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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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## NOTIFICATION

1.	Notify	ing Member: <u>PANAMA</u>	
	If app	licable, name of local government involved:	
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Autoridad Panameña de Seguridad de Alimentos, AUPSA (Panamanian Food Safety Authority)		
3.	<b>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):</b> Flours, meals and pellets, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates and other preparations for animal consumption (HS code: 2301.20.10.00, Flours, meals and pellets of fish; HS code: 2301.20.90.00, Other)		
4.	Regio	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:	
	[X]	All trading partners	
	[]	Specific regions or countries:	
5.	2018 ( Safety	f the notified document: Resuelto AUPSA - DINAN-011-2018, del 13 de abril de Resolution AUPSA - DINAN-011-2018 of 13 April 2018 of the Panamanian Food Authority and Directorate for Rules Governing the Importation of Food) age(s): Spanish Number of pages: 4	
	Text av	vailable at: <a href="https://www.gacetaoficial.gob.pa/pdfTemp/28526/67324.pdf">https://www.gacetaoficial.gob.pa/pdfTemp/28526/67324.pdf</a>	
6.	import	<b>Description of content:</b> The notified text establishes the health requirements for the importation of flours, meals and pellets, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates and other preparations for animal consumption.	
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] animal health, [] plant protection, [X] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.		
8.	Is the	re 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) Code of Practice for Fish and Fishery Products, CAC/RCP 52-2003	
	[X]	World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Aquatic Animal Health Code 2018 - Titles 1 to 11	
	[]	International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM No.):	
	[]	None	
	Does t	this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?	
	[X] Yes [ ] No		
		, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the ational standard:	

9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:		
	http://200.46.196.152/aupsa/requisitos/RES_011_2018HarinasPolvosPelletsPescad		
	<u>oCrustaceoTODOS.pdf</u> – <u>https://www.gacetaoficial.gob.pa/pdfTemp/28526/67324.pdf</u>		
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 13 April 2018		
	Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 13 April 2018		
11.	<b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> [] <b>Six months from date of publication, and/or</b> ( <i>dd/mm/yy</i> ): The notified text will enter into force as from the date of signature. However, processing plants will be granted a period of one year in order to become eligible.		
	[] Trade facilitating measure		
12.	Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or ( <i>dd/mm/yy</i> ): Not applicable.		
	Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:		
13.	Text(s) available from: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:		
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