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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

DAVAO SEIZURE IDENTIFICATION CASE No. 70 – 2025

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20 REAMS VARIOUS BRANDS OF CIGARETTES KAWASAKI BAJAJ 125 (PLATE NO. 994 MOF)

SALIK A. BILAO

Purok Olarte, Brgy. Labangal General Santos City

Claimant

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WARRANT OF SEIZURE AND DETENTION

To: ESS-CPD

Sector Commander

Sub-Port of General Santos

WHEREAS, on 19 April 2025, General Santos MARPSTA and RMU 12 STG – Plutos, in coordination with the Bureau of Customs, conducted a surveillance and monitoring against illegal activities specifically on the alleged trading of smuggled or counterfeit goods which resulted to the seizure of the following, to wit:

PARTICULARS	QUANTITY	ESTIMATED VALUE
KING PERFECT CIGARETTES	4 REAMS	PHP 3,143.20
GAJAH BARU CIGARETTES	4 REAMS	PHP 3,143.20
CANNON CIGARETTES	5 REAMS	PHP 3,929.00
NEW BERLIN CIGARETTES	7 REAMS	PHP 5,500.60
KAWASAKI BAJAJ 125 (PLATE NO. 994 MOF)	1 UNIT	PHP 35,500.00
TOTAL	20 REAMS	PHP 51,216.00
	1 UNIT	

WHEREAS, on 21 April 2025, the above seized cigarettes and vehicle were turned over by Pat. Rey Mark S. Petargue, from General Santos City MARPSTA, and received by SAI Rogel E. Julio, Sector Commander, ESS-CPD, Sub-Port of General Santos, for safekeeping and for purposes of proper disposition;

WHEREAS, IA-II Michael D. Cariga, Team Leader, CIIS, Sub-Port of General Santos issued a Certification dated 19 April 2025 that as per records, the claimant is not a registered or accredited importers with the Bureau of Customs;

WHEREAS, on 21 April 2025, COO-II Vivian A. Jimenez, assigned Customs Examiner, submitted a report relative to the conduct of physical examination of the above seized goods. Customs Examiner Jimenez issued a certification that the seized goods were considered as smuggled and recommended for the issuance of a Warrant of Seizure and Detention in violation of Section 117, Section 1113 and Section 400 of R.A. No. 10863 otherwise known as the "Customs Modernization and Tariff Act (CMTA)";

WHEREAS, on 26 May 2025, ESS District Commander SP/CAPT. Mangurun C. Batuampar, Jr., and CIIS Chief IO-II Felix A. Espino III, also recommended for the issuance of Warrant of Seizure; and

WHEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested by law in this Office, you are hereby ordered to forthwith SEIZE the aforementioned articles and take physical possession and, custody. In compliance with Customs Administrative Order No.10-2020, particularly, in the manner of making a return of service and the submission of Inventory Report on the list of the seized cargo be strictly observed.

SO ORDERED.

Port of Davao, Sasa, Davao City, 19 June 2025.

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The Commissioner, BOC, Manila
Deputy Commissioner, AOCG
Legal Service - RCMG
Intelligence Group
Account Management Office
District Commander, ESS-CPB
CIIS Davao
Resident Auditor
General Santos MARPSTA

MAITA S. ACEVEDO
District Collector, Port of Davao