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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: PANAMA	
	If applicable, name of local government involved:	
2.	Agency responsible: <i>Ministerio de Comercio e Industrias</i> (Ministry of Trade and Industry)	
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): ICS code: 67.120.20	
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: Reglamento técnico DGNTI 14-2023. Tecnología de los alimentos. Aves y huevos. Huevos de gallina para consumo (Technical Regulations DGNTI 14-2023. Food technology. Poultry and eggs. Hens' eggs for consumption) Language(s): Spanish. Number of pages: 9	
	https:	//members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/PAN/23 1621 00 e.pdf
6.	Description of content: The purpose of the notified Technical Regulations is to establish the quality, safety, packaging and labelling characteristics and requirements for local or imported eggs of fowls (<i>Gallus domesticus</i>) for human consumption, offered for sale to the end consumer, catering trade or industry in the country, irrespective of their production method	
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:	
	[X]	Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): Codex Alimentarius CXG 78-2011, CXG 32-1999
	[]	World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
	[]	International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM No.):
	[]	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:	

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

- Instituto Colombiano de Nomas Técnicas. Huevos de Gallina Frescos para Consumo. (ICONTEC 1240).
- Codex Alimentarius, Organically Produced Foods, Second Edition
- Codex Alimentarius, CAC/GL 78-2011, Guidelines for the control of Campylobacter and Salmonella in Chicken Meat, pages 1-28
- **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): To be determined
 - [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): 2 May 2023

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

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

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