NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Kazakhstan**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Committee of State Inspection in Agro-Industrial Complex 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):** Tomatoes, fresh or chilled |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:****[ ]** **All trading partners** **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Azerbaijan |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Letter of the State Inspection in Agro-Industrial Complex of the Ministry of Agriculture of Kazakhstan on the introduction of temporary restrictions on the importation of tomato fruits from Azerbaijan to the territory of Kazakhstan in order to prevent the introduction and spread of *Tomato brown rugose fruit virus* in the territory of Kazakhstan, and the deterioration of the quarantine phytosanitary situation in the territory of Kazakhstan. **Language(s):** Russian. **Number of pages:** 2<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/KAZ/21_1043_00_x.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The State Inspection in Agro-Industrial Complex of the Ministry of Agriculture of Kazakhstan reports cases of detection of *Tomato brown rugose fruit virus* in imported regulated products from Azerbaijan to the territory of Kazakhstan. Since 16 January 2021 temporary restrictions have been introduced on the importation of tomato fruits from the territory of Azerbaijan to the territory of Kazakhstan. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [ ]****food safety, [ ]****animal health, [****X] 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 detection of *Tomato brown rugose fruit virus* in regulated products. |
| **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)*:** **[ ]** **World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:** **[****X] International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM number)*:** Article VII of the International Plant Protection Convention**[ ]** **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):** 16 January 2021**[ ]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
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