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Subject: ACCREDITATION OF MEAT ESTABLISHMENTS IN CHINA TO EXPORT MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS TO THE PHILIPPINES

HEREAS, the Philippine Department of Agriculture Mission In the People's Republic of China (PROC), after a thorough evaluation of the animal health status, quarantine procedures, meat inspection system and meat establishments found favorable conditions that merit allowing the importation of poultry meat and processed meat products from PROC;

WHEREAS, importation of specified poultry meat and processed meat products from the following meat establishments stated in Annex A shall be allowed;

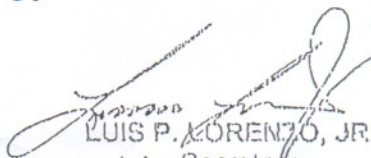
NOW, THEREFORE, I, LUIS P. LORENZO, JR., Secretary of Agriculture, by the powers vested in me by law, do hereby issue an order granting accreditation of meat establishments listed in Annex A to export poultry meat and processed meat products to the Philippines.

All import transactions of the abovementioned products shall be in accordance with existing rules and regulations of the Department of Agriculture - Bureau of Animal Industry - National Meat Inspection Commission (DA-BAI-NMIC).

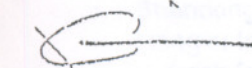
All import transactions of poultry meat and processed meat products coming from their respective meat establishments must be covered by a pre-inspection certificate issued by a third party stating the processed meat have been cooked under the temperature enough to kill the FMD virus, etc. and that the frozen poultry meat have been packed under strict sanitary conditions.


All orders, rules and regulations or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this order, are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

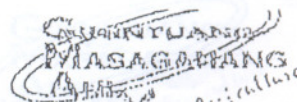
This ORDER shall take effect immediately.

  
LUIS P. LORENZO, JR.  
Secretary

Recommending Approval:

  
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