



NOTIFICATION

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| 1. Notifying Member: <u>UKRAINE</u> If applicable, name of local government involved: |
| 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Economy, Environment and Agriculture 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): Potatoes, fresh or chilled (HS code(s): 0701) |
| 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 Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine "On Amendments to Paragraph 1 of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 398 of 1 April 2022". Language(s): Ukrainian. Number of pages: 1 <a href="https://me.gov.ua/Documents/Detail/7120bfce-<u>ea26-43c8-a190-bb635cb7ea24?lang=uk-UA&title=ProktPostanoviKabinetuMinistrivUkrainiproVnesenniaZminDoPunktu1-PostanoviKabinetuMinistrivUkrainiVid1-Kvitnia2022-R-398-https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/UKR/26_03207_00_x.pdf">https://me.gov.ua/Documents/Detail/7120bfce-<u>ea26-43c8-a190-bb635cb7ea24?lang=uk-UA&title=ProktPostanoviKabinetuMinistrivUkrainiproVnesenniaZminDoPunktu1-PostanoviKabinetuMinistrivUkrainiVid1-Kvitnia2022-R-398-https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/UKR/26_03207_00_x.pdf</u> |
| 6. Description of content: The draft Resolution provides for amendments to Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 398 of 1 April 2022 "Some Issues of the Implementation of Phytosanitary Measures and Procedures, State Control Measures in the Areas of Veterinary Medicine, Food Safety and Certain Quality Indicators of Food Products under Martial Law" with a view to strengthening phytosanitary control of imports of regulated objects under HS heading 0701 "Potatoes, fresh or chilled". Visual inspection of consignments falling under this HS heading does not ensure the detection of latent quarantine pests. Therefore, laboratory testing is necessary for the diagnosis of bacterial, viral, viroid and phytoplasma diseases. The proposed measure is intended to ensure an appropriate level of phytosanitary protection by reducing the risk of the introduction and spread of quarantine pests within the territory of Ukraine. |
| 7. Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input checked="" 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): |

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| <p><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p> |
| <p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laws of Ukraine "On Plant Quarantine", "On Seeds and Planting Material"; • 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 document G/SPS/N/UKR/136/Add.2); • Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 398 "Some Issues of the Implementation of Phytosanitary Measures and Procedures, State Control Measures in the Areas of Veterinary Medicine, Food Safety and Certain Quality Indicators of Food Products under Martial Law" of 1 April 2022 (notified in documents G/SPS/N/UKR/170, G/SPS/N/UKR/180, G/SPS/N/UKR/216/Add.1); • Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 960 "On Some Issues of Official Control of Goods Imported into the Customs Territory of Ukraine (including for the Purpose of Transit)" of 24 October 2018 (notified in document G/SPS/N/UKR/130); • Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 53 "On Approval of the Procedure for Verification by a State Phytosanitary Inspector, during Phytosanitary Control, of Documents and Information Contained in Documents Accompanying Consignments of Seeds and Planting Material, Research and Official Samples of Seeds and Planting Material, and on Repeal of Certain Resolutions of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine" of 19 January 2024 • Order of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine No. 716 "On approving the list of regulated pests" of 29 November 2006 (notified in document G/SPS/N/UKR/135); • Order of the Ministry of Economy, Environment and Agriculture of Ukraine No. 343 "On Approval of the Methods for Inspection, Examination, including Sampling, and Conducting Phytosanitary Expertise (Testing)" of 22 February 2021. |
| <p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> |
| <p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): This Resolution will enter into force on the day of its publication.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p> |
| <p>12. Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 18 August 2026</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Secretariat of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine Department of International Trade Policy 12/2 Hrushevskoho Str. Kyiv 01008 Tel: +(38 044) 256 65 07 E-mail: ep@kmu.gov.ua Website: https://www.kmu.gov.ua/</p> |

13. Text(s) available from: National Notification Authority, National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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