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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

- 1. Notifying Member: **UKRAINE** 
  - If applicable, name of local government involved:
- 2. Agency responsible: Ministry for Development of Economy, Trade and Agriculture
- 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): Foodstuff
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
  - [X] All trading partners
  - [ ] Specific regions or countries:
- Title of the notified document: The Draft Law of Ukraine "On requirements for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food". Language(s): Ukrainian. Number of pages: 30

The text is available at the official web-site of the Ministry for Development of Economy, Trade and Agriculture of Ukrine:

https://www.me.gov.ua/Documents/Detail?lang=uk-UA&id=6d7fa4b9-680d-4dfb-b9ef-f6cf7001de70&title=ProektZakonuUkrainiproVimogiDoMaterialivTaPredmetiv-SchoKontaktuiutZKharchovimiProduktami

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/UKR/20 3410 00 x.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** The draft Law defines the legal and organizational framework to ensure the safety of materials and articles intended for direct or indirect contact with foodstuffs in the process of their production, circulation and use, namely:
  - general provisions;
  - general and special requirements for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food;
  - state regulation of production and circulation of materials and articles intended to come into contact with food;
  - labelling, declaration of compliance and requirements for ensuring traceability of materials and articles intended to come into contact with food;
  - Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) in the production of materials and articles intended to come into contact with food;
  - state control and responsibility of market operators.

The draft Law is also notified in accordance with the requirements of the TBT Agreement.

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:
	[ ] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):
	[ ] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
	[ ] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
	[X] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[ ] Yes [ ] No
	If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
	<ul> <li>Law of Ukraine "On Basic Principles and Requirements for Food Safety and Quality",</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>(available in Ukrainian);</li><li>Law of Ukraine "On state control to check compliance with the legislation on food,</li></ul>
	feed, animal by-products, animal health and welfare", (notified as
	G/SPS/N/UKR/123, available in Ukrainian);  - Law of Ukraine "On ensuring sanitary and epidemic welfare of the population", (available in Ukrainian)
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
	Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [X] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):
	[ ] Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 27 July 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:
13.	Text(s) available from: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: