULASTE, PhD
Director
Bureau of Plant Industry

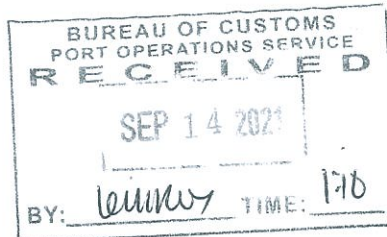


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