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TO : ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS
ALL SUB-PORT COLLECTORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : **ATTY. VENER S. BAQUIRAN**
Deputy Commissioner[&]
Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group

SUBJECT : Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Recommendation for
The Release of Donated Food Products from Convoy of
Hope to CONVOY OF HOPE PHILIPPINES, INC.

DATE : 29 March 2023

Forwarding the herein attached letters from Director Pilar Marilyn M. Pagayunan, Center for Food Regulation and Research, FDA, addressed to Mr. Luis Jose Raymundo S. Sasuman, Chief of Operations and Finance, Convoy of Hope Philippines, Inc. recommending clearance for the release of the following donated food products from Convoy of Hope to CONVOY OF HOPE PHILIPPINES, INC.:

Date	Container Number	Seal Number	Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
09 March 2023	FBLU 0052244	C475644	Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	43 cases 258 cases 1019 cases	January 2024 February 2024 May 2024
10 March 2023	TCKU 4775363	C375816	Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	351 cases 266 cases 608 cases 95 cases	January 2024 March 2024 April 2024 August 2024
10 March 2023	CAAU 5833713	401058	Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	976 cases 344 cases	June 2024 August 2024
10 March 2023	MSDU 7016170	1635737	Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	4 cases 157 cases 683 cases 236 cases 240 cases	March 2024 May 2024 June 2024 July 2024 August 2024



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10 March 2023	SEGU 5071984	C375817	Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	128 cases 262 cases 340 cases 590 cases	January 2024 February 2024 March 2024 April 2024
10 March 2023	TGBU 9224861	UL- 8797833	Nutritional Powder	4 cases 4 cases 639 cases 2 cases 411 cases	May 2024 August 2024 Sept. 2024 Dec. 2024 April 2025
			Soup Mix	192 cases	November 2024

The release of the donated food products shall be subject to the following conditions:

1. the products shall have been inspected and cleared by a representative from FDA – Regional Field Office;
2. the clearance shall only be for the release of the products from this Bureau and shall not be construed as an authorization for its distribution, sale, offer for sales, and use;
3. FDA shall not be held liable for any damage, injury, illness, death that may result from the distribution and use of the donated food products; and
4. the clearance is without prejudice to existing tariff rules and customs regulations.

For information and appropriate action.



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09 March 2023

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MR. LUIS JOSE RAYMUNDO S. SASUMAN
Chief of Operations and Finance
Convoy of Hope Philippines, Inc.
1924, Taft Avenue corner Bernabe Street,
Brgy. 044, Pasay City

Dear **Mr. Sasuman**:

Please be informed that this Office recommends the release of the following food product donated by Convoy of Hope – 330 S. Patterson Springfield, MO 65802, US to **CONVOY OF HOPE PHILIPPINES, INC.** located at Municipal Nursery, Sta. Rosa 1, Marilao, Bulacan, Philippines:

Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	43 cases	January 2024
	258 cases	February 2024
Container Number FBLU 0052244	1019 cases	May 2024
Seal C475644		


The release of said donated food products is on the condition that the said product **shall have been inspected and cleared** by a representative from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) – Regional Field Office.

This clearance shall only be for the RELEASE of the product from the Bureau of Customs and shall not be construed as an authorization for its distribution, sale, offer for sales and use. FDA shall not be held liable for any damage, injury, illness, death that may result from the distribution and use of the donated food product.

This clearance is without prejudice to existing tariff rules and customs regulations.

For inspection schedule, please contact the FDA – Regional Field Office at rfoncr@fda.gov.ph.

Very truly yours,


PILAR MARILYN M. PAGAYUNAN
Director IV
Center for Food Regulation and Research

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Amount: P 510
OR Number: 11000
Date: 07 Mar 2023
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cc: ANNA MARIE CELINA G. GARFIN, MD, MM
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Commissioner, Bureau of Customs
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MR. LUIS JOSE RAYMUNDO S. SASUMAN

Chief of Operations and Finance

Convoy of Hope Philippines, Inc.

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Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	351 cases	January 2024
	266 cases	March 2024
Container Number TCKU 4775363	608 cases	April 2024
Seal C375816	95 cases	August 2024


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Dear **Mr. Sasuman**:

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Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	976 cases	June 2024
	344 cases	August 2024
Container Number CAAU 5833713		
Seal 401058		


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Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	4 cases	March 2024
	157 cases	May 2024
Container Number MSDU 7016170 Seal 1635737	683 cases	June 2024
	236 cases	July 2024
	240 cases	August 2024


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MR. LUIS JOSE RAYMUNDO S. SASUMAN
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Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Fortified Rice & Soy Protein Meal	128 cases	January 2024
	262 cases	February 2024
Container Number SEGU 5071984	340 cases	March 2024
Seal C375817	590 cases	April 2024

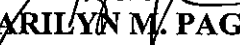
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MR. LUIS JOSE RAYMUNDO S. SASUMAN

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Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
Nutritional Powder	4 cases	May 2024
	4 cases	August 2024
	639 cases	September 2024
	2 cases	December 2024
	411 cases	April 2025
Soup Mix	192 cases	November 2024
Container Number TGBU 9224861 Seal UL-8797833		

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