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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>RUSSIAN FEDERATION</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: The Eurasian Economic Commission
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): Goods (products) subject to veterinary control
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: Eurasian Economic Commission Council Draft Decision "On Amendments to the Regulation on Common Procedure of Veterinary Control (Surveillance) at the Customs Border of the Eurasian Economic Union and within the Customs Territory of the Eurasian Economic Union". Language(s): Russian. Number of pages: 5 https://docs.eaeunion.org/ria/ru-ru/0104227/ria_17092020 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/RUS/20_5531_00_x.pdf
6. Description of content: The draft provides for the possibility to use veterinary certificates issued in electronic form for mutual and foreign trade by competent authorities.
7. Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" 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. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Chapter 5.1 <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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:
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: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 20 November 2020 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: The Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2, Letnikovskaya Lane 105064 Moscow, Russian Federation Tel: +(7495) 669 2400 (ext. 5151) Fax: +(7495) 669 2415 E-mail: info@eecommission.org dept_sps@eecommission.org
13.	Text(s) available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: The Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2, Letnikovskaya Lane 105064 Moscow, Russian Federation Tel: +(7495) 669 2400 (ext. 5151) Fax: +(7495) 669 2415 E-mail: info@eecommission.org dept_sps@eecommission.org