

Predpisy notifikované v Dohode o uplatňovaní sanitárnych a fytosanitárnych opatrení (SPS WTO)
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Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/SPS/N/AUS/590 08/07/2024	Australia	<p><i>Sea freight consignments of containerized and break bulk cargo</i></p> <p>AusTreat. The Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry is introducing AusTreat, a government to industry pre-border biosecurity treatment provider assurance scheme replacing the existing Offshore Brown Marmorated Stink Bug (BMSB) Treatment Providers Scheme. AusTreat will affect stakeholders involved with importing goods that require treatment to address the risk of BMSB during the BMSB risk season. Treatment providers will be able to register for AusTreat from June 2024 ahead of the 2024/25 BMSB risk season. This document will open for review in 12 months and be free to comment on by international governments.</p>	06/09/2024
G/SPS/N/EU/781 08/07/2024	European Union	<p><i>Animal, vegetable or microbial fats and oils and their fractions, boiled, oxidised, dehydrated, sulphurised, blown, polymerised by heat in vacuum or in inert gas or otherwise chemically modified, excluding those of heading 15.16; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal, vegetable or microbial fats or oils or of fractions of different fats or oils of this Chapter, not elsewhere specified or included. (HS code(s): 1518); Municipal waste (HS code(s): 382510)</i></p> <p>Draft Commission Regulation (EU) amending Regulation (EU) No 142/2011 as regards requirements for the import of used cooking oil (Text with EEA relevance). The draft on animal health requirements for imports of used cooking oil intended for technical uses (production of renewable fuels and oleochemical products) introduces harmonized EU requirements and replaces current national rules of 27 EU member States. The main objective of the draft is prevention of entry of used cooking oil into feed for farmed animals within the European Union and thereby to mitigate potential biological hazards in feed. The draft introduced the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A consignment of used cooking oil must come from a registered storage or collection plant listed in the EU TRACES system • A consignment must be presented at an EU veterinary border control post and be monitored in the European Union until it reaches its place of destination after import; • A consignment of used cooking oil must be accompanied by a commercial declaration signed by the importers stating that used cooking oil is not intended for feeding farmed animals and that water and solid particles of more than 6 mm, to reach a combined amount of moisture and solid particles of not more than 10% w/w* at the time of dispatch. 	06/09/2024
G/SPS/N/EU/782 08/07/2024	European Union	<p><i>Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)</i></p> <p>Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1810 of 1 July 2024 concerning the renewal of the authorisation of a preparation of <i>Lentilactobacillus buchneri</i> DSM 22501 as a feed additive for all animal</p>	

species and amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 1113/2013 (Text with EEA relevance).

The preparation specified in this Act was initially authorized for a period of 10 years as a feed additive for all animal species in the category 'technological additives' and in the functional group 'silage additives'. An application was submitted for the renewal of this authorization. Further to the favourable assessment by the European Food Safety Authority, the authorization of this preparation is renewed, subject to certain conditions.

[G/SPS/N/GBR/66](#)
08/07/2024

United
Kingdom

Four novel foods:

- RP200 cetylated fatty acids (new authorisation)*
- RP19 Partially hydrolysed protein from spent barley (Hordeum vulgare) and rice (Oryza sativa)(new authorisation)*
- RP549 lacto-N-fucopentaose I (LNFP-I) and 2'-fucosyllactose (2'-FL) (new authorisation)*
- RP1202 3-fucosyllactose (3-FL) (produced by a derivative strain of Escherichia coli K-12 DH1) (new authorisation)*

Three food additives:

- RP1084 Rebaudioside M, AM and D produced via enzymatic conversion of highly purified steviol glycosides from stevia leaf extracts (new production method of an existing authorised food additive)*
- RP1140 Steviol Glycosides (E 960b) produced by Yarrowia lipolytica (new production method of an existing authorised food additive)*
- RP217 Polyglycerol polyricinoleate (PGPR, E 476) (extension of use of an authorised food additive)*

Twenty-two flavouring substances:

- 1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)pent-1-en-3-one (FL No 07.030) (removal)*
- Vanillylideneacetone (FL No 07.046) (removal)*
- 1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-4-methylpent-1-en-3-one (FL No 07.049) (removal)*
- 4-(2,3,6-Trimethylphenyl)but-3-en-2-one (FL No 07.206) (removal)*
- 6-Methyl-3-hepten-2-one (FL No 07.258) (removal)*
- 5,6-Dihydro-3,6-dimethyl-benzofuran-2(4H)-one (FL No 10.034) (removal)*
- 5,6,7,7a-Tetrahydro-3,6-dimethylbenzofuran-2(4H)-one (FL No 10.036) (removal)*
- 3,4-Dimethyl-5-pentylidene-furan-2(5H)-one (FL No 10.042) (removal)*
- 2,7-Dimethylocta-5(trans),7-dieno-1,4-lactone (FL No 10.043) (removal)*
- Hex-2-eno-1,4-lactone (FL No 10.046) (removal)*
- Non-2-eno-1,4-lactone (FL No 10.054) (removal)*
- 2-Decen-1,4-lactone (FL No 10.060) (removal)*
- 5-Pentyl-3H-furan-2-one (FL No 10.170) (removal)*
- Allyl 2-furoate (FL No 13.004) (removal)*
- 3-(2-furyl)acrylaldehyde (FL No 13.034) (removal)*
- Furfurylidene-2-butanal (FL No 13.043) (removal)*
- 4-(2-Furyl)but-3-en-2-one (FL No 13.044) (removal)*
- 3-(2-Furyl)-2-methylprop-2-enal (FL No 13.046) (removal)*
- 3-Acetyl-2,5-dimethylfuran (FL No 13.066) (removal)*
- 2-Butylfuran (FL No 13.103) (removal)*
- 3-(2-Furyl)-2-phenylprop-2-enal (FL No 13.137) (removal)*
- 3-(5-Methyl-2-furyl)prop-2-enal (FL No 13.150) (removal)*

Authorisation of four novel foods, new production method for two food additives, an extension of use of an authorised food additive, a new limit for ethylene oxide in all food additives and the removal of twenty-two flavouring substances.

The United Kingdom intends to authorise four novel foods and three food additives (two new production methods and one extension of use of an existing authorisation). The United Kingdom also intends to set a limit for ethylene oxide in all food additives replacing the current outright prohibition, a clear limit that provides clarity and consistency to industry and enforcers, facilitating trade. The United Kingdom is also making various minor and technical amendments to the list of authorised novel foods and food additives to correct identified errors and omissions, including the removal of twenty-two food flavouring authorisations in Great Britain (GB) that are no longer in use. The new authorisations are:

Novel foods:

- Cetylated fatty acids (new authorisation). The authorisation is for a new application to use cetylated fatty acids within the food category: food supplements for the general population.

- Partially hydrolysed protein from spent barley (*Hordeum vulgare*) and rice (*Oryza sativa*) (new authorisation). The authorisation is for food categories including: bakery products, breakfast cereals, spreadable fats and dressings, grain products and pastas, snack foods, jam, marmalade and other fruit spreads, candy/confectionery, dairy and dairy imitates, dessert sauces and syrups, meat imitates, soups and soup mixes, savoury sauces, legume-based spreads, nut-based spreads, energy drinks, foods and beverages intended for sports persons and meal replacements for weight control.

- Lacto-N-fucopentaose I (LNFP-I) and 2'-fucosyllactose (2'-FL) (new authorisation). The new authorisation is for LNFP-I/2'-FL in dairy products and analogues, bakery wares, beverages, foods for infants and young children, foods for special medical purposes, total diet replacement for weight control, and food supplements.

- 3-fucosyllactose (produced by a derivative strain of *Escherichia coli* K-12 DH1) (new authorisation). The new authorisation is to use the novel food within the following food categories: dairy products and analogues, bakery wares, foods for special groups, beverages, and as a food supplement.

Food additives:

- Rebaudioside M, AM and D produced via enzymatic conversion of highly purified steviol glycosides from stevia leaf extracts (new production method of an existing authorised food additive). It would be used in food and beverages as a high-intensity sweetener for the replacement of sucrose in reduced-calorie or no-sugar-added products.

- Steviol Glycosides (E 960b) produced by *Yarrowia lipolytica* (new production method of an existing authorised food additive). Used in jams, chewing gum, drinks, yoghurts, and confectionery. It is also available in pure form for use in tea, coffee, and baking.

- Polyglycerol polyricinoleate (PGPR, E 476) (extension of use of an existing authorised food additive). Polyglycerol polyricinoleate (PGPR, E 476) is an emulsifier made from polyglycerol and fatty acids. This extension of use

allows this food additive in ice creams and frozen yogurts and at a higher level in certain types of sauces. This is an extension of use of the already authorised additive polyglycerol polyricinoleate (PGPR, E 476) to allow use in 'Edible Ices', with the restriction 'except sorbets'.

•Ethylene oxide (amendment): Ethylene oxides is already prohibited from being used as a sterilising agent for all food additives. It is however used as a raw material in the manufacture for some food additives. Ethylene oxide is classified as carcinogenic, mutagenic and toxic for reproduction. The FSA/FSS have conducted rapid risk assessments in relation to various incidents involving additives (xanthan gum, guar gum, locust bean gum and calcium carbonate) where ethylene oxide or its breakdown product 2-chloroethanol was detected. An amendment is required to the Annex to assimilated Regulation No 231/2012 to set a maximum limit at what is deemed to be a level that can be consistently quantified (0.1mg/kg). This facilitates trade as currently any finding of ethylene oxide is prohibited. Setting a maximum limit at 0.1mg/kg means any finding below that would be tolerated and the additive can be placed on the market.

Food Flavourings:

•Removal of authorisation of twenty-two 'flavouring substances under evaluation' from the GB approved list. The flavourings industry requested their deletion from the list and will not submit any of the additional information required to complete the evaluation. They will be removed from the list set out in Annex I of assimilated Regulation 1334/2008. This is unlikely to affect trade as the international flavouring trade associations have said these flavourings are no longer used in food. The legislation contains transitional measures for foods exported to GB in case there were any legacy uses, prior to the producers withdrawing their support for these flavourings.

Further information can be found in the consultations linked in section 9.

[G/SPS/N/USA/3461](#)
08/07/2024

United
States of
America

Multiple commodities

Receipt of a Pesticide Petition Filed for Residues of Pesticide Chemicals in or on Various Commodities. Notice of filing of petition and request for comment.

This document announces the Agency's receipt of an initial filing of a pesticide petition requesting the establishment or modification of regulations for residues of pesticide chemicals in or on various commodities.

31/07/2024

[G/SPS/N/EU/783](#)
09/07/2024

European
Union

Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1757 of 25 June 2024 concerning the renewal of the authorisation of a preparation of *Lentilactobacillus buchneri* NCIMB 30139 as a feed additive for all animal species and amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 96/2013 (Text with EEA relevance).

The preparation specified in this Act was initially authorized for a period of 10 years as a feed additive for all animal species in the category 'technological additives' and in the functional group 'silage additives'. An application was submitted for the renewal of this authorization. Further to the

favourable assessment by the European Food Safety Authority, the authorization of this preparation is renewed, subject to certain conditions.

[G/SPS/N/EU/784](#)
09/07/2024

European
Union

Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1750 of 24 June 2024 concerning the renewal of the authorisation of a preparation of *Levilactobacillus brevis* DSM 23231 as a feed additive for all animal species and amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 399/2014 (Text with EEA relevance).

The preparation specified in this Act was initially authorized for a period of 10 years as a feed additive for all animal species in the category 'technological additives' and in the functional group 'silage additives'. An application was submitted for the renewal of this authorization. Further to the favourable assessment by the European Food Safety Authority, the authorization of this preparation is renewed, subject to certain conditions

[G/SPS/N/EU/785](#)
09/07/2024

European
Union

Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1755 of 25 June 2024 concerning the authorisation of acetic acid, calcium acetate and sodium diacetate as feed additives for fish (Text with EEA relevance).

The substances covered by the Act were authorized as feed additives for fish. An application was submitted for the reauthorization of these substances in accordance with article 10 of Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003. Further to the positive assessment by the European Food Safety Authority, these substances are reauthorized as feed additives for fish, in the category 'technological additives' and in the functional group 'preservatives', under certain conditions. A transitional period is included for the interested parties to meet the new authorization's requirements.

[G/SPS/N/CHL/794](#)
09/07/2024

Chile

Huevos fértiles, animales, material genético y productos de origen animal procedentes de aves y cerdos

07/09/2024

Aprueba Procedimiento de Autorización de Compartimentos libres de enfermedades para las especies que se indican.

La medida notificada aprueba el procedimiento de autorización de compartimentos libres de enfermedades para aves y cerdos, permitiendo la importación a Chile de huevos fértiles, animales, material genético y productos de origen animal, según el tipo de establecimiento incluido en el compartimento.

Entre otros, esta medida establece que la compartimentalización se podrá solicitar para las siguientes especies y enfermedades:

a. Aves: Influenza Aviar y Enfermedad de Newcastle;
b. Porcinos: Fiebre Aftosa, Peste Porcina Clásica y Peste Porcina Africana.

Para mayor detalle revisar el documento adjunto a esta notificación.

G/SPS/N/IND/308 09/07/2024	India	<p><i>Citrus</i> spp., <i>Blueberry</i> and <i>Cranberry</i> (<i>Vaccinium</i> spp.) and <i>Stone fruits</i> (plum, peach, cherry, apricot, almond, nectarine) (<i>Prunus</i> spp.)</p> <p>Draft Plant Quarantine (Regulation of Import into India) Order, 2003 (Eighth Amendment) 2024.</p> <p>The Draft Plant Quarantine (Regulation of Import into India) (Eighth Amendment) Order, 2024 seeks to further liberalize provisions governing import of <i>Citrus</i> spp., <i>Blueberry</i> and <i>Cranberry</i> (<i>Vaccinium</i> spp.) and <i>Stone fruits</i> (plum, peach, cherry, apricot, almond, nectarine) (<i>Prunus</i> spp.), from Australia.</p>	07/09/2024
G/SPS/N/BHR/239 10/07/2024	Bahrain, Kingdom of	<p><i>Older infants and young children food</i> (ICS code: 67.040.00)</p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p> <p>This regulation describes the requirements for older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/BHR/240 10/07/2024	Bahrain, Kingdom of	<p><i>Processes in the food industry</i> (ICS code: 67.020)</p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, <i>triticum aestivum</i> L., or club wheat, <i>Triticum compactum</i> Host, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHL/795 10/07/2024	Chile	<p><i>Miel de palma</i></p> <p>Modificación del Decreto Supremo No 977/96, Ministerio de Salud, Reglamento Sanitario de los Alimentos, Título XVII de los azúcares y de la miel, Párrafo III de la miel, Artículos 391, 393, 393 BIS y 394.</p> <p>La medida notificada tiene por objetivo implementar parte de la Ley 21.489 de Promoción, Protección y Fomento de la Actividad Apícola, homologar conceptos, corregir la clasificación de la denominada "miel de palma". Para mayor detalle revisar el documento adjunto a esta notificación, donde se destaca en color rojo las modificaciones al Reglamento Sanitario de los Alimentos, en su Título XVII de los Azúcares y de la Miel, Párrafo II de los jarabes y Párrafo III de la Miel.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/KWT/146 10/07/2024	Kuwait, the State of	<p><i>Older infants and young children food</i> (ICS code: 67.040.00)</p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p> <p>This regulation describes the requirements for older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/KWT/147 10/07/2024	Kuwait, the State of	<p><i>Processes in the food industry</i> (ICS code: 67.020)</p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, <i>triticum aestivum</i> L., or club wheat, <i>Triticum compactum</i> Host, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/OMN/134 10/07/2024	Oman	<p><i>Older infants and young children food</i> (ICS code: 67.040.00)</p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024

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G/SPS/N/OMN/135 10/07/2024	Oman	<p><i>Processes in the food industry(ICScode: 67.020)</i></p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, triticum aestivumL., or club wheat, Triticum compactumhost, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/PER/1051 10/07/2024	Peru	<p><i>Platano y/o banano, planta in vitro(Musaspp.) (código SA: 0602)</i></p> <p>Resolución Directoral No D000024-2024-MIDAGRI-SENASA-DSV.</p> <p>La Resolución Directoral aprueba los requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de plantas in vitrode plátano y/o banano (Musaspp.) de origen y procedencia de la República Francesa.</p>	
G/SPS/N/QAT/138 10/07/2024	Qatar	<p><i>Older infants and young children food(ICS code: 67.040.00)</i></p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p> <p>This regulation describes the requirements for older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/QAT/139 10/07/2024	Qatar	<p><i>Processes in the food industry(ICScode: 67.020)</i></p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, triticum aestivumL., or club wheat, Triticum compactumhost, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/SAU/535 10/07/2024	Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	<p><i>Older infants and young children food(ICS code: 67.040.00)</i></p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p> <p>This regulation describes the requirements for older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/SAU/536 10/07/2024	Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	<p><i>Processes in the food industry(ICScode: 67.020)</i></p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, triticum aestivumL., or club wheat, Triticum compactumhost, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/ARE/282 10/07/2024	United Arab Emirates	<p><i>Older infants and young children food(ICS code: 67.040.00)</i></p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p> <p>This regulation describes the requirements for older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024

G/SPS/N/ARE/283 10/07/2024	United Arab Emirates	<p><i>Processes in the food industry(ICScode: 67.020)</i></p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, triticum aestivumL., or club wheat, Triticum compactumhost, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/YEM/79 10/07/2024	Yemen	<p><i>Older infants and young children food(ICS code: 67.040.00)</i></p> <p>Older infants and young children food.</p> <p>This regulation describes the requirements for older infants and young children food.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/YEM/80 10/07/2024	Yemen	<p><i>Processes in the food industry(ICScode: 67.020)</i></p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Wheat Flour".</p> <p>This draft technical regulation applies to wheat flour for direct human consumption prepared from common wheat, triticum aestivumL., or club wheat, Triticum compactumhost, or mixtures thereof, which is prepackaged ready for sale to the consumer or destined for use in other food products.</p>	08/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1302 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Dried fruit and dried vegetable</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Dried Fruit and Dried Vegetable.</p> <p>This standard applies to dried fruit and dried vegetable. This standard stipulates the terms, definitions, technical requirements etc.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1303 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Milk protein</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Milk Protein.</p> <p>This standard applies to milk protein. This standard stipulates the terms, definitions, technical requirements, etc. of milk protein.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1304 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Cake and bread</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Cake and Bread.</p> <p>This standard applies to cake and bread. It specifies the definitions and the technical requirements of cake and bread.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1305 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Food additive L-malic acid</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Food additive L-malic acid.</p> <p>This standard is applicable to food additive L-malic acid produced by enzyme engineering method and fermentation method. The technical requirements and test methods for L-malic acid are mainly specified.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1306 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Food additive Dibutyl hydroxytoluene (BHT)</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Food additive Dibutyl hydroxytoluene (BHT).</p> <p>This standard is applicable to dibutyl hydroxytoluene (BHT), a food additive prepared by distillation and</p>	09/09/2024

recrystallization of the product of alkylation reaction with p-cresol and isobutylene as raw materials under acidic catalyst.

G/SPS/N/CHN/1307 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Food additive Paprika oleorein</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Food additive Paprika Oleorein.</p> <p>This standard applies to food additive paprika oleorein using the fruit of <i>Capsicum annuum</i> L. or <i>Capsicum frutescens</i> L. as raw materials to extract paprika oleorein. The following solvents may be used for the extraction: methanol, ethanol, ethyl acetate, acetone, n-hexane, isopropanol, dichloromethane. It specifies the technical requirements and testing methods for the food additive paprika oleorein.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1308 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Food additive Ammonium carbonate</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Food additive Ammonium Carbonate.</p> <p>This standard is applicable to the food additive ammonium carbonate, which is prepared from ammonia, carbon dioxide and water by absorption, crystallization, separation, drying and cooling, consists of ammonium carbamate, ammonium carbonate and ammonium hydrogen carbonate in varying proportions. It specifies the technical requirements and testing methods for food additive ammonium carbonate.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1309 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Food additive Acorn shell brown</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Food additive Acorn shell brown.</p> <p>This standard applies to food additive acorn shell brown using acorn shell as raw materials to extract by aqueous solution, then separation, concentration and drying. It specifies the technical requirements and testing methods for the food additive acorn shell brown.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1310 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Oil</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Code of Practice for the reduction of 3-Monochloropropane-1,2-Diol Esters (3-MCPDEs) And Glycidyl Esters (GEs) in refined oils and food products made with refined oils.</p> <p>This Code of Practice provides a guidance to prevent and reduce formation of 3-MCPDE and GE in refined oils (vegetable oils and fish oils) and food products made with refined oils (vegetable oils and fish oils).</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1311 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Potato products, roasted grain products, and coffee and other food products (ICS code: 67.040)</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Principle for the control of acrylamide contamination in food.</p> <p>This standard specifies the basic requirements and management guidelines for the prevention and control of acrylamide generation in potato products, roasted grain products, and coffee via controlling raw materials, processing, and other critical control point. This standard applies to the prevention and control of acrylamide generation in foods made from raw materials which are rich in reducing sugars and asparagine (including potatoes, grains, coffee, etc.) through thermal processing such as frying and roasting.</p>	09/09/2024

G/SPS/N/CHN/1312 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>All foods</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Code of practice for the prevention and reduction of lead contamination in foods.</p> <p>The measures to prevent and reduce lead pollution in food were stipulated.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1313 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Dried meat products</i></p> <p>National Food Safety Standard of the P.R.C.: Cooked Meat.</p> <p>This standard applies to cooked meat. This standard stipulates the terms, definitions, technical requirements etc.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/CHN/1314 11/07/2024	China	<p><i>Medicinal materials</i></p> <p>Measures for the Supervision and Administration of Quarantine of Medicinal Materials for Entry and Exit.</p> <p>1. Stipulate the scope of varieties of medicinal materials entering and leaving the country;</p> <p>2. Stipulate the registration of overseas production, processing and storage units; Increase the requirement of overseas production enterprises to meet the requirements of the standards of the exporting countries or regions;</p> <p>3. Stipulate the requirements of the General Administration of Customs for product risk analysis of countries or regions that have resumed the export of medicinal materials to China for the first time or after the suspension, and add the circumstances of resumption after the suspension;</p> <p>4. It is stipulated that according to the interception of the epidemic at the port or the dynamics of the epidemic situation abroad, a retrospective review may be conducted on the types of medicinal materials that have been allowed to enter the country and the corresponding countries or regions of origin.</p>	09/09/2024
G/SPS/N/EU/786 11/07/2024	European Union	<p><i>Gelatine, highly refined products and composite products intended for human consumption</i></p> <p>Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1874 of 8 July 2024 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235 laying down rules for the application of Regulations (EU) 2016/429 and (EU) 2017/625 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards model animal health certificates, model official certificates and model animal health/official certificates, for the entry into the Union and movements within the Union of consignments of certain categories of animals and goods, and official certification regarding such certificates (Text with EEA Relevance).</p> <p>The Implementing Regulation updates the model certificates for entry into the EU of gelatine, highly refined products and composite products intended for human consumption.</p>	
G/SPS/N/RUS/284 11/07/2024	Russian Federation	<p><i>Goods (products) subject to veterinary control</i></p> <p>Draft Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission on Amendments to the Regulation on the Unified Procedure for Joint Inspections of Facilities and Sampling of Goods (Products) Subject to Veterinary Control (Supervision).</p> <p>The draft provides for amendments to the actions of the inspectors conducting veterinary inspections of third countries establishments. It also authorizes competent</p>	03/09/2024

authorities to exclude enterprises that have not supplied the goods (products) under control to the customs territory of the Eurasian Economic Union for five years from the Registry of Establishments authorized to export to the the Eurasian Economic Union. The draft also specifies the conditions under which exports of the goods (products) under control from a third-country enterprise are subject to suspension. Aswell, the draft determines the procedure for the initiator of a joint verification (inspection) of third-country enterprises with respect to the suspension of exports from the enterprises that refuse to carry out verification (inspection) though being selected for it.

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European
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Meat and edible meat offal (HS code(s): 02); Cereals (HS code(s): 10) 10/09/2024

Draft Commission Regulation amending Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for acetamiprid in or on certain products (Text with EEA relevance).

The proposed draft Regulation concerns the review of existing MRLs for acetamiprid in certain food commodities. MRLs for these substances in certain commodities are lowered.

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Ukraine

Food supplements

10/09/2024

Draft Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on Improving the Regulation of the Production and Circulation of Food Supplements".

The draft Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on Improving the Regulation of the Production and Circulation of Food Supplements" (hereinafter -the Draft Law/Law) introduces new definition of the term "food supplements", establishes the procedure for providing notices on introduction of food supplements into circulation, provides for the authority of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine to approve the list of vitamins and mineral substances, as well as other substances and their maximum permissible doses, which are allowed for use in food supplements, imposes responsibility for the production and sale of foodsupplements that do not meet the requirements. The draft Law establishes special requirements for food supplements, in particular the following:

- a market operator who intends to introduce a food supplement into circulation for the first time shall notify the competent authority about such intention by sending a notifice at least ten working days before circulation of the food supplement in question;
- food supplements can be introduced into circulation, offered for sale and sold to the final consumer exclusively as a pre-packaged food products;
- only substances included in the list of vitamins, mineral substances and other substances and their maximum permissible doses allowed for use in food supplements can be used for the production of food supplements, in compliance with the maximum permissible doses established by the specified list to be approved by the Ministry of Health of Ukraine.

It should be noted that food supplements that met the requirements of the legislation prior to the entry into force of

the Law may be imported into the customs territory of Ukraine within one year from the date of entry into force of the Law. Such food supplements can be in circulation before the expiry date.

Within six months from the date of entry into force of the Law, the following acts shall be developed or amended to implement the provisions of the Law:

- Order of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine on the approval of the procedure and methodology for assessing the impact of vitamins, minerals or other substances and their maximum permissible doses in food products, which are offered for introduction into circulation as food supplements, on human health;

- Order of the Ministry of Health No. 1114 "On the approval of Hygienic Requirements for Dietary Supplements" of 19 December 2013;

- Order of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy No. 244 "On the approval of the Procedure for sending a notice of the intention to introduce baby food, food products for special medical purposes and food products for weight control into circulation, as well as maintaining and publishing a list of such notices" of 25 April 2022.

Within six months from the date of entry into force of the Law market operators shall submit to the competent authority a notice of the intention to introduce into circulation for the first time a food supplement that was in circulation on the territory of Ukraine as a dietary supplement before the entry into force of the Law and is planned to be put into circulation after its entry into force.