NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** UKRAINE**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food 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):** Chicken eggs |
| **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:** Draft Order of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine "On the Approval of the Requirements for Chicken Eggs".**Language(s):** Ukrainian. **Number of pages:** 20[https://minagro.gov.ua/npa/pro-zatverdzhennya-vimog-do-kuryachih-yayec](https://minagro.gov.ua/npa/pro-zatverdzhennya-vimog-do-kuryachih-yayec%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/UKR/23_0833_00_x.pdf><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/UKR/23_0833_01_x.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The draft Order provides for approving the requirements for chicken eggs (hereinafter – the Requirements) in terms of:* sorting of eggs by quality and weight;
* stamping of eggs, labelling of packages (containers) and transport containers for eggs, containers for industrial eggs and providing information to the consumer in the case of individual sales of eggs;
* packaging and repackaging of eggs, and record-keeping requirements to be maintained by market operators.

Chicken eggs imported (sent) to the customs territory of Ukraine have to comply with the provisions of Sections I-IV of the Requirements, or equivalent requirements of the exporting country.The draft Order is developed taking into account the following legal acts of the European Union:* Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 establishing a common organisation of the markets in agricultural products and repealing Council Regulations (EEC) No 922/72, (EEC) No 234/79, (EC) No 1037/2001 and (EC) No 1234/2007;
* Commission Regulation (EC) No 589/2008 of 23 June 2008 laying down detailed rules for implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 as regards marketing standards for eggs;
* Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 laying down specific hygiene rules for food of animal origin;
* Commission Directive 2002/4/EC of 30 January 2002 on the registration of establishments keeping laying hens, covered by Council Directive 1999/74/EC;
* Council Directive 1999/74/EC of 19 July 1999 laying down minimum standards for the protection of laying hens.

The draft Order is also notified under the TBT Agreement. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X]****food safety, [****]****animal health, [****]****plant protection, [****X]****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 the Basic Principles and Requirements for Food Safety and Quality", "On State Control over Compliance with Legislation on Food, Feed, Animal By-products, Animal Health and Welfare", "On Information to Consumers Regarding Food Products", "On Basic Principles and Requirements for Organic Production, Circulation and Labelling of Organic Products" (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)*:** The Order will enter into force on the day of its official publication and will be enacted on 1 January 2028.**[****]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [****X]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 1 April 2023**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:** Ministry of Economу of UkraineDepartment for Trade Agreements and Export Development12/2 Hrushevskoho Str.Tel: +(38 044) 596 6839Fax: +(38 044) 596 6839E-mail: ep@me.gov.uaWebsite: <https://www.me.gov.ua> |
| **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:**  |