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

Subject: NFA's Approval to the Extension of the Arrival Period of Rice Importation of the Private Sector.

Attached is the letter dated November 19, 2018 of the Director Rex C. Estoperez, Grains Marketing Operations Department, National Food Authority informing that the NFA Council has approved the extension to the arrival period of the rice importation of the Private Sector under the amended 133,500 MT Minimum Access Volume Rice (MAV).

For your information and guidance.

For record purposes, please confirm the dissemination of this circular throughout your offices within fifteen (15) days from receipt hereof.

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REY LEONARDO B. GUERRERO
Commissioner

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Dear Commissioner Guerrero:

We are providing you the attached approval of Secretary Emmanuel F. Piñol of the Department of Agriculture and Chairman of the NFA Council on the extension of the arrival period of the 133,500 MT amended Minimum Access Volume Rice (MAV) for the CY 2017-2018 by the Private Sector.

Details are as follows:

Arrival Schedule	From	To
		Not Later Than (NLT) November 30, 2018

This is for your information and guidance.

Very truly yours,

REX C. ESTOPEREZ
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Director 11/19
Grains Marketing Operations Department

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MEMORANDUM

FOR : SECRETARY EMMANUEL F. PIÑOL
Department of Agriculture

Re : REQUEST TO EXTEND THE ARRIVAL PERIOD FOR THE
133,500 MT UNDER THE AMENDED CY2017-2018 MAV

May we endorse to the NFA Council Chairman and Members the attached letter-requests of the following importer-applicants for the 133,500 MT under the amended CY 2017-2018 MAV Rice Importation Program:

<u>Name of Applicants</u>	<u>Quantity (MT)</u>
1. Four (4) SM Agri MPC	2,500
2. Butil na Ginto MPC	3,400
3. Kabangkalan MPC	5,000
4. All Seasons Federation of Cooperatives	7,250
5. Purefeeds Corporation	9,000
6. Fujisu Feedmill Industries, Inc.	10,000
7. Compra MPC	1,500

The arrival period under this rice importation is Not Later Than (NLT) November 30, 2018. Some reasons that were mentioned by the above-mentioned importers in support to their request for an extension:

1. Difficulty in booking for break bulk vessel to ship their import allocation to the amended port of destination.
2. Due to the coming holiday season, the demand for vessel and cargo spaces for shipments both for break bulk and container will be high.
3. Limited logistical requirements in Zamboanga City as assigned discharge port.
4. Their suppliers were not able to prepare logistical requirements due to time constraints and tight delivery schedule;
5. Possible port congestions at loading and port of destination

With the above reasons and to beef-up the national stock inventory, the NFA Management hereby endorses for consideration the extension of the arrival period for the 133,500 MT from November 30, 2018 to Not Later Than (NLT) December 31, 2018.

For the NFA Council consideration and approval.

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TOMAS R. ESCAREZ
Officer-In-Charge and Deputy Administrator
for Finance and Administration

Approved:

Emmanuel F. Piñol
EMMANUEL F. PIÑOL
Secretary, Department of Agriculture
and Chairman, NFA Council

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