

ADMINISTRATIVE CIRCULAR

No. 0

SUBJECT:

APPROVAL OF SYSTEM ACCREDITATION OF TAIWAN TO EXPORT

LIVE BREEDER PIGS TO THE PHILIPPINES

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to the DA - Administrative Order (AO) No. 9, Series of 2010, "Department of Agriculture Administrative Order No. 8, Series of 2009, as amended (DA AO No. 8, Series of 2009, "Rules and Regulations Governing the Importation of Agricultural and Fishery/Aquatic Products, Fertilizers, Pesticides and other Agricultural Chemical, Veterinary Drugs and Biological Products into the Philippines), the exporting company is registered/accredited by the concerned DA bureau or agency and is in "good standing";

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to the Department of Agriculture Memorandum Circular No. 12, series of 2017 entitled: Importation Procedures for Live Animals into the Philippines, the exporting country or foreign animal establishment must be on the list of countries or animal establishment authorized/accredited to export live animals to the Philippines;

WHEREAS, in response to the Government of Taiwan's application for system accreditation for live breeder pigs, the Bureau of Animal Industry On Site Verification Inspection in representative farms was conducted to assess and evaluate the biosecurity, animal health program, animal disease diagnostic capacity, as well as the husbandry practices implemented, in line with the initiative of the Government of Taiwan to export live breeder pigs to the Philippines, on September 8-22, 2022 (inclusive of travel time and quarantine);

**WHEREAS,** based on the BAI Verification and Inspection Team (VIT) final report, the **Government of Taiwan** has complied with the requirements provided in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code (TAHC) of the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) and relevant Philippine Standards;

**WHEREAS**, the BAI – Pre-Inspection and Accreditation Review Committee (BAI-PARC) for Live Animals, Animal Feeds, Veterinary Drugs and Biologics has evaluated the results and findings of the inspection and found no imminent risk to source live breeder pigs from Taiwan for export to the Philippines last 06 January 2023;

WHEREAS, the BAI Pre-Inspection and Accreditation Review Committee (PARC) recommended system accreditation of the seven (7) breeder pig farms of the Government of Taiwan to export live breeder pigs with the corresponding items according to ASEAN Harmonised Tariff Nomenclature (AHTN) are as follows:



Breeder Pig Farm	Farm No. / Registration No.	Farm Address	AHTN Code
FA CHANG ENTERPRISE CO., LTD.	26301	No. 558, Sec. 3, Zhongyang Rd., Zhuangwei Township, Yilan County 263032, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	Live swine pure- bred breeding animals (AHTN Code 0101.10.10)
HUEI HUANG SWINE BREEDING FARM	35004	No. 54, Shanding, Zhunan Township, Miaoli County 350022, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	
JHU SING BREEDING PIG FARM	82001	No. 86, Zhiyuan Rd., Gangshan Dist., Kaoshiung City 820115, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	
KINGLONG SWINE FARM	73102	No. 101-12, Tugou, Houbi Dist., Tainan City 731023, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	
SHUI PO BREEDING SWINE FARM	73201	No. 71-115, Xincuozi, Baihe Dist., Tainan City 732002, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	
SHUN AN STUD FARM	73401	No. 117, Jingpu, Liujia Dist., Tainan City 734044, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	
WANG WEN CHU LIVESTOCK FARM	63307	No. 328, Maguang Rd., Tuku Township, Yunlin County 633102, Taiwan (R.O.C.)	

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN**, Senior Undersecretary of the Department of Agriculture, by the powers vested in me by law, do hereby issue this Circular granting approval of system accreditation to the abovementioned **seven (7) breeder pig farms** to export live breeder pigs to the Philippines.



The importation of live breeder pigs from listed farms in Taiwan are subject to existing veterinary quarantine rules and regulations.

This CIRCULAR shall take effect immediately.

Done this 20th day of January 2023.

DOMINGO F. PANGANIBAN Senior Undersecretary

