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PETALING JAYA: The export of edible bird's nest products to China has resumed after being suspended for nearly a month since Dec 20.

The department of veterinary services said it had finalised the export protocol inspection, quarantine and hygiene requirements for edible bird's nests with China's customs department on Jan 15.

It said this followed several consultations with the Chinese customs department and engagements with industry players to ensure

the protocol met international standards and could be adhered to by stakeholders.

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virus, Newcastle disease, among chickens and ducks here.

The suspension led to 1.76 metric tonnes of bird's nest consignments, worth an estimated RM7.23 million, exported by 13 firms having clearance issues in China.-
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Malaysia Lifts Suspension of Bird's Nest Exports To China After Nearly One Month, Says MYMBN

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The Edge	News	Online	17 Jan



KUALA LUMPUR (Jan 17): Bird's nest processor MYMBN Bhd (KL:MBN) said on Friday that the Department of Veterinary Services Malaysia has lifted the temporary suspension of exports of both raw-cleaned edible bird's nest (RCEBN) and raw-uncleaned edible bird's nest (RUCEBN) products to China after nearly one month. This is expected to bring major relief to MYMBN, given that China is a primary market for the group.

In a filing with Bursa Malaysia on Friday, the ACE Market-listed MYMBN said the department has issued a

press notice for the resumption of exports for both RCEBN and RUCEBN products to China.

MYMBN had on Dec 25, 2024 received a notice from the department for the temporary suspension, after the Newcastle disease virus was detected among poultry, aviary and wild birds in Malaysia, as reported by the World Organisation for Animal Health. The suspension was applied to the whole industry for both RCEBN and RUCEBN products.

Shares of MYMBN fell to a low

of 12 sen on Dec 27, which was below its initial public offering price of 21 sen, following the temporary suspension. The counter closed down one sen or 7.41% at 12.5 sen on Friday, giving it a market capitalisation of RM49.97 million. Its share price has fallen 34.21% over the past one year.

MYMBN earlier announced that the temporary suspension had caused disruption to its operations and affected its supply chain and revenue streams tied to the Chinese market, as China is one of the major export markets for the group. To ease the financial impact, MYMBN said it had shifted its sales focus to the existing alternate export market of Vietnam and the local market during that period.

Still, the group admitted that it had been incurring a monthly overhead cost of approximately RM92,000 during the temporary suspension.

In a Dec 31, 2024 announcement, MYMBN said there were orders for approximately RM2.5 million to be exported to China, which the group was unable to fulfil due to the temporary suspension. It said then that it was unable to fully quantify the financial impact of the temporary suspension.

For the third quarter ended Sept 30, 2024 (3QFY2024), MYMBN posted a wider net loss of RM870,000 from RM1.56 million a year earlier, mainly due to decreased demand for RUCBN products in China and the local market. The weaker quarterly performance dragged the group down to post a net loss of RM280,000 for the cumulative nine months ended Sept 30, 2024 (9MFY2024), compared to a net profit of RM1.49 million a year earlier.

MYMBN was the first company in Malaysia approved by the General Administration of Customs of China to export RUCBN products to the country.-

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Malaysia To Resume Rm90mil Bird's Nest Exports To China Following Ban Lift

MEDIA	RUANGAN	MUKA SURAT	TARIKH
The Star	Nation	Online	17 Jan

PUTRAJAYA: Malaysia is set to boost its economy as bird's nest exports to China resume, with an estimated RM90mil worth of products ready to be shipped soon.

Malaysia has officially resumed exports of edible bird's nests to China, a move expected to provide a significant boost to Malaysian bird's nest farmers, processors, and exporters, said the Veterinary Services Malaysia Department in a statement on Friday (Jan 17).

This follows the finalisation of a new export protocol by the Veterinary Department and China's General Administration of Customs (GACC) after exports were temporarily halted on Dec 20 last year, due to regulatory concerns.

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engagement sessions with industry players and discussions with relevant ministries to ensure that the requirements outlined in the protocol can be adhered to," it said.

The department said it will remain committed to maintaining high standards, ensuring all exports are safe, of good quality, and meet all regulatory requirements.

Recently, Malaysia faced a temporary ban on bird's nest exports to China due to a Newcastle disease outbreak. Newcastle disease is a contagious viral disease that affects birds, primarily poultry like chickens and ducks.

The ban was imposed as a precautionary measure after the World Organisation for Animal Health reported the outbreak in Malaysia.

The suspension affected both raw-cleaned and raw-uncleaned edible bird nests, which are major export products for Malaysia.

The decision to halt exports was made by the Malaysian Veterinary Services Department to ensure that the disease did not pose a threat to the bird's nest products intended for the Chinese market.

China is a significant market for Malaysian bird's nests, accounting for a substantial portion of Malaysia's exports.

In 2023, Malaysia exported 155.5 tonnes of bird's nests to China, representing 27.9% of China's total imports of the product.-[THE STAR](#)

Eksport Sarang Burung Malaysia Ke China Disambung Selepas Protokol Baharu Dimuktamad

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DVS dalam kenyataan hari ini memaklumkan beberapa sesi perundingan bersama GACC telah diadakan untuk memastikan keperluan protokol berkenaan mematuhi kepentingan kedua-dua negara dan garis panduan veterinar antarabangsa.

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"Seiring penyambungan semula eksport, ini akan memberi manfaat kepada penternak, pemproses dan pengeksport sarang burung Malaysia. Sebanyak RM90 juta nilai produk sarang burung Malaysia dijangka dieksport dalam masa terdekat," menurut kenyataan itu.

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Keputusan ini selaras dengan Protokol Produk Sarang Burung yang dieksport dari Malaysia ke China.

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Jabatan Perkhidmatan Veterinar Siasat Setiap Aduan Berkait Penganiayaan Haiwan

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KUALA LUMPUR: Jabatan Perkhidmatan Veterinar (DVS) menegaskan setiap aduan berkaitan penganiayaan haiwan yang diterima diambil tindakan sewajarnya.

Menerusi satu kenyataan DVS memaklumkan, berdasarkan rekod sedia ada, pihaknya tidak pernah mengabaikan atau gagal menyiasat mana-mana kes yang dilaporkan.

"Namun begitu, terdapat beberapa kes tertentu yang telah dirujuk kepada Pihak Pendakwaraya dan diarahkan untuk tidak diambil tindakan

susulan (No Further Action - NFA) kerana ketiadaan bukti kukuh bagi meneruskan pendakwaan," jelas kenyataan itu pada Jumaat.

Sehubungan itu, DVS menyeru orang ramai untuk mengemukakan maklumat aduan yang jelas, lengkap, dan disertakan dengan bukti yang kukuh bagi memastikan proses siasatan dan pendakwaan dapat dijalankan dengan lebih efektif.

DVS turut menafikan dakwaan yang dibuat oleh sebuah pertubuhan bukan

kerajaan (NGO) yang mendakwa jabatan itu tidak menyiasat kes-kes penganiayaan haiwan.

Tegasnya, tuduhan tersebut tidak berasas kerana NGO terbabit tidak merujuk kepada kes atau aduan secara spesifik.

Dalam pada itu, DVS melahirkan kebimbangan terhadap penyebaran maklumat yang tidak tepat kerana ia berpotensi menimbulkan keresahan dan kekeliruan dalam kalangan masyarakat, selain memberi tanggapan negatif terhadap jabatan tersebut.

Dalam Dialog Tiga Penjuru, Peguam Hak Asasi Haiwan, Rajesh Nagarajan mendakwa DVS tidak menyiasat atau mengambil sebarang tindakan yang dilaporkan aktivis kebajikan haiwan.

Katanya, tindakan itu sangat mengecewakan kerana DVS selaku badan yang seharusnya bertanggungjawab melindungi kebajikan dan kesejahteraan haiwan gagal melaksanakan tugasnya dengan berkesan.-

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