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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>ARMENIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: The Eurasian Economic 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): Goods (products) subject to veterinary control
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: Draft Decision of the Collegium of the Eurasian Economic Commission on Amendments to the Regulation on Common veterinary (sanitary and veterinary) requirements for goods subject to veterinary control (surveillance). Language(s): Russian. Number of pages: 1+3 https://docs.eaeunion.org/ria/ru-ru/0106527/ria_18032024 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/RUS/24_02711_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/RUS/24_02711_01_x.pdf
6.	Description of content: The draft introduces amendments in terms of allowing the Member states of the Eurasian Economic Union powers to agree and initial veterinary certificates in electronic form via e-mail, the amendments also allow the Member states to determine the date of entry of such certificates into force. The amendments cover the forms of veterinary certificates that differ from the Unified forms of veterinary certificates for goods subject to veterinary control (supervision) imported into the customs territory of the Union, approved by the Decision of the Commission of the Customs Union No. 607 of 7 April 2011.
7.	Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Chapter 5.1 <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input type="checkbox"/> None

<p>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p>	
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 16 September 2024</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>The Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2 Letnikovskaya St., bld.1/2 115114 Moscow, Russian Federation Tel: +(7 495) 669 2400 (ext. 5151) Fax: +(7 495) 669 2415 E-mail: info@eecommission.org dept_sps@eecommission.org</p>
13.	<p>Text(s) available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>The Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2 Letnikovskaya St., bld.1/2 115114 Moscow, Russian Federation Tel: +(7 495) 669 2400 (ext. 5151) Fax: +(7 495) 669 2415 E-mail: info@eecommission.org dept_sps@eecommission.org</p>