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SUGAR ORDER NO. 3
Series of 2005-2006

SUBJECT : PROVIDING FOR "C" OR RESERVE SUGAR

WHEREAS, Section 3 of SRA Sugar Order No. 1, Series of 2005-2006, dated 23 August 2005 provides that the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) shall undertake periodic assessment of the 2005-2006 sugar production and, on the basis of such assessments, it shall adjust from time to time the percentage distribution of the different classes of sugar;

WHEREAS, during the peak months of production (December to March), the rate of production is higher than demand causing the sugar stock inventory to build up;

WHEREAS, the sugar stock inventory by end November has reached adequate levels;

WHEREAS, Section 2 (B) of Executive Order (EO) No. 18, Series of 1986, mandates the SRA to establish and maintain such balanced relation between production and requirement of sugar and such marketing conditions as will ensure stabilized prices at levels reasonably profitable to the producers and fair to consumers;

WHEREAS, the segregation of a certain portion of the raw sugar produced during the peak production months as reserve had been successfully implemented in the past;

WHEREAS, after consultations with all the sectors concerned, there is a need to revise the classification and allocation of sugar under Sugar Order No. 1, Series of 2005-2006, in order to address the aforesaid situation in accordance with the aforestated mandate of EO No. 18;

WHEREAS, the Sugar Board, as guided by the aforementioned Section 2 (B) of EO No. 18, has foreseen the possible need for more amendments of the sugar classification and/or percent allocation during the peak production period in response to the market situation and has, therefore, issued Sugar Board Resolution No. 2005-157, Series of 2005, dated 29 November 2005, which authorizes the SRA Administrator to issue series of such amendment, to start with an allocation of 20% of reserve sugar for the program and subsequently adjust the percentage allocation over a range of 0% - 40% at any time during the peak production period (December to March) as the situation may dictate;

NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the authority vested in the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA), it is hereby ordered that:

