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Charcoal Grilled Shredded Squid Slices Sweet and Fragrant. Photo: Shenhe /Taobao

## 99.9% of Taiwanese aquatic products exported to mainland China have been rejected so far



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According to Taiwan media reports, Chen Junji, deputy chairman of the Taiwan Agricultural Council, said that all walks of life on the island are concerned about whether mainland China will increase and suspend the export of aquatic products produced in Taiwan.

At present, more than 100 Taiwan-funded enterprises have applied to export to In mainland China, the main items are squid, saury, and larvae. Only one company has been approved, and it will be confirmed to relevant parties in mainland China through relevant channels.

*Pacific saury retail pack. Photo: Taobao -->*

A total of 890 items of aquatic products produced in Taiwan have been registered in the General Administration of Customs of China. From November 18th to today's 8th, 105 new items have been banned from importing. A total of 889 items have been suspended from export to mainland China, which will be affected. The ratio is as high as 99.9%. At present, only "Weiye Food" fish floss related products from Taiwan can be imported into mainland China, and other aquatic products from Taiwan are rejected.

Prior to this, the General Administration of Customs of China announced on the evening of August 1 that some Taiwanese manufacturers violated relevant regulations and urgently stopped imports. In accordance with the "Regulations of the People's Republic of China on

the Administration of Registration of Imported Food Overseas Production Enterprises" No. 248



of the General Administration of Customs of the Mainland of China, the products of Taiwanese manufacturers who have not completed the renewal of registration are restricted from exporting to the mainland.

<--- Clean squid tubes. Photo: Taobao

Earlier public reports said that on August 1, according to the public information on the website of the Import and Export Security Administration of the General Administration of Customs of China, according to the No. 248 "Regulations on the Administration of Registration of Overseas Manufacturers of Imported Food of the People's Republic of China", Taiwan's production that has not completed the renewal of registration is restricted. 180 products exported to mainland China.

On December 9, Shi Jiaozhi, chairman of the Pelagic Squid and Saury Fishing Vessel Export Industry Association in Taiwan, said that this is a comprehensive impact, and the impact on aquatic products and the aquatic industry is huge; the association was notified this morning. The registration status of aquatic product manufacturers in Taiwan is almost all suspended or cancelled.

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According to statistics from Taiwan, from January to July 2022, Taiwan's exports to mainland China were US\$113.1 billion, imports were US\$52.82 billion, and Taiwan's surplus was as high as US\$60.28 billion.

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