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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>UKRAINE</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Health of Ukraine
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): Food products
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: Draft Order of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine "On Approval of the Rules on the addition of vitamins, minerals and certain other substances to foods". Language(s): Ukrainian. Number of pages: 16 https://moz.gov.ua/article/public-discussions-archive/proekt-nakazu-ministerstva-ohoroni-zdorov%e2%80%99ja-ukraini-pro-zatverdzhennja-pravil-dodavannja-itaminiv-mineralnih-rechovin-ta-dejakih-inshih-rechovin-do-harchovih-produktiv#3 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_3225_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_3225_01_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_3225_02_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_3225_03_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_3225_04_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20_3225_05_x.pdf
6. Description of content: The Draft determines the list of vitamins, minerals and certain other substances intended for use in foods, their permissible norms in food products, and also approves the list of prohibited substances for use in food production. The Draft also regulates the issues on sale, labeling and advertising of food products, according to which the labeling and advertising shall be true and contain comprehensive information that would not mislead consumers. Food products that meet the requirements that were in force before the entry into force of this Order, but do not meet the requirements of this Order, may be imported to the customs territory of Ukraine, produced and/or put into circulation within three years after this Order comes into force. Such food products may be in circulation until their final date of consumption, or the expiry date, or the minimum expiry date.
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.

<p>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</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>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p>
<p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: The Law of Ukraine "On Basic Principles and Requirements for Food Safety and Quality" (available in Ukrainian)</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): This Order comes into force from the date of its official publication, except for paragraphs 2, 3 of Article V of the Rules, which will enter into force three years after the entry into force of the Rules.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 17 July 2020</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p>
<p>13. Text(s) available from: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p>