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 Supervision of the Ministry of Agriculture  |
| **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):** Breeding and commercial cattle, beef, including end products, feed and feed additives, used equipment (HS Codes: 01, 02, 16, 23, 84) |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:****[ ]** **All trading partners** **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** State of Mato Grosso, Brazil |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Letter of the Committee of Veterinary Control and Supervision of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan on the introduction of a temporary restriction on the importation of breeding and commercial cattle susceptible to bovine spongiform encephalopathy, as well as beef, including end products, non-edible raw materials and products obtained from cattle susceptible to bovine spongiform encephalopathy, as well as used equipment for the maintenance, slaughter, feed and feed additives for food-producing animals. **Language(s):** Kazakh and Russian. **Number of pages:** 2 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** On the basis of the World Organization for Animal Health, the Committee of Veterinary Control and Supervision of the Ministry of agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan reports outbreaks of bovine spongiform encephalopathy in the State of Mato Grosso, Brazil. In this regard, since 9 July 2019, temporary restrictions are introduced on the import of breeding and commercial cattle susceptible to bovine spongiform encephalopathy, as well as beef, including end products, non-edible raw materials and products obtained from cattle susceptible to bovine spongiform encephalopathy, as well as used equipment for the maintenance, slaughter, feed and feed additives food food-producing animals. |
| **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.** | **Nature of the urgent problem(s) and reason for urgent action:** Due to outbreaks of bovine spongiform encephalopathy in the State of Mato Grosso, Brazil. |
| **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 11.4 of the OIE 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):** 9 July 2019**[****X] Trade facilitating measure**  |
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