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NOTIFICATION

Subject: Prices of local pork in Thimphu

In view of challenges faced by the farmers of Dagana, Tsirang, Sarpang, and Samtse in marketing local pork, the Ministry of Agriculture and Forests in consultation with the relevant stakeholders such as BLDCL, Thimphu Meat Vendors, and Dzongkhag Livestock Sectors have agreed on following prices for local pork in Thimphu.

- Farm Gate Price in Dagana, Sarpang, Tsirang, and Samtse: Nu. 300/Kg
- Price, if delivered to Thimphu: Nu. 350/Kg
- Retail Price in Thimphu: Nu. 450/Kg

The prices are effective from 1st August 2022 till 31st August 2022, and will be reviewed thereafter.

Further, with the imposition of pork import restriction due to African Swine Fever with effect from 1st August 2022, the Ministry urges meat farmers and vendors to ensure consumers are not charged exorbitant prices.

(Thinley Namgyel)
Secretary

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1. Hon'ble *Sanam Lyonpo*, for His Excellency's kind information.
2. Director General, Office of the Consumer Protection for price regulation support.
3. Director, DoL for kind information.