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CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 179 - 2024

TO

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS

ALL DIRECTORS AND DIVISION CHIEFS

ALL DISTRICT AND SUB-PORT COLLECTORS

ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT :

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT ORDER

NO. 20-2024 WITH SUBJECT: IMPOSITION OF PRICE-BASED SPECIAL SAFEGUARD (SSG) MEASURE ON SEVERAL

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

This has reference to the herein attached Letter dated 04 October 2024 from Francisco P. Tiu Laurel, Jr., Secretary, Department of Agriculture (DA), addressed to Ralph Recto, Secretary, Department of Finance (DOF), copy furnished the Bureau of Customs (BOC), regarding DA Department Order (DO) No. 20-2024 with the subject: "Imposition of Price-Based Special Safeguard (SSG) Measure on Several Agricultural Products".

Relative thereto, DA-DO No. 20-20240 requests the BOC for the imposition or continuation of the imposition of the price-based SSG measure on the following agricultural products eligible for such measure pursuant to Republic Act No 8800, otherwise known as the "Safeguard Measures Act," as follows:

AHTN 2022	Description	Trigger Price (PhP per kg)	Action to be Taken	Remarks
0202.20.00	Meat of bovine animals, other cuts with bone in, frozen	89.22	Continue	Price-based measure to be imposed shall be on shipment by
0207.12.00.200	Meat and edible offal of fowls of the species <i>Gallus domesticus</i> , not cut in pieces, frozen (Out-Quota)	93.96	the price- based SSG imposition	shipment basis, depending on a difference between the actual cost, insurance,

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0207.14.10.200	Wings of fowls of the species <i>Gallus</i> domesticus, frozen (Out-Quota)	93.96	freight (CIF) price at the time of lodgment of import documents and the corresponding
0207.14.30.200	Livers of fowls of the species <i>Gallus</i> domesticus, frozen (Out-Quota)	423.55	trigger price
0207.14.99.200	Other cuts and offal of the species <i>Gallus domesticus</i> , frozen (Out-Quota)	93.96	
1602.41.10	Hams and cuts thereof of swine, prepared or preserved, in airtight containers for retail sale	305.73	
2101.11.11.200	Instant coffee, in packings of a net weight not less than 20 kg (Out-Quota)	203.74	
2101.11.19.200	Instant coffee, other than in packings of a net weight not less than 20 kg (Out- Quota)	203.74	
2101.11.90.200	Extracts, essences and concentrates of coffee, other than instant coffee (Out-Quota)	203.74	

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2101.12.91.200	Coffee preparation with a basis of extracts, essences or concentrate containing added sugar, whether or not containing creamer (Out-Quota)	203.74		
2101.12.92.200	Coffee preparation with a basis of ground roasted containing added sugar, whether or not containing creamer (Out-Quota)	203.74		
2101.12.99.200	Other preparations with a basis of extracts, essences or concentrates or with a basis of coffee (Out-Quota)	203.74		
0210.11.00	Hams, shoulders and cuts thereof, with bone in, of swine, salted, in brine, dried or smoked	79.63		
0901.21.19.200	Coffee, roasted, not decaffeinated, unground, other than Arabica and Robusta (Out- Quota)	134.11	Impose the price-based SSG	
1601.00.10.900	Sausages and similar products, of meat, meat offal or blood; food preparations	65.03		

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	based on these products, in airtight containers for retail sale other than of insects		
1602.32.90	Other prepared and preserved meat, meat offal, blood of fowls of the species <i>Gallus domesticus</i> , other than chicken curry, in airtight containers for retail sale	259.22	

Further, the DA advised that additional duty should be collected for imports of the above-mentioned products if their cost, insurance, and freight (CIF) import prices breach their respective trigger prices, i.e., the actual CIF price of each product at the time of lodgment of import documents is less than its corresponding trigger price, pursuant to Section 24 of RA 8800.

Attached hereto is a copy of DA-DO No. 20-2024 as Annex "A" for reference.

For records purposes, please confirm the dissemination of this circular throughout your offices within fifteen (15) days from receipt hereof.

For your guidance and reference.





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DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. 20 Series of 2024

SUBJECT

IMPOSITION OF PRICE-BASED SPECIAL SAFEGUARD (SSG) MEASURE ON SEVERAL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

Pursuant to Republic Act (RA) No. 8800, otherwise known as the "Safeguard Measures Act", the Secretary of Agriculture hereby requests the Commissioner of Customs, through the Secretary of Finance, for the imposition or continuation of the imposition of the price-based Special Safeguard (SSG) measure on the following agricultural products eligible for such measure:

AHTN 2022	Description	Trigger Price (PhP per kg)	Action to be Taken	Remarks
0202.20.00	Meat of bovine animals, other cuts with bone in, frozen	89.22	Continue the price- based SSG imposition	Price-based SSG measure to be imposed shall be on a shipment-by- shipment basis, depending on the difference between the actual cost, insurance, freight (CIF) price at the time of lodgment of import documents and the corresponding trigger price.
0207.12.00.200	Meat and edible offal of fowls of the species Gallus domesticus, not cut in pieces, frozen (Out- Quota)	93.96		
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Amending for this purpose Department Order No. 16, s.2024.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until revoked in writing. All orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 4th day of Oot. 2024.

SO ORDERED.

FRANCISCO P. TIU LAUREL, JR.

Secretary



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