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Subject

INDUSTRY-WIDE DISPENSATION: THE USE OF A 1.8 MM SLOTTEDSIEVE AND THE 4.75 MM ROUND HOLE SIEVE DURING THE GRADING OF SOYA BEANS

Please refer to the e-mail dated 18th January 2016 from AGBIZ GRAIN

Permission is hereby granted by the Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards, in terms of Section (3) of the Agricultural Products Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), to all Producers, wholesalers, traders, retailers, importers and processors of Soya Beans, to sell and import Soya Beans whereby the 1.8 slotted sieve is used in conjunction with the prescribed 4.75 mm round hole sieve: provided that the prescribed maximum percentage permissible deviations as set out in Annexure with respect to (b) and (j) are increased from 4% to 5% and 6% to 7% respectively.

	Nature of deviation	Maximum percentage permissible deviation
(b)	Foreign matter, including stones, other grain and sunflower seed: Provided that such deviations are individually within the limits specified in items (c), (d) and (e)	5%
(j)	Deviation in (b) and (f) collectively: Provided that such deviations are individually within the limits of said items	7%

This permission is subject to the following conditions:

- All other conditions of the Standard and Requirements regarding the control of export for Feed (a) Products shall be complied with.
- It may be withdrawn at any time should a valid complaint be received (b)
- AGBIZ GRAIN indemnifies this Directorate and the Department from any detrimental effect, (c) financially or otherwise, which may emanate as a result of this permission.
- Termination date is until the regulations are reviewed. (d)

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