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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

| 1. | Notifying Member | UNITED ARAB EMIRATES |
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If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Industry and Advanced Technology
- 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): Milk and milk products (ICS code: 67.100)
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
 - [X] All trading partners
 - [] Specific regions or countries:
- Title of the notified document: UAE GSO Technical Regulation for Ultra-High Temperature treated (UHT) Milk and (UHT) Flavoured Milk. Language(s): Arabic. Number of pages: 8

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/ARE/22 6988 00 x.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Technical regulation is concerned with the requirements of Ultra High Temperature Milk (UHT) and flavoured milk (long life), intended for direct consumption.
- 7. Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [X] 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*):
 - [X] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Terrestrial Animal Health Code (section 7, section 8 (chapters 8.1–8.20), section 10 (chapters 10.1–10.9), section 11 (chapters 11.1-11.11), section 13 (chapters 13.1-13.2), section 14 (chapters 14.1-14.9)
 - [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
 - [] 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:

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| 9. | Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: |
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| 10. | Proposed date of adoption (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): To be determined. Proposed date of publication (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): To be determined. |
| 11. | Proposed date of entry into force: [X] Six months from date of publication, and/or (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): [X] Trade facilitating measure |
| 12. | Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 17 December 2022 |
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