



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



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**TO : ALL BAKERY/BAKESHOP OWNERS NATIONWIDE**  
**SUBJECT : MANDATING THE USE OF VITAMIN A AND IRON FORTIFIED FLOUR**

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This has reference to the implementation of the Food Fortification Program particularly fortification of flour with vitamin A and iron by 07 November as mandated by Republic Act 8976.

You are hereby mandated to use bromate-free (as per A.O. 25 s. 1996), flour fortified with vitamin A and iron (as per RA 8976).

Attached is the list of flour millers who are fortifying flour with vitamin A and iron and were granted the Diamond Sangkap Pinoy Seal of acceptance by the Department of Health for your perusal.

For compliance

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Director

**LIST OF FLOUR MILLERS WHO ARE FORTIFYING FLOUR WITH VITAMIN A AND IRON  
AND WERE GRANTED DIAMOND SANGKAP PINOY SEAL OF ACCEPTANCE BY THE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

1. General Milling Corporation
2. Universal Robina Corporation
3. San Miguel Foods Corporation
4. Philmico Foods
5. Philmico-Mauri Foods Corporation
6. Purefoods Corporation