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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

| 1. | Notifying Member: INDIA |
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| | If applicable, name of local government involved: |
| 2. | Agency responsible: Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) |
| 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 |
| 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: Food Safety and Standards (Packaging) Amendment Regulations, 2022. Language(s): Hindi and English. Number of pages: 3 |
| 6. | Description of content: The Food Safety and Standards (Packaging) Amendment Regulations, 2022 related to use of recycled plastics in food packaging. |
| 7. | Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] 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: . |
| 9. | Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: https://fssai.gov.in/notifications.php?notification=wto-sps-notification |
| 10. | Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): Yet to be decided. |
| | Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): Yet to be decided. |

11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

[] Trade facilitating measure

12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 29 August 2022

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

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

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