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Dear Sir/Madam,

Proposed Regulatory Framework for Pesticide Residues in Food
2nd Consultation Session with Pesticide Registrants and Traders

Please be informed that we are holding a second session of the captioned briefing on 20 June 2011 at 2:30 pm at Lai Chi Kok Government Offices, 19 Lai Wan Road, Lai Chi Kok, Kowloon. The target participants of this briefing are pesticide traders, particularly those who may be involved in applying for registration of pesticides or business related to agricultural pesticides.

The purpose of the meeting is to introduce the proposed regulatory framework for pesticide residues in food in Hong Kong, the relevant advice to the trade and proposed modifications to the current registration procedures of pesticides for agricultural use under Cap. 133. If you did not attend the first session held on 23 May 2011, you are encouraged to register for this second briefing to share with us your views regarding our latest proposal.

Details of the meeting are as follows:-

Date:	20 June 2011
Time:	2:30 p.m.
Language:	Cantonese
Venue:	Hall at Lai Chi Kok Government Offices, 19 Lai Wan Road, Lai Chi Kok, Kowloon
Target participants:	Pesticide traders, particularly those who may be involved in applying for registration of pesticides or business related to agricultural pesticides

Agenda:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">(1) Key features of the proposed regulatory framework for pesticide residues in food(2) Criteria for approving applications to add/revise import MRLs and exempted substances(3) Any other business
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Representative(s) from your organisation are cordially invited to the meeting. Please complete the attached enrolment form and return to us by facsimile at 2787 3638 on or before 16 June 2011. For further information regarding the Proposed Regulatory Framework for Pesticide Residues in Food in Hong Kong, you may wish to visit the CFS website at:
http://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/whatsnew/whatsnew_fstr/whatsnew_fstr_21_Pesticide.html.

For enquiries on the enrolment, please contact Ms MUI at 2381 6370.
Thank you.

Yours faithfully,



(Mr. Jong Cheung-hoi)

for Controller, Centre for Food Safety

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