[SRA Sugar Order No. 8, s. 2014-2015, June 01, 2015]

RULES AND REGULATIONS ON THE ISSUANCE OF PREMIX COMMODITY RELEASE CLEARANCE (PCRC) COVERING THE IMPORTATION OF WHEY, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING ADDED SUGAR OR OTHER SWEETENING MATTER UNDER TARIFF HEADING 04.04, SUGAR CONFECTIONERY (INCLUDING WHITE CHOCOLATE) NOT CONTAINING COCOA UNDER TARIFF HEADING 17.04 AND CHOCOLATES AND OTHER FOOD PREPARATIONS CONTAINING COCOA UNDER TARIFF HEADING 18.06 OF THE TARIFF AND CUSTOMS CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES - THE ASEAN HARMONIZED TARIFF NOMENCLATURE (TTCP-AHTN 2012)

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WHEREAS, the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) has been notified by the Bureau of Customs (BOC) on the apprehension of certain shipments of whey powder preparation under Tariff Heading 04.04 of the Tariff and Customs Code of the Philippines - The ASEAN Harmonized Tariff Nomenclature (TTCP-AHTN 2012);

WHEREAS, it has also been observed that importation of certain Sugar Confectionery (e.g. icing used as bakery ingredient) under the Tariff Heading 21.06 of the TTCP-AHTN 2007 have been transferred under Tariff Heading 17.04 of the TTCP-AHTN 2012;

WHEREAS, certain whey powder preparation and sugar confectionery listed under Tariff Headings 04.04 and 17.04, although specifically are in the forms different from the items under Tariff Heading 17.01, such as whey powder preparation and sugar confectionery, nonetheless, are basically and principally made of sugar in general;

NOW THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the authority vested in the SRA, it is hereby ordered that:

Section 1. _**Scope and Definition**_**.** This Sugar Order shall apply to food preparations commodities listed in the TCCP as enumerated hereunder, and, which, for facility, may also be referred to herein, as premix commodities:

AHTN Tariff Code	Description
0404.10.00	Whey and modified whey, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter
0404.90.00	Other
1704.90.20	Sugar Confectionery (White Chocolate)
1704.90.99	Sugar Confectionery (other)