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BUREAU CIRCULAR No. 7 s. 2002

TO: ALL COSMETIC MANUFACTURERS

SUBJECT: UPGRADING OF MANUFACTURING FACILITIES IN HARMONY WITH A.O.

#90 S. 2002, CURRENT GOOD MANUFACTURING PRACTICE (cGMP)

GUIDELINES FOR COSMETIC PRODUCTS

In view of the issuance of A.O. #90 s. 2002, current Good Manufacturing Practice Guidelines For Cosmetic Products, which will take effect on January 01, 2003, you are hereby enjoined to upgrade your manufacturing facilities until December 31, 2002, which is the deadline set for compliance.

It is understood that after this date, all cosmetic manufacturers are expected to have fully complied with the basic GMP guidelines in consonance with the development in science, technology, industry, and public health interest.

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