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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>INDIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI)
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): Food
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: Draft Food Safety and Standards (Alcoholic Beverages) Amendment Regulations, 2025. Language(s): Hindi and English. Number of pages: 3 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/IND/25_08463_00_x.pdf
6.	Description of content: The Draft Food Safety and Standards (Alcoholic Beverages) Amendment Regulations, 2025 is related to specification of tolerance level for sugar content in Brut under Sparkling Wines; mandatory statement on the label regarding the approximate number of standard drinks in the package of Alcoholic Beverages.
7.	Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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: https://www.fssai.gov.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/Notification%20dt%2030_10_2025.pdf

10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be decided. Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be decided.
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be decided. [] Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 1 February 2026 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Dr Alka Rao Advisor (Regulations, Science and Standards) Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare FDA Bhawan Kotla Road New Delhi – 110002 Tel: +(91 11) 2366 7293 E-mail: spstbt.enqpt@fssai.gov.in Website: http://www.fssai.gov.in/
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