NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Russian Federation  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** The Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance (Rosselkhoznadzor) |
| **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 swine, meat of swine, meat and edible meat offal, swine embryos and boar' semen (HS Code(s): 0103; 0203; 020630; 020910; 0210; 0502; 0511; of 5002; of 0511, 160100\*, 1602\*)  \* with exception of prepared heat-treated goods of pork, prepared goods containing pork or raw materials of animal origin (from pork) for the production of feeds for non-productive and fur-producing animals with the use of technologies providing destruction of African swine fever virus (ASFV) in accordance with the provision of Chapter 15.1 of the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code. |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[ ]** **All trading partners**  **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Hong Kong, China |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Letter of the Federal Service for the Veterinary and Phytosanitary No. FS-ARe-7/3668-3 as 10 February 2021. **Language(s):** Russian. **Number of pages:** 2  <https://fsvps.gov.ru/fsvps/laws/7794.html>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/RUS/21_1081_00_x.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance (Rosselkhoznadzor) introduced a temporary restriction on import of live swine, meat of swine and products containing pork from Hong Kong, China due to the registration of outbreaks of African swine fever (ASF). |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [ ]****food safety, [****X] 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:** The measure has been introduced to prevent spread of ASF in the territory of the Russian Federation. |
| **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 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):** 10 February 2021  **[ ]** **Trade facilitating measure** |
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