

AV(HS)16 Brazil

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Meat Traders

Dear Sir/Madam

**SUSPENSION ON IMPORT OF BEEF AND MUTTON FROM THE STATE  
OF RIO GRANDE DO SUL, BRAZIL**

In view of the outbreak of Foot-and-Mouth Disease in the state of Rio Grande do Sul in Brazil, I regret to inform you that import of beef and mutton from the state into Singapore is suspended with immediate effect. The suspension includes consignments now on waters.

Please call me or Ms Chua Lay Har at Tel: 63257624/63257313 if you have any enquiries.

Yours faithfully

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