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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INSPECTION OF PRODUCTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN**

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To

The Managers of SIPOA/SISA/SIFISA

Current Staff in the Federal Inspection Service

People with legal responsibility of registered (SIF) and related (ER) establishments

Foreign Sanitary Authorities in order to deliver to those legally responsible and establishments that export to Brazil

Subject: **Registry of products of animal origin. Communication about a change to procedures. Addition to Office Circular no. 1/2017/DIPOA/SDA (1677903)**

Dear Sir/Madam,

 THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INSPECTION OF PRODUCTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN – DIPOA/SDA/MAPA communicates that due to the publication of Decree no. 9.013, of 29 March 2017, considerable alterations were made to the Chapters of Product Registration (1), of Packaging (II) and of Labels (III). Such alterations could impact specific products depending on the section, resulting in the rejection of registration requests that have previously been filed.

 For this reason, ALL requests to register products of animal origin from foreign establishments (EE) already filed, be it via paper forms or via the Electronic Information System (SEI), as well as those requests for approval to register products that were made via the Federal Inspection Service’s General Information System – SJGSIF will be **withdrawn** and the establishments should be advised to proceed with making a new entry for these requests via the PGA-SIGSIF System with the adjustments required by the legislation in force.

 This Office Circular adds to that of No 1/2017/DIPOA/SDA

Yours faithfully,

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