NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** India  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) |
| **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):** Animal Feed |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[****X] All trading partners**  **[ ]** **Specific regions or countries:** |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Direction under 18 (2)(d) read with Section 16 (5) of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 dated 27 January 2020 regarding operationalization of Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Additives) Amendment Regulations, 2020. **Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** 2 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Amendment in Food Safety and Standards (Food Product Standards and Food Additives) Regulation, 2011 w.r.t. the proviso for the requirements of animal feed. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X] food safety, [ ]****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:** To address the safety issue in the foods of animal origin identified in the recent quality and safety surveys conducted in India. One such example is presence of aflatoxin M1 in the milk samples which primarily comes through feed and fodder. |
| **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)*:**  **[ ]** **International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM number)*:**  **[****X] None**  **Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?**  **[ ]** **Yes [****X] 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:**  File No. 1-95/Std/Misc/SP(L&C/A)/FSSAI-2015-Pt-2  <https://www.fssai.gov.in/advisories.php> (available in English) |
| **11.** | **Date of entry into force (*dd/mm/yy*)/period of application (as applicable):** 27 January 2020  **[ ]** **Trade facilitating measure** |
| **12.** | **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ]****National Notification Authority, [****X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:**  Mr. P. Karthikeyan, Deputy Director  SPS Enquiry Point,  Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI)  FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road  New Delhi-110002, India  Tel: +(011) 2323 7419  Fax: +(011) 2322 0994  Email: spstbt.enqpt@fssai.gov.in  Website: <http://www.fssai.gov.in/> |
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