

**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: Ministry of Economy 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): Multiple products
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[X] All trading partners
	[] Specific regions or countries:
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> The draft Order of the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine "On approval of the Procedure for recognition of equivalence of state control system of the exporting country". <b>Language(s):</b> Ukrainian. <b>Number of pages:</b> 7
	https://me.gov.ua/Documents/Detail?lang=uk-UA&id=1773a8b1-4a41-4c52-b94c- 2ee8556317ad&title=ProktNakazuMinisterstvaEkonomikiUkrainiproZatverdzhenniaPoriadku ViznanniaEkvivalentnostiSistemiDerzhavnogoKontroliuKrainieksportera https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/UKR/21_7854_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/UKR/21_7854_01_x.pdf
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> The draft Order defines the mechanism and procedure for approving a decision on recognition of equivalence of state control system of the exporting country.
	The State Service of Ukraine for Food Safety and Consumer Protection is the responsible state body for conducting the equivalence recognition procedure.
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] animal health, [ ] plant protection, [ ] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [ ] 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):
	[] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
	[X] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[]Yes []No
	If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

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- **9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:** The Law of Ukraine "On State control over compliance with legislation on food, feed, animal by-products, animal health and welfare" (available in Ukrainian)
- **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: [] Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** *(dd/mm/yy)*: This Order shall enter into force from the date of its official publication.
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- **12.** Final date for comments: **[X]** Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): 15 February 2022

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

**13.** Text(s) available from: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: