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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>UKRAINE</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Ministry for Development of Economy, Trade and Agriculture of Ukraine
<b>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):</b> Meat of bovine animals, swine, sheep or goat, fresh, chilled or frozen (HS codes: 0201, 0202, 0203, 0204), edible offal of bovine animals, fresh or chilled (HS code: 020610), meat and edible offal of the poultry of heading 0105, fresh, chilled or frozen (HS code: 0207); natural honey (HS code: 0409000000)
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>All trading partners</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Specific regions or countries:</b>
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> Draft Order of the Ministry for Development of Economy, Trade and Agriculture of Ukraine "On Approval of the Procedure and Special Requirements for Labelling and the List of Foodstuff for which Indication of Country of Origin or Place of Origin is Mandatory". <b>Language(s):</b> Ukrainian. <b>Number of pages:</b> 13 <a href="https://me.gov.ua/Documents/Detail?lang=uk-UA&amp;id=a84b6788-6be1-4501-9eff-2ae3885e2c7c&amp;title=ProektNakazuMinisterstvaRozvitkuEkonomiki-TorgivliTaSilskogoGospodarstvaUkrainiproZatverdzhenniaPoriadkuTaSpetsialnikhVimogDoMarkuvanniaTaPerelikuKharchovikhProduktiv-DliaYakikhOboviazkovimZaznachenniaKrainiPohodzhenniaAboMistsiaPohodzhennia">https://me.gov.ua/Documents/Detail?lang=uk-UA&amp;id=a84b6788-6be1-4501-9eff-2ae3885e2c7c&amp;title=ProektNakazuMinisterstvaRozvitkuEkonomiki-TorgivliTaSilskogoGospodarstvaUkrainiproZatverdzhenniaPoriadkuTaSpetsialnikhVimogDoMarkuvanniaTaPerelikuKharchovikhProduktiv-DliaYakikhOboviazkovimZaznachenniaKrainiPohodzhenniaAboMistsiaPohodzhennia</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_1943_00_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_1943_00_x.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_1943_01_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_1943_01_x.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_1943_02_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_1943_02_x.pdf</a>
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Draft Order approves the procedure for establishing the mechanism and special labelling requirements of foodstuff for which the indication of country of origin or place of origin is mandatory. Such food products are meat of bovine animals, fresh, chilled and frozen, edible offal of bovine animals, fresh or chilled, and natural honey.  It is also foreseen that established mandatory labelling procedure and its requirements will also apply to the List of food product that were specified in Annex 7 of the earlier adopted Law of Ukraine "On Consumer Information on Food". Thus, mandatory labelling rules will also apply to meat of swine, sheep or goat, fresh, chilled and frozen, meat and edible offal of the poultry of heading 0105, fresh, chilled and frozen.  The purpose for developing such measures is to protect population from zoonotic diseases, prevent fraud and unfair competition.  This draft Order was also notified under the TBT Agreement.

7.	<b>Objective and rationale:</b> <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.	<p><b>Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b></p>
9.	<p><b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b></p> <p>Law of Ukraine "On Consumer Information on Food" (available at <a href="https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2639-19">https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2639-19</a>) (available in Ukrainian)</p>
10.	<p><b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p>
11.	<p><b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): Order comes into force from the date of its publication.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p><b>Final date for comments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 16 May 2020</p> <p><b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b> <input checked="" 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>
13.	<p><b>Text(s) available from:</b> <input checked="" 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>