



Imported Dried Plums and Prunes Available for Sale in Singapore Do Not Contain Elevated Level of Lead

Following the alert issued by the Texas Department of State Health Services on elevated levels of lead found in certain imported dried plums/prunes and products containing imported dried plums, the Agri-Food and Veterinary Authority of Singapore has stepped up checks on imported dried plums/prunes from countries such as China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, the United States of America for testing of lead.

2 So far, the results of the test showed that the samples are satisfactory and do not contain elevated level of lead.

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