

Press Release

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Policy Planning Division for Environmental Health and Food Safety,
Food Inspection and Safety Division,
Pharmaceutical Safety and Environmental Health Bureau

To Press and those who may concern,

<u>Cancellation of Instruction to restrict of distribution of foods based on the Act on Special Measures</u>

<u>Concerning Nuclear Emergency Preparedness, direction of Director-General of the Nuclear Emergency</u>

<u>Response Headquarters</u>

Today, based on the results of inspections conducted until yesterday, the Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters has cancelled its Instruction of restriction of distribution of Sika deer meat obtained after capturing in Fujimi-machi which are controlled under the policy for shipment and inspection set by Nagano prefecture.

- 1. With regard to Nagano prefecture, the restriction of distribution of Sika deer meat obtained after capturing in Fujimi-machi which are controlled under the management policy set by Nagano prefecture is cancelled today.
 - (1) The Instruction of the Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters is attached as attachment 1.
 - (2) The application of Nagano is attached as attachment 2.
- 2. The list of Instructions on the restriction of distribution and/or consumption of food concerned in accordance with the Act on Special Measures Concerning Nuclear Emergency Preparedness is attached as reference.

Reference: omitted
Attachment 2: omitted

Instruction

December 7 2017

From Director-General of the Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters To Governor of Nagano Prefecture,

The Instruction to the Prefecture on December 7, 2017 based on the Article 20.2 of the Act on Special Measures Concerning Nuclear Emergency Preparedness (Act No. 156, 1999) shall be changed as follows.

- 1. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild mushrooms produced in Karuizawa-machi, and Miyota-machi for the time being.
- 2. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild mushrooms (excluding Matsutake mushroom) produced in Komoro-shi, Saku-shi, Koumi-machi, Sakuho-machi and Minamimaki-mura for the time being.
- 3. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any Koshiabura produced in Nagano-shi, Nakano-shi, Karuizawa-machi, Kijimadaira-mura and Nozawaonsen-mura for the time being.
- 4. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any Sika deer meat obtained after capturing in Fujimi-machi for the time being, however, that shall not apply to Sika deer meat which are controlled under the the policy for shipment and inspection set by Nagano prefecture.
- 5. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any Sika deer meat obtained after capturing in Karuizawa-machi for the time being.