NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 1 July 2019, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Egypt.

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| Non-alcoholic beverages |
| This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 100/2019 (2 pages, in Arabic) that gives producers and importers a six-month transitional period to comply with Egyptian Standard ES 1765/2016 "Non-Alcoholic Barley Drink" that has already been mandated by the Ministerial Decree No. 130/2005 which was formerly notified in G/SPS/N/EGY/68 dated on 14 August 2015 and G/SPS/N/EGY/68/Add.1 dated 12 August 2016.  Worth mentioning is that this standard has been partially modified in the following items:   * Deletes the clause 3/11/2, Salmonella in 25 ml; * Item 5/2/5 adds the date of production and the expiry date or validity period (may this data not be added in the case of multi-cycle glass bottles with a volume not exceeding 250 ml).   Producers and importers are kept informed of any amendments in the Egyptian standard through the publication of administrative orders in the official gazette.  Proposed date of adoption: 7 February 2019.  Proposed date of entry into force: 7 March 2019. |
| **This addendum concerns a:** |
| [ ] Modification of final date for comments |
| [**X**] Notification of adoption, publication or entry into force of regulation |
| [ ] Modification of content and/or scope of previously notified draft regulation |
| [ ] Withdrawal of proposed regulation |
| [ ] Change in proposed date of adoption, publication or date of entry into force |
| [ ] Other: |
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