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Laboratory Services Division

Plant and Soil Analysis Laboratory and Product Quality Control Laboratory Locals: 521, 525, 532

CUSTOMER ADVISORY

Despite the declaration of NCR being under Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine (MECQ) effective August 4, 2020, we would like to inform you that the Laboratory Services Division (LSD) will continue its operations with 50% workforce (with teams alternating every 2 weeks).

Receiving of samples will be open from Monday to Friday (8am-4pm) at the 2nd floor of the Laboratory Building. However, the turn-around time may be longer than normal working conditions and releasing of results will be affected. Please bear with us.

Rest assured that LSD is doing all reasonable measures amid the coronavirus threat to provide essential services in ways that ensure the health, security and safety of our employees and customers. In this regard, we would like to emphasize the implementation of the minimum health and safety requirements inside the laboratory premises, such as:

- 1. Proper wearing of face mask and face shield
- 2. Use of foot bath upon entry at the 2nd floor landing
- 3. Disinfection of hands using alcohol or hand sanitizer

Should there be any changes in our operations, LSD will send updates immediately. For further inquiries, please feel free to contact us through our email address lsd@pca.gov.ph

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Stay safe everyone.

