NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** TÜRKIYE  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry/General Directorate of Food and Control  **Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:**  Türkiye-TBT Equiry Point  Ministry of Trade  DG of Product Safety and Inspection  Söğütözü Mah. 2176 Sk. No:63, 06510 Çankaya/Ankara  Telephone: +90 312 204 89 45  Fax: +90 312 212 68 64  E-mail: [tbt@ticaret.gov.tr](mailto:tbt@ticaret.gov.tr)  Website: <http://www.teknikengel.gov.tr> |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****], 3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Cream, Kaymak (Kaymak is a traditional dairy product similar to clotted cream) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Turkish Food Codex Communiqué on Cream and Kaymak, 2024/5; (8 page(s), in Turkish) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Communiqué covers product characteristics of cream and kaymak in order to ensure that they are produced, prepared, processed, transported, stored and supplied to the market. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health and food safety; Protection of human health or safety |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  -Veterinary, Phytosanitary, Food and Feed Law No: 5996 (G/SPS/N/TUR/9) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 31 December 2024  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 31 December 2024 |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 5 June 2024 |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  Türkiye-TBT Equiry Point  Ministry of Trade  DG of Product Safety and Inspection  Söğütözü Mah. 2176 Sk. No:63, 06510 Çankaya/Ankara  Telephone: +90 312 204 89 45  Fax: +90 312 212 68 64  E-mail: [tbt@ticaret.gov.tr](mailto:tbt@ticaret.gov.tr)  Website: <http://www.teknikengel.gov.tr>  OR  Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry  General Directorate of Food and Control  Eskisehir Yolu 9. Km. Lodumlu Ankara - Türkiye  Tel: +(90) 312 258 77 53  Fax: +(90) 312 258 77 60  E-mail: [kodeks@tarimorman.gov.tr](mailto:kodeks@tarimorman.gov.tr)  Website: <https://www.tarimorman.gov.tr/GKGM>  <https://www.tarimorman.gov.tr/GKGM/Duyuru/559/Mevzuat-Taslagi-Tgk-Krema-Ve-Kaymak-Tebligi>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/TBT/TUR/24_02143_00_x.pdf> |