## Republic of the Philippines Department of Agriculture BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY

## PLANT QUARANTINE SERVICE Manila

Application for Biosafety Permit for Direct Use as Food and Feed, or for Processing

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The Director Bureau of Plant Industry

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hereby request for issuance of Biosafety Permit for Direct Use for the genetically modified (GM) plant/plant product described below.

<b>Designati</b> on	Regulated Article	Donor Organism	Host Organism	Vector or Vector Agent	Constituents of the Regulated Article
Common	MON 1445 and all progenies derived from crosses of the product with any conventionally-bred cotton, and cotton-containing registered biotech events.	Common soil bacterium	Cotton	MON 1445 was produced by Agrobacteriu m-mediated transformati on method using a plasmid vector PV- GHGT07.	Molecular studies demonstrated that cotton line MON 1445 contains a single insert containing one copy of the cassettes coding for CP4 EPSPS protein and NPTII, a selectable marker protein. There are no detectable plasmid backbone sequences. There is an aad gene inserted, however, there is no additional elements, linked or unlinked to intact cassettes, from transformation vector PV-GHGT07.
Scientific Name	Gossypium hirsutum	Agrobacterium sp. strain CP4; Escherichia coli	Gossypium hirsutum	, <b>-</b>	-
Trade Name	Roundup Ready® Cotton	-	-	-	-
Other Designatio		-	-	-	-

Country of Origin	United States. Importers of commodities will have to provide their own		
	sources.		
Quantity	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the quantities		
Quantity	they need to import.		
	Compared to provide the flight /voyage		
4Flight/Voyage No	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the flight/voyage		
	no.		
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Port of Entry	Importors of comments.		
	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the schedule of		
Proposed Schedule			
	importation.		

- \* The following supporting documents are attached:
- 1. In the case of imported regulated article, notification from the exporter or country of origin in accordance with existing international agreements on the transboundary movement of genetically modified organisms:
- 2. Information on socio-economic, cultural and ethical considerations;
- 3. Copy of the proposed PIS for Direct Use, (Annex "F") including information required for evaluation of environmental and health impacts:
- 4. In cases of renewal, certified true copy of expired Biosafety Permit for Direct Use issued by BPI; and
- 5. Proof of payment of fees
- To facilitate review of the application, the applicant may submit documents to show that the regulated article is allowed for commercial distribution as food and feed by the regulatory authorities in the country of origin; and poses no greater risks to biodiversity, and human and animal health than its conventional counterpart. If the regulated article is intended for use as feed or for processing into feeds, the applicant may submit documents to show that the regulatory authorities in the country of origin have likewise determined that the regulated article poses no greater risks to biodiversity, and human and animal health than its conventional counterpart.

The undersigned certifies that based on his/her personal knowledge and/or authentic documents: (i) all the information in this application are true and correct; and (ii) this application contains all information and views on which to base a decision and includes relevant data and information known to the applicant which are unfavorable to the application. The undersigned likewise warrants that the Regulated Article is to be imported solely and exclusively for direct use as food and feed or for processing.

(Printed Name and Signature of Responsible Officer/Authorized Representative)

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