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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 : **06 February 2024**

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 |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------|---|-------------|------------------------------------|
| 03 January 2024 | TCNU 4000998 | UL-0819182 | Donated Foodstuff-FMSC Meal 01-7 MannaPack™ Rice (14-1kg bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |
| 03 January 2024 | OOLU 8971057 | UL-0819168 | Donated Foodstuff-FMSC Meal 01-7 MannaPack™ Rice (14-1kg bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |

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| 04 January 2024 | TCLU 8545622 | UL- 0819174 | Donated Foodstuff- FMSC Meal 01-7 MannaPack™ Rice (14- 1kg bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |
| 04 January 2024 | TGBU 9824022 | UL- 0819173 | Donated Foodstuff- FMSC Meal 01-7 MannaPack™ Rice (14- 1kg bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |
| 24 January 2024 | DFSU 7430265 | UL- 0819188 | Donated Foodstuff- FMSC Meal 01-7 MannaPack™ Rice (14- 1kg bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |
| 24 January 2024 | TGBU 4769508 | UL- 7842586 | Donated Foodstuff- FMSC Meal 01-6 MannaPack™ Rice (36- 370g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |
| 24 January 2024 | KKFU 8075405 | UL- 2381841 | Donated Foodstuff- FMSC Meal 01-6 MannaPack™ Rice (36- 370g bag) Rice Fortified Rice and Soy Meal (White rice, textured soy protein, dehydrated vegetables, vegetarian flavoring with a vitamin and mineral blend) | 1,260 boxes | Earliest of which is December 2026 |

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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 – Regional Field Office;
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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03 January 2024

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Dear **Mr. Sta. Ana:**

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Very truly yours,

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| Container Number OOLU 8971057 | Seal Number UL-0819168 | |

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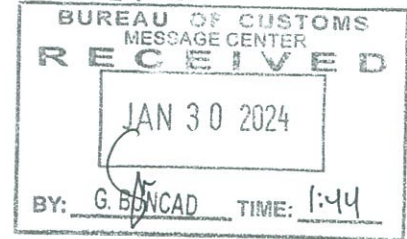
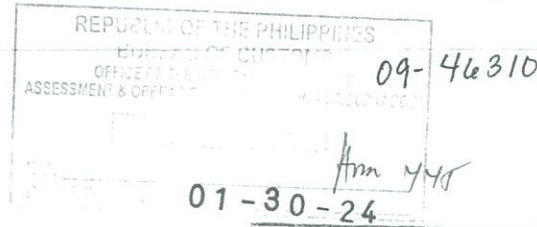


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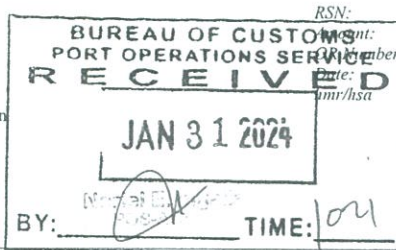
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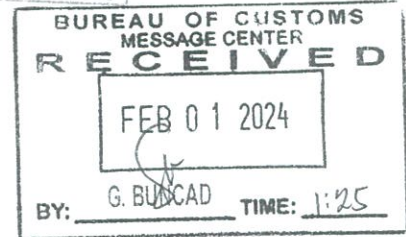


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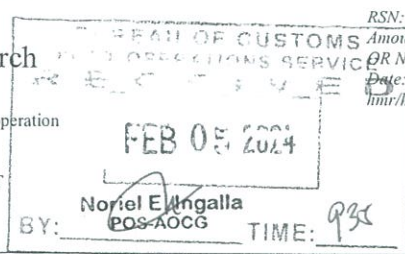
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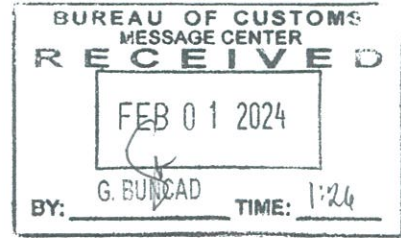
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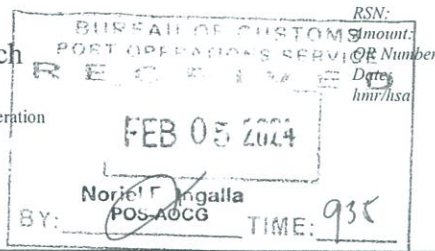
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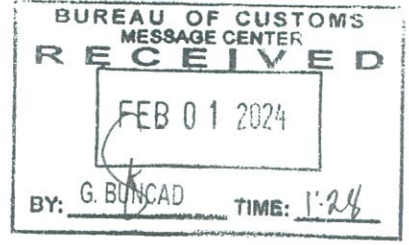
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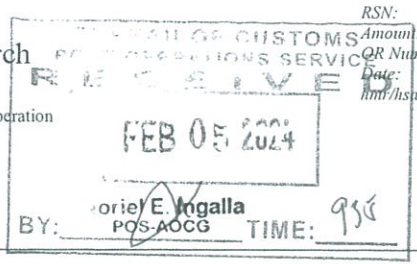
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