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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

1. Notifying Member: THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU

NOTIFICATION

If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: Food and Drug Administration, Ministry of Health and Welfare
- 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): Dairy products for food purpose under HS Codes 0401, 0402, 0403, 0404, 0405 and 0406.
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
 - [X] All trading partners
 - [] Specific regions or countries:
- **Title of the notified document:** TFDA requires the import of dairy products for food purpose be accompanied by official certificates issued by the competent authority of the exporting country.. **Language(s):** Chinese and English. **Number of pages:** 1
- **6. Description of content:** TFDA requires that the import of dairy products for food purpose shall be accompanied with official certificates. The requirements are as follows:
 - 1. The import of dairy products for food purpose shall be accompanied by official certificates issued by the competent authority of the exporting country indicating that the attested products are suitable "for human consumption", or "in compliance with relevant food safety and sanitary regulations";
 - 2. The requirements apply to products of HS Codes are 0401, 0402, 0403, 0404, 0405 and 0406.
- 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:
 - [X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): CODEX ALIMENTARIUS-FOOD IMPORT AND EXPORT INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION SYSTEMS
 - [X] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Chapter 8 and 10.
 - [] 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): 1 May 2020
 Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 5 February 2020
- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 1 May 2020
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 5 February 2020

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:

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13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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輸入乳製品供食品用途應檢附輸出國官方衛生證明文件 Imported dairy products for food purpose shall be accompanied with official certificates issued by the competent authority of the exporting country

一、輸入乳製品供食品用途,應檢附含有可供人食用或符合輸出國食品安全衛生相關規定等同意義字樣之輸出國官方衛生證明文件。

The import of dairy products for food purpose shall be accompanied with official certificates issued by the competent authority of the exporting country indicating that the attested products are suitable "for human consumption", or "in compliance with relevant food safety and sanitary regulations".

二、實施範圍為 HS Codes 0401、0402、0403、0404、0405 及 0406 項下之乳製品。

The requirements apply to dairy products of HS Codes are 0401 \cdot 0402 \cdot 0403 \cdot 0404 \cdot 0405 and 0406.