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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Food and Drug administration, Ministry of Health and Welfare
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): Meat products, fishery products, dairy products, egg products, animal oil products, products of bovine origin and products of deer origin
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 Draft of amendment of Regulation for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food. Language(s): Chinese. Number of pages: 7 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/TPKM/19_3257_00_x.pdf
6.	Description of content: The Announcement of the draft for the amendment of Regulation for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food for comment.
7.	Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): Guidelines for the Design, Operation, Assessment and Accreditation of Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <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:

<p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation (https://law.moj.gov.tw/Eng/LawClass/LawAll.aspx?PCode=L0040001) 2. Regulations for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food (https://law.moj.gov.tw/Eng/LawClass/LawAll.aspx?PCode=L0040114) (available in English)
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. [] Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 5 August 2019 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Food and Drug Administration Ministry of Health and welfare No. 161-2, Kunyang St, Nangang District, Taipei City 115-61, Taiwan Fax: +(886 2) 2653 1062 E-mail: lydialin1109@fda.gov.tw</p>
<p>13. Text(s) available from: [X] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Food and Drug Administration Ministry of Health and welfare No. 161-2, Kunyang St, Nangang District, Taipei City 115-61, Taiwan Fax: +(886 2) 2653 1062 E-mail: lydialin1109@fda.gov.tw</p>