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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**

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**SUBJECT : EXTENSION OF VALIDITY OF VETERINARY HEALTH  
CERTIFICATE ISSUED ON JUNE 08, 2023 FOR LOCAL  
SHIPPING PERMIT APPLICATION**

In the exigency of service, in order to facilitate uninterrupted shipments of live animals, animal products and by-products in observance of Independence Day celebration (June 12, 2023), the validity of Veterinary Health Certificate (VHC) issued on June 08, 2023, will be temporarily extended up to June 13, 2023, for the purpose of local Shipping Permit application.

All other provisions of Department of Agriculture (DA) Administrative Order (AO) No.5 series of 2019, and other current regulations shall apply.

Done this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 2023.

For your information and guidance.

  
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