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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

1.	Notifying Member: VIET NAM
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development - Directorate of Fisheries
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): Environmental treating products in aquaculture
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> National technical regulation on Environmental treating products in aquaculture - Part 1: Chemical, biological products. <b>Language(s):</b> Vietnamese. <b>Number of pages:</b> 11
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/VNM/22_6538_00_x.pdf
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6.	<b>Description of content:</b> The regulation on maximum level of inorganic arsenic (As), lead (Pb), <i>E. coli, Salmonella</i> spp. and minimum quality level of products in chemical, biological products.
	The regulation shall apply to organizations and individuals related to the production and import of chemical, biological products for aquaculture in Viet Nam.
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:

## 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:

- Standards and Technical Regulation Law No 68/2006/Qh11
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- Good Quality Law No 05/2007/Qh12
   <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/VNM/22">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/VNM/22</a> 6538 02 x.pdf
- Fisheries Law No 18/2017/Qh14
   <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/VNM/22">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/VNM/22</a> 6538 03 x.pdf
   (available in Vietnamese)
- 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 1 March 2023Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 10 March 2023
- 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): 28 November 2022

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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:

Link to download the regulatory draft:

http://www.spsvietnam.gov.vn/en/notification-of-viet-nam