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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**

**MAY 11 2017**  
(Date)

The Director  
Bureau of Plant Industry

Sir:

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

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Designation	Regulated Article	Donor Organism	Host Organism	Vector or Vector Agent	Constituents of the Regulated Article
Common Name	MON 89788 and all progenies derived from crosses of the product with any conventionally-bred soybean, and soybean -containing registered biotech events.	Common soil bacterium	Soybean	MON 89788 was produced by <i>Agrobacterium</i> -mediated method using transformation vector PV-GMGOX20.	Molecular studies demonstrated that corn line MON 89788 contains a single copy of introduced DNA at a single locus. The insert contains one intact copy of the <i>cp4 epsps</i> expression cassette. There are no detectable plasmid backbone sequences and no additional elements, linked or unlinked to intact cassettes, from transformation vector PV-GMGOX20.
Scientific Name	<i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.	<i>Agrobacterium</i> sp. strain CP4	<i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.	-	-
Trade Name	Genuity Roundup Ready2Yield	-	-	-	-
Other Designations	-	-	-	-	-

Country of Origin	Countries already commercializing MON 89788 soybean. Importers of commodities will have to provide their own sources.
Quantity	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the quantities they need to import.
Flight/Voyage No	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the flight/voyage no.
Port of Entry	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the port of entry.
Proposed Schedule	Importers of commodities/grains will have to provide the schedule of 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
6. 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.

  
**SHEMAINE O. CASTILO**

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

Republic of the Philippines)  
Muntinlupa City

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