COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE
DIVISION OF FISHERIES
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FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 19-3

AMENDING SECTIONS OF FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 19, AS AMENDED, BY FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 19-1, AND 19-2, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

SECTION 1. - Section 5 of Fisheries Administrative Order No. 19-2 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5. - Inspection fee for marine mollusca shells and other marine or aquatic products. - Exportation from the Philippines of shells or any species mentioned in section 1 hereof or any other aquatic product or animal shall be unlawful, unless Customs House at a port of entry. No marine mollusca shells, shells wastes, cores, trims or other aquatic products or animals shall be accepted by the Customs authorities for shipment and exportation abroad, unless the shipment is covered by a certificate of inspection issued by the representative of the Secretary of Agriculture and Commerce, or the Chief, Division of Fisheries, or a deputy provincial treasurer, and an application for such inspection accompanied by the export entry for the marine or aquatic products or animals to be exported, shall be filed with the Chief, Division of Fisheries, Department of Agriculture and Commerce, or the nearest deputy provincial treasurer, at least three days prior to the probable date of exportation; Provided, that if the shipment of shells or aquatic products or animals to be exported arrive from another Philippine port less than three days before the date of exportation, the application for exportation may be submitted immediately upon its arrival but, in no case shall it be later than eleven o'clock in the morning of any working day: Provided further, That, the Division of Fisheries shall not be responsible for any unavoidable delay in the inspection of such shells or other aquatic products or animals for which the application is received less than three days before the shipments is to leave. And inspection fee equivalent of 5 per cent of the declared value, of the exportation shall be collected; also, that the fee for corals and shells, in manufactured form for decorative purposes, shall be 5 per cent of the declared value. Inspected shell or other marine or aquatic products or animals shall be properly sealed or marked.

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