NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Ukraine  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine |
| **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):** Pesticides and agrochemicals |
| **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:** The draft Law "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on Improving State Regulation in the Sphere of Pesticides and Agrochemicals".**Language(s):** Ukrainian. **Number of pages:** 8  <http://w1.c1.rada.gov.ua/pls/zweb2/webproc4_1?pf3511=70775>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/UKR/21_3597_00_x.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The draft Law refers to:  - labelling requirements for pesticides and agrochemicals;  - the procedure for state registration of preparations;  - the removal of provisions for special raw material zones intended for the cultivation of products for children's and dietary nutrition;  - harmonizing definitions of terms in accordance with the definitions under EU law;  - eliminating duplication of authority and excessive government regulation;  - strengthening the control over counterfeit pesticides and agrochemicals.  The draft Law is also notified in accordance with the provisions of the TBT Agreement. |
| **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.** | **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 [ ]****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:** Laws of Ukraine "On Pesticides and Agrochemicals", "On Insurance", "On Infant Food", "On Licensing of Economic Activities" (available in Ukrainian) |
| **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)*:** This Law shall enter into force on the day following the day of its publication and shall be enacted three months after its publication, except for item "b" of subchapter 8 of chapter 1 of the Section I (refers to requirements on packaging and labelling), which shall enter into force one year after its publication.  **[ ]****Trade facilitating measure** |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [****X]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 20 July 2021  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****X]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:** |
| **13.** | **Text(s) available from: [****X]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:** |