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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 22 November 2022, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of <u>Ukraine</u>.

<u>Draft Order of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine "On Approval of Requirements for Animal Welfare at the Time of Killing"</u>

Ukraine hereby notifies the adoption of the Order of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine of 28 August 2022 No. 628 "On Approval of the Requirements for Ensuring the Welfare of Animals during Slaughter and Killing". The Order was registered with the Ministry of Justice of Ukraine on 14 October 2022, published and entered into force on 28 October 2022.

The Order will be enacted simultaneously with the Law of Ukraine "On Veterinary Medicine" No. 1206-IX of 4 February 2021 (to be enacted one year after the termination or cancellation of the martial law).

It is also established that:

- Until 1 January 2027, the provisions of paragraph 1 of Chapter 1 of Section III of the Requirements apply only to new slaughterhouses put into operation after the entry into force of this Order and its enforcement;
- from 1 January 2027, the provisions of paragraph 1 of Chapter 1 of Section III of the Requirements apply to all slaughterhouses, but not before the entry into force of this Order and its enforcement;
- the requirements of Chapter 5 of Section II of the Requirements apply from 1 January 2027, but not earlier than the entry into force of this Order and its enforcement.

The Order is available at:

https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/z1244-22#Text (available in Ukrainian)

This addendum concerns a:

[]	Modification of final date for comments
[X]	Notification of adoption, publication or entry into force of regulation
]	Modification of content and/or scope of previously notified draft regulation
]	Withdrawal of proposed regulation
1	Change in proposed date of adoption, publication or date of entry into force
ij	Other

Comment period: (If the addendum extends the scope of the previously notified measure in terms of products and/or potentially affected Members, a new deadline for receipt of comments should be provided, normally of at least 60 calendar days. Under other circumstances, such as extension of originally announced final date for comments, the comment period provided in the addendum may vary.)

[] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the addendum to the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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