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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>CHINA</u>

If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: National Health Commission
- 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): Canned complementary foods for infants and young children
- 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: National food safety standard: Canned complementary foods for infants and young children. Language(s): Chinese. Number of pages: 5

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/CHN/23 1468 00 x.pdf

- 6. **Description of content:** This standard applies for the canned complementary foods $6\sim36$ months old and regulates the technical requirements on canned complementary foods for infants and young children.
- 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:
 - [X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): Codex Stan 73-1981
 - [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
 - [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
 - [] None
 - Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
 - []Yes [X]No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard: According to the relevant provisions of the food safety law and the dietary habits of Chinese infants and young children, set the standard of canned supplementary food infants and young children.

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

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.
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): 5 May 2023

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