



NOTIFICATION

<p>1. Notifying Member: <u>VIET NAM</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:</p>
<p>2. Agency responsible: Viet Nam Food Administration, Ministry of Health</p>
<p>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): Food flavouring agents</p>
<p>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:</p>
<p>5. Title of the notified document: National technical regulation on food flavouring agents Language(s): Vietnamese Number of pages:</p>
<p>6. Description of content: Draft national technical regulation on requirements, testing method, management of food flavouring agents as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Lemon and Orange flavour;2. Peach flavour;3. Strawberry flavour;4. Coconut flavour;5. Woody flavour;6. Smoky flavour;7. Mushroom flavour;8. Popcorn flavour;9. Jasmine flavour;10. Chocolate flavour;11. Vanilla flavour;12. Apple flavour.
<p>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.</p>
<p>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> None</p>

<p>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>FAO online database (JECFA) http://www.fao.org/food/food-safety-quality/scientific-advice/jecfa/jecfa-flav/en/</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p>	
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): October 2014</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): October 2014</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 45 days from the date of publication</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 30 September 2014</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 138A Giang Vo, Ba Dinh District, Hanoi, Viet Nam Tel: +(84 4) 3846 4489/+(84 4) 3846 3702 Fax: +(84 4) 3846 3739 E-mail: vfa@vfa.gov.vn Website: http://www.vfa.gov.vn</p> <p>Viet Nam SPS Notification Authority and Enquiry Point 2 Ngoc Ha Street, Hanoi, Viet Nam Tel: +(84 4) 3734 4764 Fax: +(84 4) 3734 9019 E-mail: spsvietnam@mard.gov.vn Website: http://www.spsvietnam.gov.vn</p>
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