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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	_	Notifying Member: VIET NAM	
	If app	If applicable, name of local government involved:	
2.	Agency responsible: 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): Chilled meat		
4.	Regio	ns or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:	
	[X]	All trading partners	
	[]	Specific regions or countries:	
5.		of the notified document: National standards: Chilled meat - Part 2: Buffalo meat, Language(s): Vietnamese. Number of pages: 13	
		/sps.mard.gov.vn/Data/File/Notice/3595/Chilled%20meat%20%e2%80%93%20P 02%20Buffalo%20meat,%20beef.pdf	
6.	Description of content: This standard stipulates the technical requirements on chilled buffalo meat and beef used as food.		
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): Codex Code of Hygineic Practice for Meat CAC/RCP 58-2005	
	[]	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		
		, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the national standard:	
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:		

10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): May 2020
Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): June 2020

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): June 2020
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 26 January 2020

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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