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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

1.	Notifying Member: <u>VIET NAM</u>
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> National Agro-Forestry-Fisheries Quality Assurance Department, 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): Fisheries food
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[X] All trading partners
	[ ] Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: National technical regulation: Fisheries Food Business Operators - Conditions for food safety. Language(s): Vietnamese. Number of pages: 40
	http://www.spsvietnam.gov.vn/Data/File/Notice/2417/Na-Sta- regu%20on%20Fisheries%20Food%20condition.pdf
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> This regulation stipulates the basic requirements on food safety production conditions for fisheries suppliers, processing establishments of raw fisheries, ready-to-cook and ready-to-eat fisheries products.
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
	[X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): CAC/RCP 1-1969, Rev. 4-2003
	[] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
	[ ] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
	[] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[X] Yes [] 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:

10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): February 2018Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): February 2018

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [X] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 14 January 2018

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