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BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 4 Series of 2012

SUBJECT: GRANTING EXEMPTION FROM SPECIFIC MEASURES OF REGULATORY CONTROL REQUIREMENTS TO CERTAIN FINISHED PRODUCTS OF CHIC CENTER CORPORATION

WHEREAS, under Section 81 (b) and (r) of article IX of RA 9165, otherwise known as the Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002, the Board issued Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2003 which provides for the "Comprehensive Guidelines on Importation, Distribution, Manufacture, Prescription, Dispensing and Sale of, and Other Lawful Acts in Connection with any Dangerous Drugs, Controlled Precursors and Essential Chemicals and other Similar or Analogous Substances";

WHEREAS, CHIC CENTER CORPORATION with business address at CFC Commercial Bldg. Shaw Blvd. Pasig City, Philippines is seeking exemption from specific measures of regulatory control requirements for the following products, to wit;

- 1. Metal Solution 5504 >10 <20% Toluene
- 2. Golden Bronze 6804 >20 < 30% Toluene
- 3. Base 7019 >20 < 30% Toluene
- 4. Base 5958 >30 <40% Toluene
- 5. Base Copper 6936 >20 < 30% Toluene

WHEREAS, Section 4(2-c, d, e & f), Article II of the same Regulation also provides that the Board may exempt from specific measures of regulatory control requirements any preparation containing a controlled chemical mixture, when the Table II chemical is a normal ingredient in consumer goods or finished products that were packaged for retail sale for personal use, such as epoxies, vinyl lacquer, contact cements, plastic adhesives, waxes, cleaning agents; or liquid chemical mixture containing less than 30% by weight of the Table II chemical; or solid, semisolid and highly viscous chemical mixture containing Table II chemical; or when the Board is satisfied that the mixture is formulated in such a way that the controlled chemical cannot be easily used for the illicit manufacture of a dangerous drug and that the controlled chemical or chemicals contained in the mixture cannot be readily recovered;

WHEREAS, to assist the Board in evaluating requests for exemption, it promulgated Board Resolution No.1 Series of 2008 entitled "Creating a Technical Working Group (TWG) to assist the Board in considering request of Manufacturers and Importers of finished products from specific measures of regulatory control requirements";

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the DDB Technical Working Group (TWG) that CHIC CENTER CORPORATION is a subsidiary of JG Summit Holdings, a manufacturer and marketer of Cosmetic products and a Market Leader in Nail Care Products. The company is a handler of P5IM-02455001-R017 and P5C-02455001-R027 Licenses dated 10 October 2011 valid until 11 October 2012 as importer/enduser and compounder;

WHEREAS, after deliberation and evaluation, the TWG found it appropriate to recommend to the Board the exemption of **CHIC CENTER CORPORATION**' products that contain controlled chemical below the 30% threshold of the Table II chemicals, due to having satisfied the conditions as provided for in Section 4-2(c & d);

WHEREAS, after satisfying the requirements stipulated under the above mentioned regulations, CHIC CENTER CORPORATION' products are no longer covered by the provisions of Section 10 (Application for import, export or transit permits), Section 11 (Grant of import, export or transit permits) and Section 22 (Licensed operators NOT to deal with unlicensed operators), of BR No.3, S. 2003.

WHEREFORE, be it RESOLVED, as it is hereby RESOLVED:

- a. TO GRANT EXEMPTION and the issuance of a Board Resolution on Exemption, which shall be valid for one (1) year unless revoked, to CHIC CENTER CORPORATION' products that contain controlled chemical, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-2(D&F).
- **b.** That the above cited exemption shall still be subject to the following conditions:
 - (1) That **CHIC CENTER CORPORATION** shall comply with the reporting requirements as provided for in Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2003:
 - (2) The Board shall strictly monitor subject products from the manufacture to distribution to end-user;
 - (3) The DDB-PDEA Monitoring Team shall have free access to **CHIC CENTER CORPORATION** premises where the products are kept and/or used;
 - (4) That **CHIC CENTER CORPORATION** shall assume full responsibility for any misuse of the finished products, caused either by its own negligence or by negligence of all persons acting under their name or control and supervision; and
 - (5) Any violation of the provisions of Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2003, shall be a ground for the revocation of the Board Resolution on exemption at anytime and would be dealt with severely.

APPROVED and ADOPTED this _31st day of _January_, in the year of Our Lord, 2012 in Quezon City.

(Sgd) **Secretary ANTONIO A. VILLAR, JR.** Chairman, Dangerous Drugs Board

Attested:

(Sgd) **Undersecretary JORGE G. NECESITO** Secretary of the Board