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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: VIET NAM
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry for Agriculture and Rural Development
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): Propagation/planting materials of coffee (Coffea canaphora and Coffea arabica)
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: The draft National technical regulation on Planting-materials quality of perennial industrial crop - Part 1: Coffee. Language(s): Vietnamese. Number of pages: 13
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/VNM/21_5950_00_x.pdf
6.	Description of content: This draft national technical regulation prescribes the quality requirements of propagating materials and seedlings of coffee crop (<i>Coffea canaphora</i> and <i>Coffea arabica</i>) to use for seedling production by vegetative and sexual propagation methods. This draft technical regulation will apply to organizations and individuals involve in
	producing, trading and importing propagation materials of coffee crop (<i>Coffea canaphora</i> and <i>Coffea arabica</i>).
7.	Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [X] protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
	[] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):
	[] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
	[X] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): ISPMs numbers: 01, 24, 27
	[] 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:

- Circular No. 43/2018/TT-BNNPTNT dated 28 December 2018 of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development on export and import of plant varieties, animal breeds, plant gene resources; import of agrochemicals and import of objects on the list of objects that have to undergo pest risk analysis before import https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/VNM/21 5950 01 x.pdf
- QCVN 01-192:2020/BNNPTNT: National technical regulation on phytosanitary requirements for imported regulated articles
 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/VNM/21 5950 02 x.pdf
 (available in Vietnamese)

10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 31 December 2021

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 31 December 2021

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [X] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 20 November 2021

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