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## MEMORANDUM


For: Dr. Davinio P. Catbagan, BAI  
Atty. Jane C. Bacayo, NMIS

Subject: Signing of FME accreditation certifications

This concerns your resubmission of the DAIM Inspection and Audit Report of FMEs. Per instructions of the Secretary and after finding such submissions compliant with this Office's earlier endorsement of the documents back to your respective Offices, please revise the certificates to reflect that the final signatory will be the Director of BAI, in his capacity as the country's duly notified and authorized Chief Veterinary Officer.

In view of this, the Secretary, upon this Office's recommendation, concurs with the approval of the certifications for Brazil FMEs. Please take note that such procedure, as earlier instructed, is to be applied for all in the pipeline and that while the national CVO is authorized to sign certifications, concurrence will still have to be obtained from the Office of the Secretary through this Office.

For compliance.

  
Segfredo R. Serrano  
Undersecretary

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