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TO

ALL VETERINARY QUARANTINE OFFICERS NVQSD, BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY AHWD, BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY

ALL CONCERNED

FROM:

OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, DIRECTOR

SUBJECT:

REQUIREMENTS FOR ISSUANCE OF SHIPPING PERMIT FOR LOCAL MOVEMENT

OF GAMEFOWLS DURING THE INTERNATIONAL GAMEFOWL FESTIVAL 2020 AND

PIGEON PAVILION ON JANUARY 10 TO 12, 2020

In the interest of public service and to provide guidance with regard to the issuance of shipping permit for the local movement of gamefowls and pigeon during The International Gamefowl Festival 2020 and Pigeon Pavilion On January 10-12, 2020, the following procedures shall be observed in the issuance of Shipping Permit (SP):

1. Shipper/Owner must provide master list with identification of the gamefowl and pigeon they will bring during the International Gamefowl Festival and Pigeon Pavilion;

2. Only gamefowls and pigeon that came from participating farm that was inspected by Regional Veterinary Quarantine Officer (RVQO) and submitted master list with identification bands (wing band or leg band) and have been vaccinated with Newcastle Disease (ND) shall be issued with individual Shipping Permit;

3. The Vaccination Certificate/Veterinary Health Certificate (from the point of origin) should indicate that the gamefowl and pigeon had been vaccinated with ND at least 14 days before the

event and not more than three (3) months ago;

- 4. For Accredited Gamefowl Farm and Pigeon Loft, Veterinary Health Certificate and the copy of farm accreditation can be used as a requirement for the issuance of shipping permit at the BAI booth;
- 5. For Gamefowl Farm and Pigeon Loft with no accreditation, Veterinary Health Certificate and the Shipping Permit that was issued at the point of origin can be used as a requirement for the issuance of shipping permit at the BAI booth;

6. Shipper/Owner must fill up the application form with required information: Full name, Complete Address of Destination, Landline or Mobile Number for traceability purposes;

7. Shipping Permit shall be issued only for gamefowl and pigeon transported directly from the venue and shall be secured only from the BAI booth;

8. Upon arrival at the destination, shipper/owner shall impose 30-day quarantine period for the gamefowl and pigeon in any disease manifestation that was observed it should be reported to the Regional Veterinary Quarantine Officer;

9. Validity. This circular shall be valid only for shipping permits issued during the International Gamefowl Festival 2020 and Pigeon Pavilion.

Please be guided accordingly

This Circular shall take effect immediately.

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