Predpisy notifikované v Dohode o uplatňovaní sanitárnych a fytosanitárnych opatrení (SPS WTO) 11. týždeň roku 2024

Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/SPS/N/JPN/1260 12/03/2024	Japan	Plant, plant products and other objects Proposed revisions of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Plant Protection Act, relevant notifications and detailed rules. The MAFF will revise Annexed Tables1, 1-2, 2 and 2-2 of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Plant Protection Act and the non-quarantine pest list to reflect the latest scientific evidence. 1.Summary of the proposed revisions (Annex 1) 2.Proposed revision of Annexed Table 1 of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Plant Protection Act on list of the quarantine pest list (Annex 2) 3.Proposed revision of Annexed Table 1-2 of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Plant Protection Act on list of the plants and other objects subject to specific phytosanitary measures to be carried out in exporting countries (Annex 3) 4.Proposed revision of Annexed Table 2 of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Plant Protection Act on list of the import prohibited plants (Annex 4) 5.Proposed revision of Annexed Table 2-2 of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Plant Protection Act on list of the import prohibited plants (excluding the plants that meet the requirements) (Annex 5) 6.Proposed revision of the non-quarantine pest list (Annex 6) The following emergency notifications will be withdrawn after the enforcement of this amendment. •G/SPS/N/JPN/1238, G/SPS/N/JPN/1226, G/SPS/N/JPN/1199 and G/SPS/N/JPN/11647	11/05/2024
G/SPS/N/AUS/582 13/03/2024	Australia	Import of live sturgeon for aquaculture –Biosecurity import risk analysis provisional report. The Australian Government Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry has released the provisional report for the Biosecurity import risk analysis of live sturgeon for aquaculture (the sturgeon BIRA). The sturgeon BIRA assesses the biosecurity risks associated with the import of live sturgeon (Acipenser and Huso species) from all countries for aquaculture. The provisional BIRA report proposes that Acipenser and Huso species be permitted import into Australia, provided they comply with appropriate biosecurity measures. Thesemeasures include sourcing from disease-free stocks, pre-export and post-arrival quarantine, parasite treatment, egg disinfection and testing for disease agents. The provisional BIRA report can be accessed athttps://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/policy/risk-analysis/animal/live-sturgeon-for-aquaculture. As per the Biosecurity Regulation 2016, release of the provisional report initiates a30-calendar day Inspector General of Biosecurity (IGB) referral period. If referred, the IGB will only review the process used to conduct the sturgeon BIRA, not the science within the report. This referral period will close on 11:59 pm, Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST), 11 April 2024. If there is no	11/04/2024

referral or the IGB decides that a review is not appropriate, the provisional report will be published as the final BIRA report as soon as practical.

G/SPS/N/BRA/2256 Brazil 13/03/2024

Propagative material (Category sunflower 12/05/2024 (Helianthusspp.)

Draft -Establishes the phytosanitary requirements for the importation (Helianthusspp.)propagative material from any origin. Public consultation. The phytosanitary requirements for the importation of propagative material (Category 4) of sunflower (Helianthusspp.) from any origin.

G/SPS/N/BRA/2257 Brazil 13/03/2024

Sunflower kernel seeds (Helianthus annuus)

12/05/2024

Draft -Establishes the phytosanitary requirements for importation sunflower the of kernel (Helianthus annuus) from any origin.

Public consultation. Establishes phytosanitary requirements for the importation of sunflower kernel seeds (Helianthus annuus) from any origin.

G/SPS/N/KOR/798 Korea. 13/03/2024 Republic of All live aquatic animals (fish, molluscs and crustaceans) 12/05/2024 and chilled or frozen shrimp, and live amphibian (HS codes: 0301, 0306, 0307, 0106)

Proposed amendment to the "Aquatic Organism Disease Control Act".

Some revisions are made to Enforcement Rule of the Aquatic Organism Disease Control Act as follows:

- (1)Three kinds of amphibian diseases(Infection with Batrachochytrium dendrobatidis, Batrachochytirum salamandrivorans, Ranavirusspecies) are designated as legally-controlled diseases;
- (2)Detailed procedures are formulated regarding registration, cancelation, etc. of Korean processing establishments for export of aquatic animals and products thereof;
- (3)Detailed procedures are formulated regarding registration, modification, extension of the registration, etc. of overseas processing establishments of aquatic animals and products thereof;
- (4)Legal basis is formulated for officials to go in person and inspect how overseas establishments manage and control aquatic animal diseases;
- (5)Legal basis is formulated to take an import suspension measure following the result of the on-site inspection or import risk analysis;
- (6)Legal basis is formulated to carry out import risk analysis after taking emergency measures to prevent the spread of aquatic animal diseases; and
- (7)Other improvements are made regarding domestic disease control procedures, etc.

G/SPS/N/NZL/764 New 13/03/2024 Zealand Grain and seeds for consumption, feed, and processing

Import health standard: Grain and Seedsfor Consumption, Feed or Processing.

This notification relates to amendments to the import health standard: Grain and Seeds for Consumption, Feed or Processing following public consultation that involve: •requiring maize grain imported into New Zealand to be dried

to a moisture content of 14% or less before export;

•removing 11 regulated pests for the Zea mayspest list, along with the requirements to those pest;

•removing phytosanitary measures for three regulated pests for import of hulled Cannabis sativaseeds;

•expanding issuance authority for sampling certificates.

This amendment will facilitate trade of Zea maysand hulled Cannabis sativaseeds, provide new trade opportunities, and reduce the costs for importers

G/SPS/N/UGA/319 Uganda 13/03/2024

Tapioca and substitutes therefor prepared from starch, in the 12/05/2024 form of flakes, grains, pearls, siftings or in similar forms (HS code(s): 1903); Vegetables and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.20)

DUS 2673:2023, Tapioca pearls —Specification, First Edition

This standard prescribes the requirements, sampling and test methods for tapioca pearls intended for human consumption.

Note: This Draft Uganda Standard was also notified to the TBT Committee.

G/SPS/N/VNM/155 Viet Nam 13/03/2024

Fertilizer

12/05/2024

Draft Circular promulgating **Technical** National Regulations on fertilizer quality; and National technical regulation on fertilizer quality (Amending QCVN 01-189:2019/BNNPTNT). supplementing

Draft Circular promulgating National Technical Regulations on fertilizer quality including four parts: Article 1. Issued together with this Circular QCVN ...:20.../BNNPTNT National technical regulations on fertilizer quality; Article 2. Transitional regulations; Article 3. Implementation effect; Article 4. Implementation organization. National technical regulation on fertilizer quality including six parts and four Annexes: Part1. general provisions; Part 2. Technical regulations; Part 3. Test method; Part4.Regulations on management; Part 5. Responsibilities of organizations and individuals; Part 6. Implementation organization and Appendix I. Requirements for main quality indicators and levels of difference between test results and accepted registration levels of main quality indicators for root fertilizers; Appendix II. Requirements for additional quality indicator, level of deviation between test results compared with registration level and level of difference between testing results compared with accepted levels of additional quality criteria for factors root fertilizer; Appendix III. Requirements for quality criteria and level of difference between test results and accepted registration levels of quality criteria for folder fertilizers; Appendix IV. Requirements for limiting factors (hazardous factors) and regulated levels in fertilizers.Draft Circular, draft amending and supplementing National Technical Regulations on fertilizer quality (amended and supplemented QCVN01-189:2019/BNNPTNT) on the basis of compliance with the provisions of the Law on Crop Production and the Law on Quality of products and goods, Law on Standards and technical regulations -These documents are built in harmony with international practices and regulations of VietNam.

G/SPS/N/ARG/268 Argentina 15/03/2024

Semillas de cáñamo (Cannabis sativa) destino de propagación

Requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de semillas de cáñamo (Cannabis sativa) destino propagación, provenientes de Francia, hacia la República Argentina.

Se comunican los requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de semillas de cáñamo (Cannabis sativa) destino de propagación, provenientes de Francia, hacia la República Argentina.

G/SPS/N/BGD/8 15/03/2024

Bangladesh

Food product's advertisement and claims

14/05/2024

Draft Food Safety (Advertisement and claims) Regulations, 2024.

The draft Food Safety (Advertisement and Regulations, 2024 refer to a set of rules to ensure that advertising and claims about food products are accurate, truthful, and not misleading to consumers. These regulations aim to protect public health by preventing false or deceptive marketing practices related to food products. The advertisement and claims regulations generally include the following key components: (1)condition in respect of advertisements, (2)condition for publication of food claim, (3)condition for nutritional claims (4)claim of non-addition additives, (5)health claims, etc. Overall, these regulations serve to promote transparency and accountability in the food industry, helping consumers makes informed choices about the foods they purchase and consume.

G/SPS/N/BGD/9 15/03/2024

Bangladesh

Food

14/05/2024

Draft Food Safety (Residues of Veterinary and Fishery Drug) Regulations, 2024.

The draft Food Safety (Residues of Veterinary and Fishery Drug) Regulations, 2024 aim to ensure the safety of food products by regulating the presence of residues veterinary drugs and fishery drugs. These regulations maximum residue limits (MRLs) for these establish substances in various food products, such as meat, poultry, fish, and dairy products. By setting these limits, the regulations seek to prevent harmful residues from entering the food supply and posing risks to consumer health. Compliance with these regulations is enforced through testing, monitoring, and inspection of food products, with penalties for non-compliance. Overall, these regulations play a crucial role in safeguarding public health and maintaining the integrity of the food supply chain.

G/SPS/N/BRA/2258 15/03/2024

Brazil

Anigozanthos (Anigozanthos spp.) propagative material

14/05/2024

Draft-Establishes the phytosanitary requirements for the importation of anigozanthos(Anigozanthos propagative material from any origin.

Public consultation for the phytosanitary requirements for the importation of propagative material (Category 4) of Anigozanthos (Anigozanthos spp.) from any origin.

G/SPS/N/CRI/263 15/03/2024

Costa Rica

All food and raw materials of animal origin for use in the 14/05/2024 processing of food for human consumption

El Servicio Nacional de Salud Animal establece niveles máximos de contaminantes químicos permitidos en productos de origen animal para el consumo humano (Establishment by the National Animal Health Service of maximum levels of chemical contaminants permitted in products of animal origin for human consumption)

The notified text establishes the maximum permitted levels of chemical contaminants (including non-veterinary agricultural pesticides, toxins (except microbial toxins), heavy metals) of the National Animal Health Service, as set out in the regulations of the following agencies and in the order listed below:

- 1.Domestic regulations;
- 2.Codex Alimentarius;
- 3. United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA);
- 4. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA);
- 5.European Union (EU).

<u>G/SPS/N/TPKM/624</u> 15/03/2024 The disinfect substances used to clean food

14/05/2024

Draft Sanitation Standard for Food Cleansers.

This regulation aims to:

-Amend the regulations on food disinfection methods and add new permitted disinfection ingredients.

G/SPS/N/TZA/336 15/03/2024 Tanzania

Chinese

Taipei

Milk and cream, not concentrated nor containing added 14/05/2024 sugar or other sweetening matter (HS code(s): 0401); Milk and processed milk products (ICScode(s): 67.100.10)

DARS 1041, Raw Milk—Specification, First Edition. This African Standard specifies requirements, sampling, and test methods of raw milk of Cow milk (Bos spp.); Goat (Capra spp.); Sheep (Ovis spp.); Camel (Camelus dromedarius) for

further processing.

<u>G/SPS/N/TUR/142</u> Türkiye 15/03/2024 Methyl bromide (MeBr) fumigation

Restriction of Methyl Bromide (MeBr) Fumigation Applications for Re-Export of Products.

Due to its negative effect on the ozone layer, efforts are being made to reduce and completely terminate the usage of Methyl bromide (MeBr). Türkiyebecame a party to the Montreal Protocol on 19 December 1991 and accepted all amendments of the Protocol to date. In order to reduce the usage of MeBr, which is among the ozone depleting substances under the Montreal Protocol, the Regulation on Reducing the Use of Methyl Bromide in Agriculture has been published in Türkiye on 23 June 2000. Considering the risks of MeBr on human and environmental health, in order to reduce the use of MeBr, "Fumigation application with MeBr for products to be re-exported is prohibited" as of 1 April 2024.

<u>G/SPS/N/TUR/143</u> Türkiye 15/03/2024 Lentils

05/06/2024

Turkish Food Codex -Communiqué on Lentil.

This Communiqué covers product definitions and features, quality criteria and labelling requirements of lentils. Currently, Turkish Food Codex -Communiqué on Lentil (2003/25) is in force in Türkiye. This draft communiqué will enter into force on the date of publication and replace the current communiqué. The content of the Communiqué has been drafted without making any changes in the main issues, only the references to the legislation and the names of the Ministries have been adjusted according to the current situation. A transitional period is foreseen for the compliance with the new provisions.

<u>G/SPS/N/UGA/320</u> Uganda 15/03/2024

Tomatoes, prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or 14/05/2024 acetic acid (HS code(s): 2002); Vegetables and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.20)

DUS 890:2023, Dried tomatoes —Specification, SecondEdition.

This Uganda Standard specifies requirements, test methods and sampling for dried tomatoes of varieties (cultivars) grown from Lycopersicon esculentum Mill. and its hybrids, intended for direct consumption without further processing or for use in the food industry.

Note: This Draft Uganda Standard was also notified to the TBT Committee.