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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

- 1. Notifying Member: MYANMAR
 - If applicable, name of local government involved:
- **2. Agency responsible:** Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation
- 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): Fish and Fishery products
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
 - [X] All trading partners
 - [] Specific regions or countries:
- **5. Title of the notified document:** Directive No. 3/2016 on Certification Requirement for the exported Fish and fishery products. **Language(s):** Burmese. **Number of pages:** 2
- **6. Description of content:** Under (Directive No. 3/2016), it is needed to take the Health Certificate to ensure the fit for human consumption after verifying the laboratory test results.
- 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):

Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems -Joint FAO/WHO Food Standards Programme. CODEX ALIMENTARIUS COMMISSION (COMBINED TEXT)

- Principles for Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification CAC/GL 20-1995
- Guideline for the Design, Operation, Assessment an Accreditation of Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification System CAC/GL 26-1997
- Guideline for the Development of Equivalence Agreements Regarding Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification System CAC/GL 34-1999
- Guideline for General Official Certificate Formats and the Production and Issuance of Certificates CAC/GL 38-2001
- Guideline for food import control systems CAC/GL 47-2003
- Guideline on the Judgement of Equivalence of Sanitary Measures associated with Food Inspection and Certification Systems CAC/GL 53-2003

| | [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): |
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| | [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): |
| | [] None |
| | Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? |
| | [X] 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: |
| | ASEAN Guidelines for the Design, Operation, Assessment and Accreditation of Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification System (available in English) |
| 10. | Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 21 July 2016 |
| | Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 21 July 2016 |
| 11. | Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or $(dd/mm/yy)$: |
| | [] Trade facilitating measure |
| 12. | Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or $(dd/mm/yy)$: |
| | Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: |
| 13. | Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: |
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