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SUGAR ORDER NO. 1
Series of 2022-2023

SUBJECT: **SUGAR POLICY FOR CROP YEAR 2022-2023**

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WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 18, promulgated 28 May 1986, vests the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) with the power to establish and maintain a balanced relation between sugar production and the requirements of sugar, and to maintain such marketing conditions as will ensure stabilized prices at levels reasonably profitable to the producers and fair to consumers;

WHEREAS, the total raw sugar production for Crop Year 2022-2023 is estimated at 1,876,135.36 Metric Tons, more or less;

WHEREAS, the total domestic raw sugar withdrawal for Crop Year 2022-2023 is estimated at 2,030,750 Metric Tons, more or less;

WHEREAS, the SRA is mandated to institute measures and ensure the stability of "B" or Domestic Sugar supply;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the power vested in the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA), it is hereby ordered that:

Section 1. Production and Classes of Sugar. Sugar production for Crop Year 2022-2023 (September 1, 2022 to August 31, 2023) is expected to be 1,876,135.36 Metric Tons and shall be quedanned by the mill companies, as implementors of this Sugar Order, in the following percentage:

"B" or Domestic Sugar Market - 100 %

Section 2. Issuance of Quedan-Permits/Molasses Storage Certificates. As a general rule, sugar mill companies shall issue weekly sugar quedan-permit/molasses storage certificates in the name of the individual planter or mill companies for their corresponding shares of sugar and molasses production for Crop Year 2022-2023;

As an exception, in case of "B" sugar, where a planter has expressly authorized the mill company in writing or has executed agreement provides for the consolidation of his weekly sugar/molasses production in the name of the association/cooperative, mill company concerned shall issue consolidated weekly sugar quedan-permits/molasses

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storage certificates in the name of the association/cooperative with an attached listing of the planters and their corresponding production covered by said sugar quedan-permits/molasses storage certificates;

Section 3. Periodic Assessments, Percentage Adjustment. The SRA shall undertake assessment of the Crop Year 2022-2023 sugar production and withdrawals trend. On the basis of such assessment, SRA may from time to time adjust the percentage allocation/distribution to other classes of sugar in accordance with its power and function to establish domestic, export and reserve allocation;


Section 4. Non-revalidation of Unused Quedan-Permit Forms. Pursuant to Section 6, Sugar Order No. 1, Series of 1995-1996, dated 1 September 1995, it is hereby reiterated that for Crop Year 2022-2023, and thereafter, all unused sugar quedan-permit forms of the previous crop year shall be shredded and not allowed for use;

Section 5. Effectivity Clause. A copy of this Order shall be filed with the Office of the National Administrative Registrar, U. P. Law Center, Diliman, Quezon City and shall take effect immediately;


Section 6. Repealing Clause. All provisions of Sugar Orders, Circular Letters, rules and regulations with or contrary to this Sugar Order are hereby amended, modified or revoked accordingly.


APPROVED BY:


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