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TO:      All Registered Enterprises
         All Economic Zone Administrators/ Managers/ OICs

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SUBJECT: Second Advisory on COVID-19 Vaccine Procurement by
         PEZA-registered Enterprises

DATE:    09 March 2021

Based on the official website of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) of the
Philippines, the following vaccines against COVID-19 were granted Emergency Use
Authorization (EUA):

1. Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine (BNT162b2)
2. ChAdOx1-S[recombinant] (COVID-19 Vaccine AstraZeneca)
3. SARS-CoV-2 Vaccine (Vero Cell), Inactivated [Coronavac]

The national government also released The Philippine National Deployment and
Vaccination Plan for COVID-19 Vaccines wherein a “whole-of-system, whole-of-
government, whole-of-society” approach is mandated, in partnership with the private
sector and civil society, to “ensure the successes of the national vaccine deployment
program in delivering safe, effective, and accessible vaccines for all Filipinos.”

In view of the foregoing, PEZA-registered enterprises are hereby advised that they may
now commence negotiations with local government units, the private sector and civil
society for the procurement of COVID-19 vaccines for their employees following the
guidelines as prescribed by the IATF, DOH and FDA. All enterprises are also highly
encouraged to donate vaccines to their host local government units, in keeping with the
national policy that the protection of all in the community will eventually result in the full
economic recovery of the Philippines.

Please be guided accordingly.

Thank you for your cooperation.