NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Russian Federation**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** The Eurasian Economic Commission |
| **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):** Goods (products) subject to phytosanitary control |
| **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:** Eurasian Economic Commission Council Draft Decision on amendments to the Customs Union Commission Decision as of 18 June 2010 No. 318.**Language(s):** Russian. **Number of pages:** 12<https://docs.eaeunion.org/ria/ru-ru/0104526/ria_23032021><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/RUS/21_2471_00_x.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The draft provides for few changes in the use of electronic form of commercial, transport (shipping) documents and phytosanitary certificates by the competent authorities within the framework of quarantine phytosanitary control (supervision), as well as in conveying the results of quarantine phytosanitary control (supervision) in electronic form via information systems of the competent authorities. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [ ]****food safety, [ ]****animal health, [****X]****plant protection, [ ]****protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [****X]****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)*:** **[ ]****World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:** **[****X]** **International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM number)*:** International standards for phytosanitary measures No. 7, No. 12**[ ]****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)*:** To be determined.**Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined. |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [ ]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined.**[****X]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [ ]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 5 June 2021**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 Eurasian Economic Commission Department for sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary measures 2 Letnikovskaya St., bld.1/2 115114 Moscow, Russian Federation Tel: +(7 495) 669 2400 (ext. 5197) Fax: +(7 495) 669 2415 E-mail: info@eecommission.org  dept\_sps@eecommission.org |
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