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**MEMORANDUM**

**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 FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN TO  
 INTERNATIONAL CARE MINISTRIES FOUNDATION, INC.  
 (ICMFI)

**DATE :** 21 July 2023

Forwarding the herein attached letters from Director Pilar Marilyn M. Pagayunan, Center for Food Regulation and Research, FDA, addressed to Mr. Edgardo Sta. Ana, Logistics Manager, ICMFI recommending clearance for the release of the following donated food products from Feed My Starving Children to ICMFI:

Date	Container Number	Seal Number	Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
26 June 2023	TGBU 9599153	UL- 9944091	MannaPack™ Rice (36-375g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal white rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend. Packed in an institution-sized bag	1,260 Boxes	Earliest of which is May 2026
27 June 2023	MSMU 8419767	UL- 9771036	MannaPack™ Rice (36-375g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal white rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend. Packed in an institution-sized bag	1,260 Boxes	Best if Used Before date, the Earliest of which is May 2026
27 June 2023	MSCU 5191349	UL- 7842560	MannaPack™ Rice (36-375g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal white rice, textured	1,260 Boxes	Best if Used Before



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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 – Customs Liaison Unit;
2. the clearance shall solely 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.



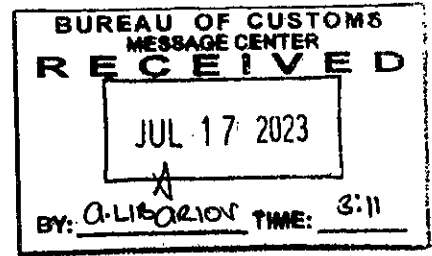
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26 June 2023

**MR. EDGARDO STA. ANA**  
ICMFI Logistics Manager  
**International Care Ministries Foundation Inc.**  
Unit W-1701, 1708, 1709, 1710  
17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Philippine Stock Exchange Center,  
Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City



Dear Mr. Sta. Ana:

Please be informed that this Office recommends the release of the following food products donated by Feed My Starving Children – HQ 401 93<sup>rd</sup> Avenue NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433 U.S.A. to **INTERNATIONAL CARE MINISTRIES FOUNDATION INC.** located at Unit W-1701, 1708, 1709, 1710, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Philippine Stock Exchange Center, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City, Philippines:

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Container No. <b>TGBU9599153</b>	Seal Number <b>UL-9944091</b>	

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.

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For inspection schedule, please contact the FDA – RFO at [rfoncr@fda.gov.ph](mailto:rfoncr@fda.gov.ph)

Very truly yours,

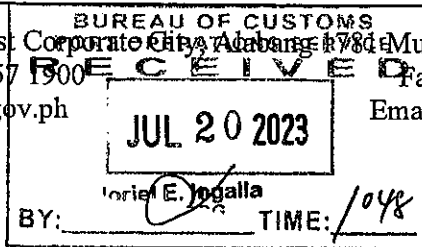
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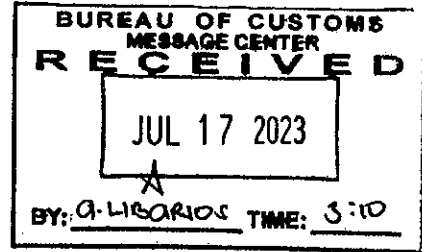


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Container No. <b>MSMU8419767</b>	Seal Number <b>UL-9771036</b>	

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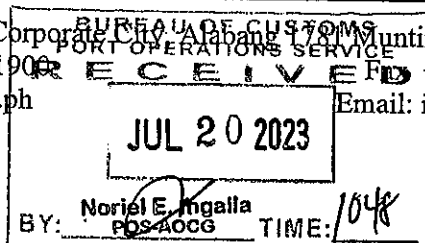
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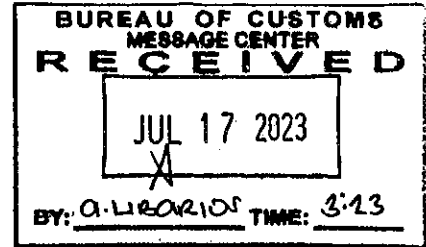


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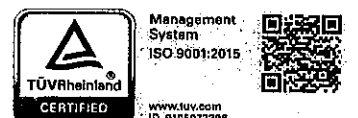
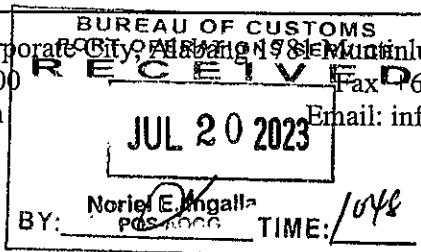
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