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BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 133
Series of 2013

SUBJECT: GRANTING EXEMPTION FROM SPECIFIC MEASURES OF REGULATORY CONTROL REQUIREMENTS TO CERTAIN FINISHED PRODUCT OF BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED

WHEREAS, under Section 81 (b) and (r) of article IX of RA 9165, otherwise known as the Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002, the Board issued Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2003 which provides for the “Comprehensive Guidelines on Importation, Distribution, Manufacture, Prescription, Dispensing and Sale of, and Other Lawful Acts in Connection with any Dangerous Drugs, Controlled Precursors and Essential Chemicals and other Similar or Analogous Substances”;

WHEREAS, BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED with business address at Lot 11, Block 13, Golden Mile Avenue Golden Mile Business Park, Carmona, Cavite, Philippines is seeking exemption from specific regulatory control measures of the product **RH5RM RHODIUM PLATING SOLUTION containing 6% Sulfuric Acid (Electro Plating Solution)**;

WHEREAS, Section 4(2-c, d, e & f), Article II of the same Regulation also provides that the Board may exempt from specific measures of regulatory control requirements any preparation containing a controlled chemical mixture, when the Table II chemical is a normal ingredient in consumer goods or finished products that were packaged for retail sale for personal use, such as epoxies, vinyl lacquer, contact cements, plastic adhesives, waxes, cleaning agents; or liquid chemical mixture containing less than 30% by weight of the Table II chemical; or solid, semisolid and highly viscous chemical mixture containing Table II chemical; or when the Board is satisfied that the mixture is formulated in such a way that the controlled chemical cannot be easily used for the illicit manufacture of a dangerous drug and that the controlled chemical or chemicals contained in the mixture cannot be readily recovered;

WHEREAS, to assist the Board in evaluating requests for exemption, it promulgated Board Resolution No.1 Series of 2008 entitled “**Creating a Technical Working Group (TWG) to assist the Board in considering request of Manufacturers and Importers of finished products from specific measures of regulatory control requirements**”;

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the DDB Technical Working Group (TWG) that **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED** is a manufacturer of fashion jewelries in the Philippines and other Asian countries such as Korea, Thailand, Malaysia etc. It uses RH5RM in the electroplating process during the manufacture of jewelries. The company is duly registered with PEZA and handler of **P5IM-01852001 dated 3/19/2013 and valid until 3/19/2014 as Importer/End-user of controlled**;

WHEREAS, after due deliberation and evaluation, the TWG decided to recommend to the Board the exemption of **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED**

product containing controlled chemicals less than the 30% threshold of the Table II chemicals, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-2(d & f);

WHEREAS, after satisfying the requirements stipulated under the above mentioned regulations, **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED** product is no longer covered by the provisions of Section 10 (Application for import, export or transit permits), and Section 11 (Grant of import, export or transit permits), of BR No.3, S. 2003

WHEREFORE, be it **RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**:

TO GRANT EXEMPTION and the issuance of a Certificate of Exemption, which shall be valid for one (1) year unless revoked, to **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED** product that contains controlled chemical below the 30% threshold of the Table II chemicals, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-2(d & f).

- a. That the above cited exemptions shall still be subject to the following conditions:
- (1) The **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED** shall secure a license from the PDEA and comply with the reporting requirements as provided for in Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2003;
 - (2) The Board shall strictly monitor subject finished product from their importation to distribution to end-users;
 - (3) The DDB-PDEA Monitoring Team shall have free access to **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED** premises where the finished product is kept and/or used;
 - (4) The **BINE PHILIPPINES INCORPORATED** shall assume full responsibility for any misuse of the imported finished product caused either by its own negligence or by negligence of all persons acting under their name or control and supervision; and
 - (5) Any violation of the provisions of Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2003, shall be a ground for the revocation of the certificate of exemption at anytime and would be dealt with severely.

APPROVED and ADOPTED this 6th day of May, in the year of Our Lord, 2013 in Pampanga.

(Sgd.) **Secretary ANTONIO A. VILLAR, JR.**
Chairman, Dangerous Drugs Board

Attested:

(Sgd.) **Undersecretary JOSE MARLOWE S. PEDREGOSA**
Secretary of the Board