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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

Original: English

NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>UKRAINE</u>

If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine
- 3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable): Plants and plant products
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
 - [X] All trading partners
 - [] Specific regions or countries:
- 5. Title of the notified document: The Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 540 "On Amendments to the Clause 2 of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 1229 of 25 October 2024" of 9 May 2025. Language(s): Ukrainian. Number of pages: 2

https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/540-2025-%D0%BF#Text https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/UKR/25_03394_00_x.pdf

6. **Description of content:** This Resolution amends the Clause 2 of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 1229 "On Amendments to the Procedure of inspection, survey, phytosanitary examination, supervision, monitoring, disinfection of regulated objects, issuance of certificates in accordance with the Law of Ukraine "On Plant Quarantine", control of inspections in terms of sampling and selective control over the conduct of phytosanitary examination" of 25 October 2024.

In view of the amendments introduced, Clause 2 of the Resolution No. 1229 shall be revised to read as follows:

- "2. It is established that:
 - Quarantine certificate forms produced as of the date of entry into force of this Resolution may be used within three months from the date of entry into force of this Resolution. Unused forms shall be disposed of in accordance with the legislation;
 - Phytosanitary certificate forms and phytosanitary re-export certificate forms produced as of the date of entry into force of this Resolution shall be used until 31 October 2025 for the export or re-export of regulated objects to countries that do not exchange such certificates through ePhyto HUB pursuant to the information posted on the official website of the Secretariat of the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC). Unused forms shall be disposed of in accordance the legislation."

7. Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [] animal health, [X] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.

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8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
	[] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):
	[] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquation Animal Health Code, chapter number):
	[] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
	[X] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[]Yes []No
	If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
	 The Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 1229 "On Amendments to the Procedure of inspection, survey, phytosanitary examination, supervision, monitoring disinfection of regulated objects, issuance of certificates in accordance with the Law of Ukraine "On Plant Quarantine", control of inspections in terms of sampling and selective control over the conduct of phytosanitary examination" of 25 October 2024, notified in documents G/SPS/N/UKR/222, G/SPS/N/UKR/222/Add.1; the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 1177 "On some issues of implementation of the Law of Ukraine "On Plant Quarantine" of 15 November 2019, notified in documents G/SPS/N/UKR/136, G/SPS/N/UKR/136/Add.1, G/SPS/N/UKR/136/Add.2.
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 9 May 2025
	Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 14 May 2025
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 14 May 2025 [] Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable
	Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:
	Ministry of Economy of Ukraine Department for Trade Agreements and Export Development 12/2 Hrushevskoho Str. Kyiv, 01008 Tel: +(38 044) 596 6839 Fax: +(38 044) 596 6839 E-mail: <u>ep@me.gov.ua</u> Website: <u>https://www.me.gov.ua</u>
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