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Mr. Rodrigo Astete Rocha Director of Plant Protection Division Agricultural and Livestock Service (SAG) of Chile

Subject: The Decree of the Minister of Agriculture concerning the Registration of Food Safety Testing Laboratories of Chile

Dear Sir,

Indonesian Agricultural Quarantine Agency (IAQA) presents its compliments to the Agricultural and Livestock Service (SAG) of Chile. The IAQA has the honor to inform the Agricultural and Livestock Service (SAG) of Chile that the Minister of Agriculture has stipulated Decree No. 3636/KPTS/KR.040/K/06/2022 concerning the Registration of Food Safety Testing Laboratories of Chile on June 17, 2022, as attached. The Decree is valid for three years, starting from 8 July 2022 and can be renewed. The registered food safety testing laboratories are listed in Annex I (*LAMPIRAN I*) and the fresh food of plant origins (FFPO's) with its mandatory testing parameters are listed in Annex II (*LAMPIRAN I*).

We also would like to remind you that the food safety requirements for the exportation of Chile's FFPO to Indonesia are as follows:

- Every consignment must be accompanied by: *
 - a. Prior Notice issued by Chile's exporter (or its representative) in Chile; and
 - b. Certificate of Analysis (CoA) issued by the registered laboratories listed in Annex I;
- 2. Prior Notice must be issued before the FFPO arrives in Indonesia;
- 3. The testing results in CoA must not exceed the Maximum Residues Limits (MRLs) and/or Maximum Limits (MLs) of contaminants as listed in Annex II.

In addition, any changes in the data of registered laboratories (e.g. accreditation status, address, contact person, etc.) or the data of registered and banned pesticides in Chile must be reported forthwith to the IAQA. To avoid any disruption to trade, please provide the new accreditation certificates before the end of laboratory's accreditation period.

Thank you for your kind attention and look forward to continuing our valuable cooperation. IAQA avails itself of this opportunity to renew the Agricultural and Livestock Service (SAG) of Chile the assurance of its highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

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