27 April 2023

CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. <u>74-2023</u>

TO: ALL DISTRICT/PORT COLLECTORS
ALL SUBPORT COLLECTORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT: IMPORTATION OF BIOCOB RESEARCH GRADE BEDDINGS /RODENT LITTER

Relative to the herein attached letter from the Forest Management Bureau (FMB), Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), all Collection Districts are informed that the importation of BioCob Research Grade/Rodent Litter does **NOT** require clearance from the FMB and the DENR.

Nevertheless, shipping and commercial documents are still required for submission upon goods declaration of the abovementioned commodity.

For compliance.

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Director, Import and Assessment Service Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group (AOCG) Bureau of Customs G/F OCOM Building, 16th Street South Harbor, Port Area, Manila MAR 1 7 2023

Subject:

Letter from Davyco Bio Philippines Corporation regarding importation of

Biocob research grade beddings

Dear Atty. Abbas:

Greetings!

This has reference to the letter dated 27 February 2023 from Dr. Sebastian Jose, veterinarian and owner of Davyco Bio Philippines Corporation. In the said letter, Davyco Bio Philippines Corporation is requesting to clarify that certification from this Office for the importation of BioCob Research grade beddings / rodent litter is not necessary.

In relation to the foregoing and considering the mandate of this Office, please informed that the importation of BioCob Research grade beddings/rodent litter does not require clearance from the Forest Management Bureau (FMB) and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR).

Thank you and warm regards.

Very truly yours,

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