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GENERAL CUSTOMS

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Ref: Penalties for violations on using code and barcode for export goods

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Attn: Customs Depts. of provinces, cities

Pursuant to **Clause 3 Article 32 Decree No. 119/2017/ND-CP** dated Nov 01st 2017 on penalties for administrative violations against regulations on standards, measurement and quality of goods.

Pursuant to Clause 2 Article 19b of the Government Decree No. 74/2018/ND-CP on May 15th 2018 amending and supplementing a number of articles of the Decree No. 132/2008/ND-CP dated December 12th 2008 providing specific guidance on enforcement of the law on the quality of products and goods.

Pursuant to Clause 4 Article 1 of the Finance Minister's Circular No. 39/2018/TT-BTC on Apr 20th 2018 amending to Circular no. 38/2015/TT-BTC dated March 25th 2015 on customs procedures; customs examination and surveillance; export, import duties and tax administration for import and export goods.

Providing customs governors detect signs of violations on using of foreign code and barcode in accordance with standards of GS1, an actual examination of goods must proceed, and enterprises shall show out certificates of using foreign code and barcode authorized by the owners Or issued by foreign authorities. Based on the examined results, in case enterprises violate provisions of using code and barcode stated on Clause 2 Article 19b Decree No. 74/2018/ND-CP, it handles as prescribed at Point a **Clause 3 Article 32 Decree No. 119/2017/NĐ-CP** dated November 01st 2017 on penalties for administrative violations against regulations on standards, measurement and quality of goods.

The General Customs would like to notify the units for implementation.

FOR THE GENERAL DIRECTOR

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