



NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: VIET NAM If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Viet Nam Food Administration, Ministry of Health
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): Health supplement
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: Circular on the List of substances banned from use in the production and trading of health supplement. Language(s): Vietnamese. Number of pages: 5 http://www.spsvietnam.gov.vn/Data/File/Notice/5803/Circular%20on%20health%20supplement.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/VNM/21_2615_00_x.pdf
6. Description of content: The Circular includes four articles: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Article 1. Scope and subject of application;- Article 2. List of substances banned from use in the production and trading of health supplement;- Article 3. Implementation provision;- Article 4. Assignment. This Circular prescribes the list of substances banned from use in the production and trading of health supplement. This Circular applies to Vietnamese organizations and individuals; foreign organizations and individuals in Viet Nam engaging in producing and trading of health supplements; organizations and individuals engaged in health supplements in Viet Nam.
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.
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 type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):

<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: Because this is the regulations for health supplement - not for the foods. Each country has its own regulations on health supplement and there is no international standard for health supplement.</p>
<p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 30 July 2021</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 30 July 2021</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</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): 12 June 2021</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Viet Nam Food Administration, Ministry of Health of Viet Nam Lane 135 Nui Truc Street, Ba Dinh Dist, Ha Noi, Viet Nam E-mail: phapchehoinhap@gmail.com Fax: +(84 24) 3846 3739</p> <p>Viet Nam SPS Notification Authority and Enquiry Point No. 10 Nguyen Cong Hoan Street, Hanoi, Viet Nam Tel: +(84 24) 3734 4764 Fax: +(84 24) 3734 4764 E-mail: spsvietnam@mard.gov.vn Website: http://www.spsvietnam.gov.vn</p>
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