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WTO Specialty Sugar Certificate: F9WACS000

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Import and Trade Support Programs Division

SUBJECT: Fiscal Year 2019 Specialty Sugar Certificate, applied for 09/7/2018

Valid for: **Only** [type of specialty sugar]

Approved for: [eligible tranches and dates listed here]

This Specialty Sugar Certificate permits the addressee to enter the specialty sugar(s) noted above at the low-tier tariff under the specialty sugar allocation of the refined sugar tariff- rate quota, authorized in additional U.S. note 5 of Chapter 17 of the U.S. Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS). A copy of this Specialty Sugar Certificate must be presented to the appropriate U.S. Customs official when the above specialty sugar(s) enter(s) the U.S. Customs Territory. An unlimited number of complying shipments may be entered under this Specialty Sugar Certificate.

Use of this Specialty Sugar Certificate is subject to the following conditions and limitations:

1. The specialty sugar(s) covered by this certificate must have a polarity of 99.5 degrees or more.
2. The specialty sugar(s) must be imported under HTS Nos. 1701.12.10, 1701.91.10, 1701.99.10, 1701.99.10.15, 1701.99.10.17, 1702.90.10, or 2106.90.44.
3. Specialty sugar entering the U.S. Customs Territory with this certificate may originate in any country other than countries subject to U.S. trade embargos.
4. The Office of the U.S. Trade Representative Entry authorizes entry of specialty sugar on a first-come, first-served basis until each specialty sugar tranche has been fully subscribed. This Specialty Sugar Certificate does **NOT** guarantee entry of specialty sugar at the low-tier tariff. If entries over-fill a tranche on opening day, U.S. Customs and Border Protection will pro-rate the entries.
5. The importer agrees to provide the U.S. Department of Agriculture information to verify statements made in its application referenced above and compliance with the conditions and limitations of this Specialty Sugar Certificate. The importer agrees to provide information, which may include documents, such as purchase orders, sales invoices, and/or U.S. Customs entry forms, within 30 days of receiving written notice from the Department. The Department will maintain the confidentiality of the information it receives, using it solely for verifying compliance with the provisions of 15 CFR 2011. The importer also agrees to permit representatives of the Department to visit locations where the specialty sugar entered under this Specialty Sugar Certificate is being stored or used upon seven days prior written notice. Failure to comply with provisions of this paragraph is grounds for suspension or revocation of this Specialty Sugar Certificate or rejection of applications for Specialty Sugar Certificates in subsequent year(s). A copy of this Specialty Sugar Certificate has been sent to U.S. Customs and Border Protection. Provision for Specialty Sugar Certificates is found in 15 Code of Federal Regulations 2011.203.