



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Health
BUREAU OF FOOD AND DRUGS
Filinvest Corporate City
Alabang, Muntinlupa City



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Bureau Circular
No. 01 s. 2004

SUBJECT: SALE OF BFAD:ICR MICE AND BFAD:SD RAT

Pursuant to the authority under the provisions of Section 8, Sale of Products, under the General Provisions of R.A. 7845 (General Appropriation Act of 1995) and Item No. 9, Revolving Fund for Bureau of Food and Drugs, Special Provision under Department of Health Budget Allocation on the same Act, the following experimental animals produced by the Bureau of Food and Drugs are hereby made available for sale for research purposes at the price indicated corresponding the type of animals specified hereunder:

I. Mouse (male or female)

Age in Weeks	Amount per Animal
4 – 5	P40.00
6 – 8	P60.00
9 – 10	P80.00
Breeder/10 weeks+	P100.00

II. Rat (male or female)

Age in Weeks	Amount per Animal
4 – 5	P100.00
6 – 8	P150.00
9 – 10	P180.00
Breeder/10 weeks+	P200.00

To ensure the equitable supply, the following procedure shall be followed in the purchase of the above mentioned animals:

1. A letter of intent to purchase addressed to the Director of the Bureau of Food and Drugs shall be submitted. The same shall indicate the purpose, species, age, sex and number of laboratory animals to be purchased.
2. The requesting party shall be notified about the availability of the animals and schedule for pick up at the Experimental Animal House Section shall be made. They are required to bring their own cages safe for transport of animals.
3. After notice and on the date schedules for pick-up, an Order of Payment shall be made by the designated staff of the Experimental Animal House Section to be coursed through the Accounting Section as basis for payment of sale of subject animal(s) to the Cashier who shall issue Official Receipt therefor.

4. The receipt of the animals by the purchaser shall indicate the good condition of the animals at the time of the delivery/pick-up.

The prices of the animals herein listed may be changed when conditions for such changes will so warrant; provided however, that such prices changes shall be made through a BFAD Circular before their effectivity.

This Circular shall supercede all other related regulations and shall be effective immediately upon approval.

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