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All Primary Produce Traders/Importers

Dear Sir/Madam

**RETURN OF REJECTED PRIMARY PRODUCE
TO THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN**

We have reviewed and streamlined the procedure on returning of AVA rejected shipments of primary produce to the country of origin.

With effect from **15 Sep 2002**, all return shipments of rejected meat and meat products, fish and seafood products or fruits and vegetables are required to be supervised during the stuffing of container and escorted to the point of exit (airport or seaport) under an authorised agency. To-date, we have approved **Premier Security Co-operative Society Ltd** to carry out the supervision and escort services. The contact person, address and telephone number of the agent are listed as below:-

Ms Lisa or Ms Yeo Ai Hwa
Premier Security Co-operative Society Ltd
171 Syed Alwi Road
#02-02
Singapore 207713
Tel : 62919866 (5 lines)

We will also consider other security agents or companies to do the supervision and escort of the returned shipment if they apply. Fees for supervision and escort of the returned shipments are to be borne by the trader.

I am pleased to enclose a copy of the '[Procedure for the return of rejected primary produce to the country of origin](#)' for your retention.

Please call me or Mr Liow Chin Chog at Tel: 63257624/63257617 if you have any enquiries.

Yours faithfully

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