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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>RUSSIAN FEDERATION</u>

If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: The Eurasian Economic Commission
- 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): Goods (products) subject to veterinary control
- 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: Draft Decision of the Collegium of the Eurasian Economic Commission on Amendments to the Regulation on Common veterinary (sanitary and veterinary) requirements for goods subject to veterinary control (surveillance); and Draft Decision of the Collegium of the Eurasian Economic Commission on Amendments to the Forms of the Common Veterinary Certificates for the Importation of Controlled Goods from Third Countries into the Customs Territory of the Eurasian Economic Union. Language(s): Russian. Number of pages: 18 and 15, respectively

https://regulation.eaeunion.org/orv/3116/ https://regulation.eaeunion.org/orv/3117/ https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/RUS/25_04278_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/RUS/25_04278_01_x.pdf

- 6. **Description of content:** The draft decisions amend the common veterinary (sanitary and veterinary) requirements with provisions on conditions for the importation of the controlled goods into the territory of the EAEU and revise specific chapters of the requirements regarding live animals and contagious animal diseases. They also imply updating the relevant acts of the Commission as follows:
 - Corrections of legal and technical nature;
 - Addition of new terms and definitions used in the text;
 - Harmonization of nosological names of animal diseases;
 - Standardization of wording for certain provisions that are repeated multiple times in the text;
 - Repeal of the "Final and Transitional Provisions" section of the Requirements.
 - Additionally, the draft decisions amend the corresponding veterinary certificates accordingly.

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

- 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 Aquatic [X] Animal Health Code, chapter number): Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Chapters 5.1, 5.2 and 8.3 International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): [] [] None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? [X] 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: 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. [] Trade facilitating measure 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 29 August 2025 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: The Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2 Letnikovskaya St., bld.1/2 115114 Moscow, Russian Federation Tel: +(7 495) 669 2400 (ext. 5151) E-mail: info@eecommission.org dept_sps@eecommission.org 13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: The Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2 Letnikovskaya St., bld.1/2 115114 Moscow, Russian Federation
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