

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

ILOILO SEIZURE IDENTIFICATION NO. 02 - 2022

(Collection District VI)

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FIFTY (50) BOXES OF FOOD SUPPLEMENT – ZINC 25MG CONTAINING NINETY (90) TABLETS PER BOX COVERED BY HELD BAGGAGE RECEIPT NO. 00480121

**SUNGMIN KIM** 

Passport No: M58633188 Hennan Park Resort, Boracay Owner/Claimant

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## WARRANT OF SEIZURE AND DETENTION

TO: The District Commander ESS-CPD, Port of Iloilo

WHEREAS, on August 3, 2022, fifty (50) boxes of Food Supplement-Zinc 25mg containing ninety (90) tablets per box were brought by Mr. Sungmin Kim, Korean passenger with Passport No. M58633188, at Kalibo International Airport via T-way Flight No. TW 139 with Aircraft Registry No. HL8354;

WHEREAS, during the examination at the Customs lane, Mr. Kim informed Customs Examiner Abdull Allan G. Basher that he brought the subject goods to be distributed to his colleague. The Customs Examiner then requested his Customs Baggage Declaration Forms (CBDF) together with his passport, wherein the subject goods were not declared on the CBDF;

WHEREAS, upon verification by the Customs Examiner from Mr. Kim, it was found out that the subject goods were not covered with permit/clearances from the Food and Drug Administration or any other pertinent documents relative to the importation of the subject goods;

WHEREAS, Customs Examiner Basher conducted 100% physical examination on the subject goods witnessed by Mr. Kim and ESS-CPD personnel. The actual examination of the goods yielded fifty (50) boxes of Food Supplement-Zinc 25mg containing ninety (90) tablets per box;

WHEREAS, in a Disposition Form dated August 8, 2022 of Port Collector Caliph Q. Dagpin of BOC-KIA received by this Office on August 12, 2022, he reported to the District Collector his findings and recommended that the subject goods be seized for lack of Import Permit/Clearances from Food and Drug Administration or any other pertinent documents relative to the importation of the subject goods;

WHEREAS, after careful evaluation of the documents submitted and applicable customs laws, rules and regulations, the District Collector finds probable cause for the issuance of Warrant of Seizure and Detention against the subject goods for violation of Paragraph 4 of the FDA- DOH Joint Circular No. 1-2015 which categorized the goods under Sec. 117 (Regulated Goods) of the CMTA, thus non-compliance of the said provision qualifies the goods to fall under Sec. 118 paragraph g (Prohibited Importation) of the CMTA, giving rise to the provisions of Sec. 1113 paragraphs f and I subparagraph 2 (Property Subject to Seizure and Forfeiture) of the same Act.



WHEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, and in compliance with pertinent Customs laws, rules, and regulations, it is hereby ordered to forthwith seize the aforementioned articles and have them under constructive custody of ESS-CPD Port of Iloilo and be stored for safekeeping until the same has been disposed of in accordance with law. Compliance with Customs Memorandum Order No. 8-84 in relation to Customs Administrative Order No. 10 - 2020, particularly on the matter of making a return of service and the submission of the Inventory Report is to be strictly observed.

SO ORDERED.

Port of ILOILO, Iloilo City, Philippines, 15 August 2022.

CIRIACO D. UGAY
District Collector

Cc:

- Office of the Commissioner
- Acting Chief, Legal Service
- Chief, Accounts Management Office
- Chief, ACDC
- Hearing Officer
- Chief, CIIS Field Station, Port of Iloilo
- Port Collector, Kalibo International Airport
- Claimant
- Resident Auditor
- File
- Bulletin Board (KIA and District Office)