NOTIFICATION

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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 |
| **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):** Poultry, poultry products and eggs |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[ ]** **All trading partners**  **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Bulgaria, Czech Republic, France, United Kingdom |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Letter of the Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance of 20 October 2017 No. FS-KS-22641. **Language(s):** Russian. **Number of pages:** 2  <http://www.fsvps.ru/fsvps/download/attachment/110565/22641.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Letter eliminates temporary restrictions on:   * poultry and hatching eggs from the entire territories of the Czech Republic and the United Kingdom; * hatching eggs and live poultry, poultry meat heat-treated poultry products from the entire territory of Bulgaria; * hatching eggs and live poultry from the departments Dordogne, Haute-Vienne, Aveyron, Haute-Garonne (France); * - poultry meat, heat-treated poultry products and other poultry products from the entire territory of France (except departments of Lot and Garonne, Gers, Landes, Pyrénées-Atlantiques, Hautes-Pyrénées and Nord). |
| **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.** | **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 10.4  **[ ]** **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:** |
| **9.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:** |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Not applicable  **Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Not applicable |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [ ]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** 23 October 2017  **[ ]** **Trade facilitating measure** |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [ ]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Not applicable  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ]****National Notification Authority, [ ]****National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:**  The Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance  Orlikov pereulok 1/11  107139 Moscow  Tel: +(7 499) 975 43 47  Fax: +(7 495) 607 51 11  E-mail: info@svfk.mcx.ru |
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