

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**

October 17, 2016
(Date)

The Director
Bureau of Plant Industry

Sir:
We –

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

Designation	Regulated Article	Donor Organism	Host Organism	Vector or Vector Agent	Constituents of the Regulated Article
Common Name	MZHG0JG	Corn (for <i>mepsps-02</i>) Common soil bacterium (for <i>pat-09</i>)	Corn	MZHG0JG transformation plasmid: pSYN18857	<u>active ingredient cassette</u> <i>mepsps-02</i> , Ubi158-02 promoter, enhancer sequences, Ubi158-02 terminator <u>selectable marker cassette</u> <i>pat-09</i> , 35S-19 promoter from cauliflower mosaic virus, NOS-05-01 terminator
Scientific Name	<i>Zea mays</i> L.	<i>Zea mays</i> (for <i>mepsps-02</i>) <i>Streptomyces viridochromeogenes</i> (for <i>pat-09</i>)	<i>Zea mays</i> L.		

Trade Name	-	-	-	-	-
Other Designations	OECD Unique Identifier: SYN-000JG-2	-	-	-	-

Country of Origin	USA / Canada or from other countries which will have cultivation approvals in the future
Quantity	The information will be provided by the importers of the commodities/ grains.
Flight/Voyage No	The information will be provided by the importers of the commodities/ grains.
Port of Entry	The information will be provided by the importers of the commodities/ grains.
Proposed Schedule	The information will be provided by the importers of the commodities/ grains.

***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.

DUONG BA CAU

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

Republic of the Philippines)

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this ____ day of _____, 2016, affiant exhibiting to me his/her Passport No. N1656336 issued on 28/8/2013 at Singapore.

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