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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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## NOTIFICATION

### *Addendum*

The following communication, received on 18 February 2026, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of India.

#### Veterinary Health Certificate for Import of Ovine Meat and Ovine Meat Products into India

The draft veterinary health certificate for regulating the import of Ovine Meat and Ovine Meat Products into India was notified to WTO as document [G/SPS/N/IND/337](#) dated 14 October, 2025. Considering the comments of stakeholders the content or scope of notified measures "Veterinary Health Certificate for Import of Ovine Meat and Ovine Meat Products into India" has been finalized and text is available on the website.

<https://dahd.gov.in/sites/default/files/2026-01/OM23Jan2026VHCforImportOfOvineMeatandOvineMeatProductsIntoIndia.pdf>

In order to facilitate the trade, the Veterinary Health Certificate for Import of Ovine Meat and Ovine Meat Products into India was adopted and published on 23 January 2026. The notified measure enters into force on 14 April 2026, six months from the date of circulation of the regular notification.

[https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/IND/26\\_00973\\_00\\_e.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/IND/26_00973_00_e.pdf)

#### **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
- Change in proposed date of adoption, publication or date of entry into force
- Other:

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

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