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## MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

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SUBJECT

VALIDITY OF VETERINARY EXTENSION OF CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT AND DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE VETERINARIANS ON DECEMBER 7, 2023 FOR EXPORT PERMIT AND LOCAL SHIPPING PERMIT APPLICATIONS

In order to facilitate uninterrupted shipments of live animals, animal products and byproducts during the long weekend brought by Presidential Proclamation No. 90, series of 2022, declaring December 8, 2023 a special (non-working) day, the validity of Veterinary Health Certificate (VHC) issued by Local Government Unit (LGU) and Department of Agriculture - Regional Field Office (DA-RFO) veterinarians on December 7, 2023 will be temporarily extended up to December 11, 2023 for the issuance of Export VHC, Veterinary Quarantine Clearance (VQC), Commodity Clearance Certificate (CCC) and Local Shipping Permit.

All other relevant provisions and current regulations shall apply.

Done this 6th day of DECEMBER 2023.

