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### **Report Highlights:**

On April 27, the State Administration for Market Regulation (SAMR) released the 2022 Legislative Plan Work Plan. This report contains an unofficial translation of a select part of the Plan related to food and agriculture, including measures and laws concerning infant formula, foods for special medical purposes, geographic indications, and for the adoption of industry or international standards.

## **Summary**

On April 27, SAMR released the 2022 Legislative Plan Work Plan, outlining priority legislation for SAMR divisions to finalize or advance in drafting process during the calendar year. The Plan lists a total of 69 legislative items, including 36 Category I items planned for finalization this year, and 33 Class II items, which will be launched or moved forward. The food and agriculture related items for finalization include measures on food quality and safety, business licensing, and food for special medial purposes (FSMP). Food and agriculture related items for launching or advancing include a law on geographic indications and measures for powdered infant formula.

The SAMR Public Notice and full List of 2022 Legislative Items can be found here (link in Chinese): Notice of the State Administration for Market Regulation on Printing and Distributing the Legislative Work Plan for 2022 (samr.gov.cn)

For additional background, the following GAIN Reports contain related content:

<u>CH2021-0148</u> - Powdered Infant Formula Good Manufacturing Practices Draft Standard Notified

CH2021-0088 - China Notifies Draft Labeling for Infants and Young Children

<u>CH2016-2222</u> - CFDA Publishes Measures for Registration of Infant formula Recipes

<u>CH2022-0032</u> - Geographic Indications Five-Year Plan Issued

CH2021-0172 - Agricultural Product Quality and Safety Law Revised Draft Published

Below is an unofficial translation of select parts of SAMR's 2022 Work Plan.

#### **BEGIN Unofficial Translation**

1. Category I Legislation Items (laws and regulations to be finalized)

Title in Chinese	Title in English
食品相关产品质量安全监督管理暂行办 法	Interim Measures for the Supervision and Administration of the Quality and Safety of Food-Related Products
食品经营许可和备案管理办法	Measures for the Administration of Food Business Licensing and Filing
特殊医学用途配方食品注册管理办法	Measures for the Administration of the Registration of Formula Foods for Special Medical Purposes

# 2. Category II Legislation Items (laws and regulations SAMR will work on this year)

中华人民共和国地理标志法	Law of Geographical Indications of the People's Republic of China
食品安全检查员管理办法	Administrative Measures for Food Safety Inspectors
食品委托生产监督管理办法	Measures for the Supervision and Administration of Contracted Food Production
食用农产品市场销售质量安全监督管理办法	Measures for the Supervision and Administration over Marketing and Quality Safety of Edible Agricultural Products (Revision of the CFDA Decree 20 of 2016)
	Administrative Measures for the Registration of Recipes for Formula Powder Products for Infants
婴幼儿配方乳粉产品配方注册管理办法	and Young Children (CFDA Decree 26), draft notified to the WTO in 2019
农业农村标准化管理办法	Administrative Measures for Agriculture and Rural Standardization Work
行业标准管理办法	Administrative Measures for Industry Standard
采用国际标准管理办法	Administrative Measures for Adopting International Standards

# **Attachments:**

No Attachments.