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 poultry, hatching eggs, down and feathers, poultry meat and all poultry products, feed and feed additives for birds, trophies of the chase, used equipment for the maintenance, slaughter and cutting of birds. |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:****[ ]** **All trading partners** **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Chelyabinsk Region  |
| **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 from Chelyabinsk Region (Russian Federation) and transit through the territory of Chelyabinsk Region (Russian Federation) to the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan live poultry, hatching eggs, down and feathers, poultry meat and all types of poultry products that have not undergone heat treatment, feed and feed additives for poultry (except for feed additives of chemical and microbiological synthesis), trophies of the chase that have not undergone taxidermy treatment (feather game), as well as used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and cutting of birds. **Language(s):** Kazakh, Russian. **Number of pages:** 2 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** On the basis of the published information on the official site  of the Office of the Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance in the Chelyabinsk Region, the Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan reports outbreak of avian influenza of the H5N8 subtype in the Chelyabinsk Region of the Russian Federation. In this regard, since 4 August 2020 temporary restrictions have been introduced on the importation from the Chelyabinsk region and transit through the Chelyabinsk region to the territory of Kazakhstan of live poultry, hatching eggs, down and feathers, poultry meat and all types of poultry products that have not undergone heat treatment, feed and feed additives for birds (with the exception of feed additives of chemical and microbiological synthesis), trophies of the chase that have not undergone taxidermy treatment (feather game), as well as used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and cutting birds. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X] food safety, [ ]****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 outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza. |
| **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 10.4 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):** **[ ]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
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