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MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS
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FROM : **ATTY. VENER S. BAQUIRAN**
Deputy Commissioner *A*
Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group

SUBJECT : **FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (FDA)
RECOMMENDATION FOR THE RELEASE OF DONATED
FOOD PRODUCTS FROM RISEN SAVIOR MISSIONS TO THE
ASSISI DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION, INC.**

DATE : **22 January 2025**

Forwarding the herein attached letters dated 31 January 2024 and 28 November 2024 from Director Pilar Marilyn M. Pagayunan, Center for Food Regulation and Research, FDA, addressed to Ms. Angelita S. Evidente, Program Manager, Assisi Development Foundation, Inc., recommending clearance for the release of the following donated food products from Risen Savior Missions to Assisi Development Foundation:

Date	Container Number	Seal Number	Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
28 Nov 2024	MAGU5539 598	A15542 46	MannaPack™ Rice (36-370g bags) Lot Number: 241021-01-07A	600 cases	Oct 2027
			MannaPack™ Rice (36-370g bags) Lot Number: 241021-01-07B	660 cases	Oct 2027
28 Nov 2024	MSNU5673 684	UL- 2848055	MannaPack Rice (36-370g bags) Lot Number: 241021-01-06A	432 cases	Oct 2027
			MannaPack Rice (36-370g bags) Lot Number: 2410- 168SC	828 cases	



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28 Nov 2024	DFSU6526300	UL-9709753	MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240812-01-40A	347 cases	Aug 2027
			MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240812-01-40C	589 cases	
			MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240812-01-40B	144 cases	
28 Nov 2024	CAAU7132203	UL-9709750	MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240805-01-40B	1,080 cases	Aug 2027
28 Nov 2024	CAAU8151830	UL-9709549	MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240805-01-40A	566 cases	Aug 2027
			MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240805-01-40B	514 cases	
28 Nov 2024	MSMU8731775	UL-9709752	MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240812-01-40A	1,080 cases	Aug 2027
31 Jan 2024	YMLU8834657	UL-2381827	FMSC MEAL 01-6 Manna Pack Rice (36-370g bags)	1,260 boxes	Dec 2026

It is further informed that 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.



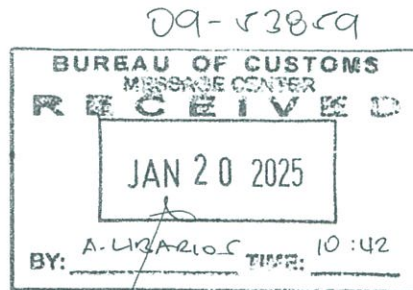


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28 November 2024

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Dear Ms. Evidente:

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Container Number MAGU5539598		Seal # A1554246

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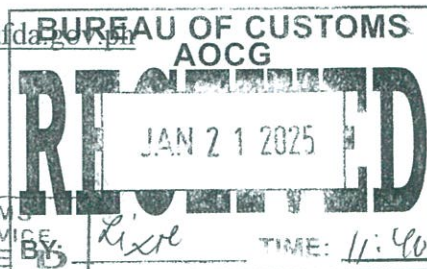
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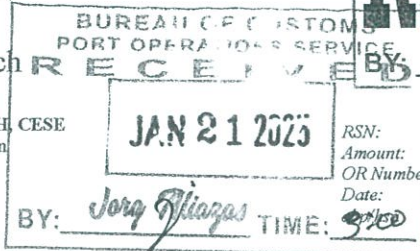
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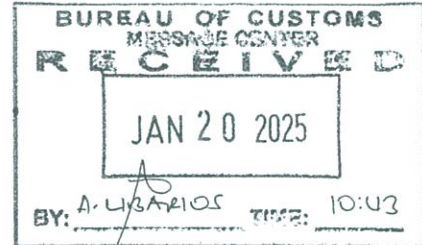
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Container Number MSNU5673684	Seal # UL-2848055	

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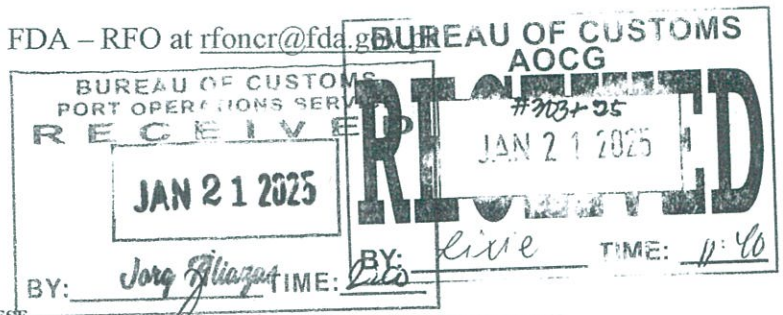
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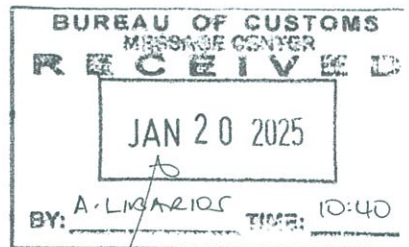
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Container Number DFSU6526300	Seal # UL-9709753	

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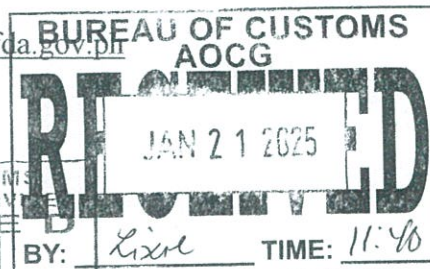
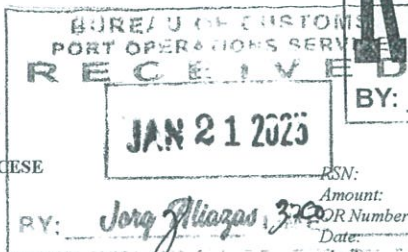
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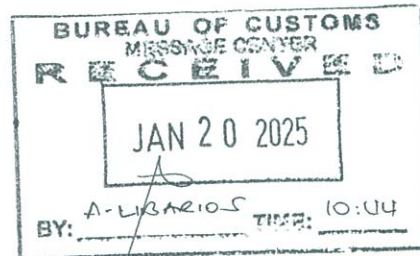
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Product Name	Quantity	Expiry Date
MannaPack Rice (1-16.4 kg bag) Lot Number: 240805-01-40B	1,080 cases	Best if Used Before date, the Earliest of which is August 2027
Container Number CAAU7132203		Seal # UL-9709750

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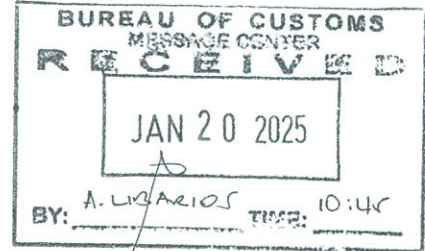
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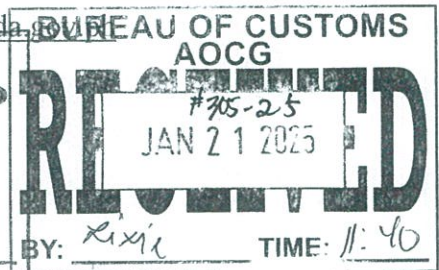
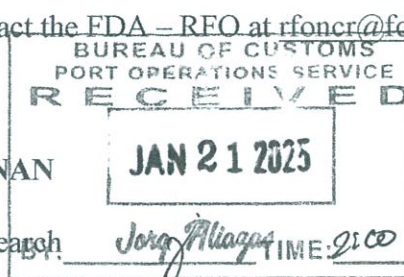
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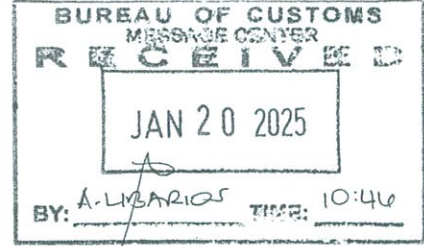
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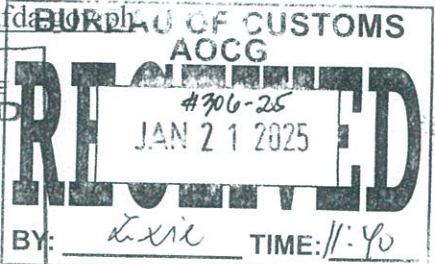
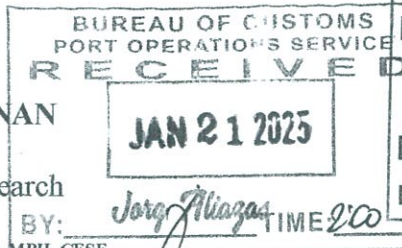
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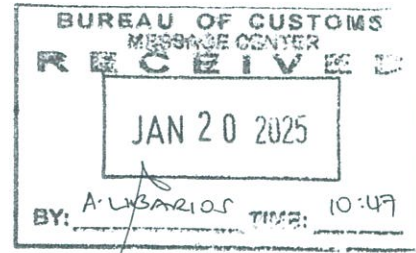
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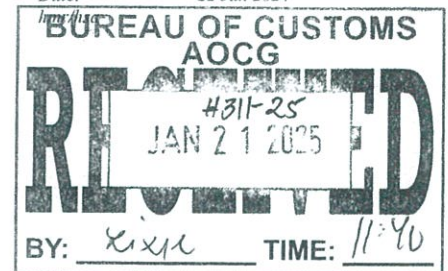
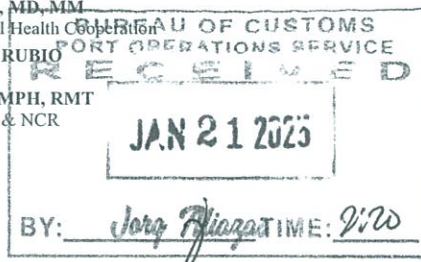
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