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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 14 April 2025, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of the <u>United States of America</u>.

Delayed Verification Sampling of Not Ready-to-Eat Breaded Stuffed Chicken Products

FSIS is announcing that it is delaying the date it will begin sampling not ready-to-eat (NRTE) breaded stuffed chicken products for *Salmonella* and delaying the date establishments need to reassess their Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) plans for these products from 1 May 2025 to 3 November 2025. This additional time is necessary for FSIS to finalize its instructions to inspectors and prepare its inspection program personnel (IPP) and laboratories for the new sampling and testing. In addition, this additional time is necessary for FSIS to provide industry with guidance on holding and controlling products pending FSIS' sampling results.

https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2025/04/11/2025-06164/delayed-verification-sampling-of-not-ready-to-eat-breaded-stuffed-chicken-products

This addendum concerns a:

[]	Modification of final date for comments
[]	Notification of adoption, publication or entry into force of regulation
[]	Modification of content and/or scope of previously notified draft regulation
[]	Withdrawal of proposed regulation
[X]	Change in proposed date of adoption, publication or date of entry into force
[]	Other:

Comment period: (If the addendum extends the scope of the previously notified measure in terms of products and/or potentially affected Members, a new deadline for receipt of comments should be provided, normally of at least 60 calendar days. Under other circumstances, such as extension of originally announced final date for comments, the comment period provided in the addendum may vary.)

[] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the addendum to the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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