



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF OZAMIZ CITY**

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**Divisional Advisory No. 027, s. 2025**  
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In compliance with OM-OUOPS-2025-08-00460, this Office issues this Advisory but for the information of DepEd officials, personnel/staff and the concerned public.  
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**DISSEMINATION OF THE LETTER FROM LA ELENA CORPORATION  
IN CONNECTION WITH THE RECENTLY DELIVERED GOODS**

Attached is the letter from La Elena Corporation, the winning supplier for the School-Based Feeding Program (SBFP) projects, regarding the clerical labelling error on the recently delivered brown rice in 250 grams per pack.

The concerned supplier expressed its sincere apologies regarding the minor labeling mistake on the expiry date printed on the packed brown rice. It maintains that the **Manufacturing date** is **June 15, 2025** and that the **Expiry date** should have been **December 15, 2025 and NOT December 15, 2015**.

For more information, please contact Dr. Jasmine I. Gaogao, BAC Secretariat Head through her mobile number – 09282809770.

This Office strictly observes the Equal Opportunity Policy (EOP) in all steps to be undertaken for this purpose. Hence, all decisions and actions shall be based solely on guidelines set forth with no discrimination on the account of age, gender identity, sexual orientation, civil status, religion, ethnicity, or political affiliation.

This Office enjoins immediate and wide dissemination of the Advisory.

ATT: *Communication from La Elena Corp.*  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

BAC PROCUREMENT

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July 15, 2025



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July 14, 2025

TO: DEPED-DIVISION OF OZAMIZ CITY

IBJT Compound, Carangan, Ozamiz City, Misamis Occidental

SUBJECT: Notification of Clerical Labeling Error on Brown Rice 250grams per pack Delivery in the Division City

Greetings:

We are writing to inform your esteemed office of a clerical error identified in the labeling in the recent delivery of food items to the 48 public elementary schools in your Division on July 14, 2025.

Upon reviewing our labeling documentation, we discovered a minor labeling mistake under the section marked Expiry date: December 15, 2015 and Manufacturing date: June 15, 2025. Please be assured that this was purely a clerical oversight and does not in any way affect the quality or safety of the products delivered. All items remain fully compliant with DepED's Standards and food safety protocols.

We sincerely apologize for any confusion or inconvenience this may have caused and appreciate your understanding.

We are improving our packaging as we wait for the Machine for Labeling. We are ready to provide any necessary assistance to help resolve the matter. Rest assured that food safety, compliance and transparency remain our top priorities.

Thank you for your understanding and ongoing partnership.

Sincerely Yours:

  
**EDWIN S. UKAY**  
LA ELENA CORP. PRESIDENT