

**[BFAD ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 20-A, S.
1996, May 24, 1996]**

**AUTHORITY OF THE BUREAU OF FOOD AND DRUGS AND DOH-
INTEGRATED REGIONAL FIELD OFFICES TO LEVY, ASSESS,
COLLECT, AND RETAIN FEES TO COVER THE CERTIFICATION OF
SUPERVISION ISSUED IN THE SALES PROMOTION ACTIVITIES
INVOLVING RAFFLES, SEEDINGS, AND CONTESTS, PURSUANT TO
THE PROVISIONS OF CONSUMER ACT OF THE PHILIPPINES (R.A.
7394)**

Pursuant to Article 17(d) of Consumer Act of the Philippines (R.A. 7394) to wit:

Art. 17. Powers, Functions and duties — In addition to their power, functions and duties under existing laws, the concerned department shall have the following powers, functions and duties:

(a) to administer and supervise the implementation of this Article and its implementing rules and regulations;

(b) . . .

(c) . . .

(d) to levy, assess, collect and retain fees as are necessary to cover the cost of inspection, certification, analysis and tests of samples of consumer products and materials submitted in compliance with the provisions of this Article;

(e) . . .

The Bureau of Food and Drugs and DOH-Integrated Regional Field Offices are hereby authorized to levy, assess, collect and retain fees to cover the cost of certifying supervision in the sales promotion activities of private companies either advertising or sales promotion agencies or sponsoring companies, involving raffles, seeding, contests, etc. involving food, drugs, cosmetics, devices, and hazardous substances, upon the approval of the application for permit to conduct sales promotion activities.

The following shall be the certification fee for sales promotion activity that requires the supervision of a BFAD representative:

a) Weekdays (Monday - Friday) - P350.00 per activity/supervision required

b) Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays and after office hours - P550.00 per activity/supervision required