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SUGAR ORDER NO. 5
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**SUBJECT : REINSTATEMENT AND VERIFICATION OF HOMELESS
 "A" U.S. EXPORT MARKET SUGAR/QUEDANS**

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 18, Series of 1986, mandate the Sugar Regulatory Administration to regulate the supply of sugar in the country specifically, *to establish and maintain such balanced relation between sugar production and the requirements of the market and to maintain such marketing conditions as will ensure stabilized prices at levels reasonably profitable to producers and fair to consumers;*

WHEREAS, the SRA had issued Sugar Order No. 4, Series of 2020-2021 (SO #4), on the verification of "A" U.S. Market Sugar to account for all the "A" sugar in order to determine the total available volume and holders of all outstanding "A" sugar quedans and to impose a deadline for the verification of all "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar Quedans covering sugar production week ending 28 March 2021 and prior week endings of CY 2020-2021 and previous crop years 2019-2020 and CY 2018-2019;

WHEREAS, with the lapse of the deadline set by SO #4, SRA received written requests and applications for reinstatement of verified and/or unverified "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar Quedans of CY 2019-2020 and 2018-19 that have become homeless for various reasons, for the purpose of shipping out/exporting to the U.S. Quota to prevent their leakage into the domestic market;

WHEREAS, it is important flush out and export these homeless "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar Quedans of CY 2019-2020 and 2018-19 to their intended market to account for and remove them from the carry-over stocks while maintaining consistency to their original and intended allocation as "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar Quedan,

NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the authority vested in the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA), it is hereby ordered that:

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Section 1. Coverage for Reinstatement and Verification. All homeless "A" sugar quedans of CY 2019-2020 and CY 2018-2019 are covered by this order on reinstatement and verification. Applicants shall submit an application for reinstatement and verification of homeless "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar together with duly-notarized Affidavit of Undertaking to ship "A" Sugar to the United States.

Section 2. Deadline for Reinstatement and Verification. The deadline for the filing of the application of reinstatement and verification of homeless "A" U.S. Export Market sugar quedan-permits of CY 2019-2020 and CY 2018-2019 shall not be later than 28 July 2021.

Section 3. Reinstatement Fee. A one-time reinstatement fee of **PhP15.00 per LKg-Bag** shall be charged upon filing of application. Upon payment of the reinstatement fee and approval of the application, the "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar Quedans are eligible for export shipment to the U.S. Quota Year 2020-2021.

Section 4. Failure to reinstate and verify the homeless "A" U.S. Export sugar subject of this order shall render said "A" quedans to henceforth remain as "homeless", and the corresponding physical sugar as non-status, non-negotiable and non-marketable and cannot be withdrawn from the mills unless specifically authorized by the SRA, or may be disposed of in accordance with existing Sugar Orders and Circular Letters prescribing the rules on the validity and expiration of sugar quedans, and the compulsory disposition thereof;

Section 5. Any volume of "A" sugar quedans which have been reinstated and verified under this Sugar Order but have *not* been actually shipped out/exported to the United States Quota in Crop Year 2020-2021 shall be disposed of in accordance with existing Sugar Orders and Circular Letters, failure to comply with which requirement shall entail administrative and/or civil penalties, if circumstances warrant;

Section 6. Application for reinstatement and verification of homeless "A" U.S. Export Market Sugar/Quedans shall be filed with the Regulation Department, SRA, in Quezon City and Bacolod City.

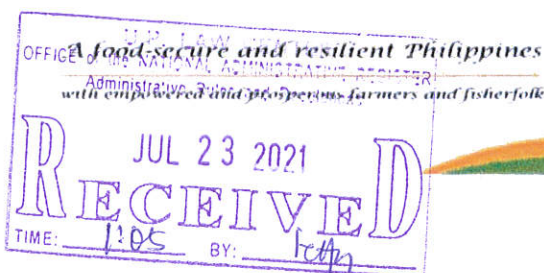
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Section 8. A copy of this Order shall be filed with the Office of the National Administrative Registrar, U.P. Law Center, Diliman, Quezon City and shall take effect immediately.

Section 9. Provisions of Sugar Orders, Circular Letters, Memorandum Circulars, rules and regulations contrary to or inconsistent with this Sugar Order are hereby revised, modified and revoked.

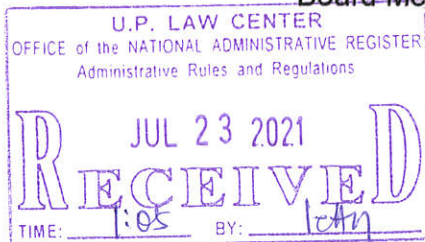
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