## **Client Advisory**

April 09, 2021

## Forced Labor Finding Issued on Disposable Gloves from MY

Dear Valued Customer,

On March 29, 2021, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) issued a Federal Register Notice confirming a Finding was issued covering disposable gloves classified under the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheadings 3926.20.1020, 4015.11.0150, 4015.19.0550, 4015.19.1010, 4015.19.1050, and 4015.19.5000, which are mined, produced or manufactured wholly or in part by Top Glove Corporation Bhd in Malaysia.

This Finding applies to any merchandise that is imported on or after March 29, 2021. It also applies to merchandise which has already been imported and has not been release by CBP custody before March 29, 2021.

Forced Labor is a Priority Trade Issue for CBP. Importers should be working through their supply chains to ensure their products are not being produced under Forced Labor conditions and review available resources.

## Resources:

<u>Federal Register :: Notice of Finding That Certain Disposable Gloves Produced in Malaysia With the Use of Convict, Forced or Indentured Labor Are Being, or Are Likely To Be, Imported Into the United States Convicts and Convicts are the United States. The Convicts are the United States are the United States are the United States.</u>

Forced Labor | U.S. Customs and Border Protection (cbp.gov)

Withhold Release Orders and Findings | U.S. Customs and Border Protection (cbp.gov)

Sweat & Toil: Child Labor, Forced Labor, and Human Trafficking Around the World | U.S. Department of Labor (dol.gov)

Thank you for being our Valued Customer. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your C.H. Robinson commercial representative for further information.

Sincerely, C.H. Robinson

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