NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** KAZAKHSTAN**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan |
| **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):** Live pig and boar semen, pork meat, leather, horn and intestinal raw materials, bristles, hunting trophies, feed and feed additives, used equipment for transporting, keeping, slaughter and butchering |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:****[****] All trading partners** **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Regions of Calabria and Lombardy, Italy |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Letter of the Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan on the introduction of temporary restrictions on the importation and transit to the territory of Kazakhstan from the regions of Calabria and Lombardy in Italy of live pig and boar semen, pork meat, leather, horn and intestinal raw materials, bristles, hunting trophies, feed and feed additives, used equipment for transporting, keeping, slaughter and butchering. **Language(s):** Kazakh and Russian. **Number of pages:** 2 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of Kazakhstan reports that an outbreak of African swine fever was registered in the regions of Calabria and Lombardy in Italy. In this regard, since 8 December 2023, temporary restrictions have been introduced on the importation and transit (with the exception of the goods specified in article 15.1.2 of the Land Animal Health Code of the WOAH) to the territory of Kazakhstan from the regions of Calabria and Lombardy in Italy of live pigs and boar semen, pork meat, including from wild boars, and its processed products that have not undergone heat treatment (at least 70 °C with at least 30 minutes), leather, horn and intestinal raw materials, bristles, hunting trophies obtained from susceptible animal species, feed and feed additives for animals of vegetable and animal origin, including poultry and fish, feed additives for cats and dogs that have not undergone heat treatment (at a temperature not lower than 70 °C with at least 30 minutes), used equipment for transporting pigs, products and raw materials of animal origin, keeping, slaughter and butchering of pigs. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X] food safety, [****X] animal health, [****] plant protection, [****X] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [****] protect territory from other damage from pests.**  |
| **8.** | **Nature of the urgent problem(s) and reason for urgent action:** Due to African swine fever. |
| **9.** | **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)*:** Chapter 15.1 of the WOAH Terrestrial Animal Health Code**[****] 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:**  |
| **10.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:**   |
| **11.** | **Date of entry into force (*dd/mm/yy*)/period of application (as applicable):** 8 December 2023**[****] Trade facilitating measure**  |
| **12.** | **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****X] National Notification Authority, [****X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:** Ministry of Trade and Integration of the Republic of KazakhstanDepartment for Foreign Trade Activity8 Mangilik Yel ave., "House of Ministries" Adm. Bldg., Entrance 7Astana, Republic of Kazakhstan, 010000Tel: +(7) 7172 743 761 +(7) 7172 768 602Fax: +(7) 7172 768 804E-mail: wto.kaz.ntf@gmail.com |
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