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HON. EDGARDO A. TALLADO

Provincial Governor
Province of Camarines Norte
Capitol Complex Compound
Daet, Camarines Norte

Dear Governor Tallado:

Greetings!

Per Memo Circular No. 6 Series of 2020 and Supplemental Circular based on the Memorandum issued by the Executive Secretary on Enhanced Community Quarantine of Luzon, ensuring Unhampered Movement of all food and production items through Foodlanes, there is a need NOT to disrupt the supply from the source to the consumers.

Relative to this, in order to ensure the continuous operations and maintenance of agricultural farms including poultry and livestock, may we respectfully request for the **EXEMPTION ON MANDATORY CLOSURES of agricultural supply establishments** such as feeds, fertilizers, seeds, agricultural chemicals, veterinary drugs, biologics and disinfectants. These supplies are essential in the overall production of our farmers and agricultural workers.

This is one way of ensuring that there will be enough food production in our region for the coming months. Rest assured that DA RFO 5 is continuously doing its utmost effort in these times and strengthened partnership with LGUs and other agencies is very much needed.

Thank you and we hope for your immediate action on this matter.

Very truly yours,


RODEL P. TORNILLA, MABE
Regional Executive Director

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