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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>REPUBLIC OF KOREA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
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): Gelatin and collagen derived from animal
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: The Import Health Requirements for Gelatin and Collagen. Language(s): Korean and English. Number of pages: 7 http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/SPS/KOR/17_3287_00_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/SPS/KOR/17_3287_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Republic of Korea is proposing to enact "Import Health requirements for Gelatin and Collagen".
7. Objective and rationale: <input 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. 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Terrestrial Animal Health Code Article 11.4.15 <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" 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: The Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Notice No. 2015-115, 30 March 2015 (available in Korean)

10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 18 September 2017</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input 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>Quarantine Policy Division Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs #94 Darom 2-ro, Sejong-Si, 339-012, Korea Tel: +(82 44) 201 2076 Fax: +(82 44) 868 0449 E-mail: srs0628@korea.kr</p>
13.	<p>Text(s) available from: <input 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>Documents are available from the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs website at http://www.mafra.go.kr. Also available from:</p> <p>Quarantine Policy Division Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs #94 Darom 2-ro, Sejong-Si, 339-012, Korea Tel: +(82 44) 201 2076 Fax: +(82 44) 868 0449 E-mail: srs0628@korea.kr</p>