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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>NORWAY</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Norwegian Food Safety Authority
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): Honeybees (HS Code: 01 06 41 00)
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: Draft amendments to § 16 of Regulations relating to plants and measures against pests - March 2021. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 1 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/NOR/21_5886_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Temporary movements to Norway of consignments of honeybees is forbidden without prior authorisation by the Norwegian Food Safety Authority. This measure aims to prevent the introduction and spread of <i>Erwinia amylovora</i> (Burrill) Winslow et.al.
7. Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): ISPM 1: "Phytosanitary principles for the protection of plants and the application of phytosanitary measures in international trade" <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: Regulations of 1 December 2000 no. 1333 relating to plants and measures against pests
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 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): 21 November 2021 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:
13.	Text(s) available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: National Enquiry Point: Norwegian Ministry of Agriculture and Food P.O. Box 8007 Dep 0030 Oslo Norway Tel: +(47) 22 24 9090 Fax: +(47) 22 24 9559 E-mail: postmottak@lmd.dep.no Agency responsible: Norwegian Food Safety Authority P.O. Box 383 N-2381 Brumunddal Tel: +(47) 22 40 0000 E-mail: postmottak@mattilsynet.no Website: https://www.mattilsynet.no/ https://www.mattilsynet.no/language/english/plants/plant_health/regulations_related_to_plants_and_measures_against_pests.20853