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):** All types of agricultural and wild animals, genetic material obtained from them, meat and meat products, milk and dairy products, raw materials obtained from susceptible animals, horn-hoofed raw materials (horns, antlers, hooves), hunting trophies, leather, hide and bristles |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[****] All trading partners**  **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Botosani, Romania |
| **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 to the territory of Kazakhstan from Botosani of Romania of all types of agricultural and wild animals, genetic material obtained from them, meat and meat products, milk and dairy products, raw materials obtained from susceptible animals, horn-hoofed raw materials (horns, antlers, hooves), hunting trophies, leather, hide and bristles (ruminants, equids and pigs) from the Botosani area of Romania, as well as transit through the territory of Kazakhstan of all types of agricultural and wild animals. **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 on the basis of the official notification of the World Organisation for Animal Health (WAHIS), an outbreak of the Siberian plague was registered in Botosani of Romania. In this regard, since 1 December 2022, temporary restrictions have been introduced on the importation to the territory of Kazakhstan from Botosani of Romania of all types of agricultural and wild animals, genetic material obtained from them, meat and meat products, milk and dairy products (with the exception of heat‑treated according to article 8.1.7. Terrestrial Animal Health Code), raw materials obtained from susceptible animals, horn-hoofed raw materials (horns, antlers, hooves), hunting trophies (with the exception of those that have undergone taxidermy treatment), leather, hide and bristles (ruminants, equids and pigs) with Botosani of Romania, as well as transit through the territory of Kazakhstan of all types of agricultural and wild animals from the above territories. With regard to the above goods shipped before 1 December 2022, the decision to let them pass is made in the usual manner. |
| **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 the Siberian plague. |
| **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 8.1 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):** 1 December 2022  **[****] 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 Kazakhstan  Department for Foreign Trade Activity  8 Mangilik Yel ave., "House of Ministries" Adm. Bldg., Entrance 7  Astana, Republic of Kazakhstan, 010000  Tel: +(7) 7172 743 761  +(7) 7172 768 602  Fax: +(7) 7172 768 804  E-mail: [wto.kaz.ntf@gmail.com](mailto:wto.kaz.ntf@gmail.com) |
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