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**VIETNAM SANITARY AND PHYTOSANITARY NOTIFICATION
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ROUTINE SPS NOTIFICATION FROM VIETNAM

Please find enclosed a routine SPS notification from VIETNAM.

Thank you for your assistance.

Yours sincerely

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Original: English

NOTIFICATION

1. Member to Agreement notifying: VIET NAM If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Department of Animal Health, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development
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): List of drugs, chemicals, antibiotics banned to use, restricted to use.
4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: All countries
5. Title, language and number of pages of the notified document: Circular No 15/2009/TT-BNN issued by the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development dated 17 March 2009 (05 pages)
6. Description of content: Promulgating the list of drugs, chemicals, antibiotics banned to use, restricted to use in Viet Nam: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The list of chemicals, antibiotics banned for manufacturing, trading in aquaculture;- The list of drugs, chemicals and antibiotics banned for veterinary uses;- The list of chemicals, antibiotics restricted for manufacturing, trading in aquaculture;- The list of drugs, chemicals and antibiotics restricted for veterinary uses.
7. Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" 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. International standard, guideline or recommendation: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission, <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:
9. Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Decree No 33/2005/ND-CP issued by the Viet Nam Government on stipulating the implementation of a number of articles in the Veterinary Ordinance, dated 15 March 2005;- Decision No 07/2005/QD-BTS dated 24 Feb., 2005, issued by Ministry of Fishery on the

<p>promulgation the list of chemicals, antibiotics banned for manufacturing, trading in aquaculture;</p> <p>- Decision No 26/2005/QD-BTS dated 18 Aug., 2005, issued by Ministry of Fishery on the implementation of the list of antibiotics, Fluoroquinolones group banned for manufacturing, trading in aquaculture exporting to the US and North of America;</p> <p>- Decision No 41/2008/QD-BNN dated 05 Mar., 2008, issued by Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development on the promulgation the list of veterinary drugs restricted for circulation, prohibited for use in Vietnam.</p> <p>(available in Vietnamese)</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption: 17 March 2009</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: 02 May 2009</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: Not applicable</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National notification authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Department of Animal Health, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development 15/78 Giai Phong Street, Dong Da dist, Hanoi, Vietnam Tel: +(84 4) 38.696.788 Fax: +(84 4) 38.691.311 E-mail: dung@cucthuy.gov.vn (webmaster) Website: http://www.cucthuy.gov.vn/</p>
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