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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: Verkhovna Rada 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): Pesticides and agrochemicals
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: The draft Law "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on Improving State Regulation in the Sphere of Pesticides and Agrochemicals". Language(s): Ukrainian. Number of pages: 8 http://w1.c1.rada.gov.ua/pls/zweb2/webproc4_1?pf3511=70775 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/UKR/21_3597_00_x.pdf
6. Description of content: The draft Law refers to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- labelling requirements for pesticides and agrochemicals;- the procedure for state registration of preparations;- the removal of provisions for special raw material zones intended for the cultivation of products for children's and dietary nutrition;- harmonizing definitions of terms in accordance with the definitions under EU law;- eliminating duplication of authority and excessive government regulation;- strengthening the control over counterfeit pesticides and agrochemicals. The draft Law is also notified in accordance with the provisions of the TBT Agreement.
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): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

<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: Laws of Ukraine "On Pesticides and Agrochemicals", "On Insurance", "On Infant Food", "On Licensing of Economic Activities" (available in Ukrainian)</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. 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 Law shall enter into force on the day following the day of its publication and shall be enacted three months after its publication, except for item "b" of subchapter 8 of chapter 1 of the Section I (refers to requirements on packaging and labelling), which shall enter into force one year after its publication.</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): 20 July 2021</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p>