OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL

Global Terrorism Sanctions Regulations
31 C.F.R. Part 594

Foreign Terrorist Organizations Sanctions Regulations
31 C.F.R. Part 597

Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001
Blocking Property and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten To Commit, or Support Terrorism, as Amended

GENERAL LICENSE NO. 12

Transactions Related to the Exportation or Reexportation of Agricultural Commodities, Medicine, Medical Devices, Replacement Parts and Components, or Software Updates

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (c) of this general license, all transactions and activities involving Ansarallah, or any entity in which Ansarallah owns, directly or indirectly, a 50 percent or greater interest, prohibited by the Global Terrorism Sanctions Regulations, 31 C.F.R. part 594 (GTSR), the Foreign Terrorist Organizations Sanctions Regulations, 31 C.F.R. part 597 (FTOSR), or Executive Order (E.O.) 13224, as amended, and that are ordinarily incident and necessary to the exportation or reexportation of agricultural commodities, medicine, medical devices, replacement parts and components for medical devices, or software updates for medical devices to Yemen or to persons in third countries purchasing specifically for resale to Yemen, are authorized.

(b) Covered items. For the purposes of this general license, agricultural commodities, medicine, and medical devices are defined as follows:

(1) Agricultural commodities. For the purposes of this general license, agricultural commodities are:

(i) Products that fall within the term “agricultural commodity” as defined in section 102 of the Agricultural Trade Act of 1978 (7 U.S.C. 5602); and

(ii) That are intended for ultimate use in Yemen as:

(A) Food for humans (including raw, processed, and packaged foods; live animals; vitamins and minerals; food additives or supplements; and bottled drinking water) or animals (including animal feeds);
(B) Seeds for food crops;

(C) Fertilizers or organic fertilizers; or

(D) Reproductive materials (such as live animals, fertilized eggs, embryos, and semen) for the production of food animals.

(2) Medicine. For the purposes of this general license, medicine is an item that falls within the definition of the term “drug” in section 201 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 321).

(3) Medical devices. For the purposes of this general license, a medical device is an item that falls within the definition of “device” in section 201 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 321).

(c) This general license does not authorize any transactions or activities otherwise prohibited by the GTSR, the FTOSR, or any other part of 31 C.F.R. chapter V, or E.O. 13224, as amended, or any transactions or activities with any blocked persons other than the blocked persons identified in paragraph (a) of this general license.

Note to General License 12: Nothing in this general license relieves any exporter from compliance with the requirements of other Federal agencies, including the Department of Commerce’s Bureau of Industry and Security.

Dated: January 19, 2021