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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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## NOTIFICATION

1.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>REPUBLIC OF KOREA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Korea Food and Drug Administration
3.	<b>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):</b> Children' favorite food
4.	<b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners, or <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> Proposed Draft Standards for Designation of Enterprises Caring for Children's Health <b>Language:</b> Korean <b>Number of pages:</b> 9
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> – To establish standards to designate companies that contribute to improving safety and nutrition of children's favorite food and meal service for children as Enterprises Caring for Children's Health
7.	<b>Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	<b>Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission ( <i>e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text</i> ) <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) ( <i>e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number</i> ) <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention ( <i>e.g. ISPM N*</i> ) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>

9.	<b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b> The Korea Food and Drug Administration Advance Notice No. 2009-51, 24 February 2009 (available in Korean)
10.	<b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined. <b>Propose date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.
11.	<b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. <input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure
12.	<b>Final date for comments:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 20 March 2009 <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. <b>Address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:</b>  International Trade & Cooperation Team Korea Food and Drug Administration #194 Tongilro, Eunpyeong-gu Seoul, 122-704 Korea Tel: +(82 2) 380 1661 Fax: +(82 2) 356 2893 E-mail: wtokfda@kfda.go.kr
13.	<b>Texts available from:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. <b>Address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:</b>  Documents are available from the Korea Food and Drug Administration website at <a href="http://www.kfda.go.kr">www.kfda.go.kr</a> . Also available from:  International Trade & Cooperation Team Korea Food and Drug Administration #194 Tongilro, Eunpyeong-gu Seoul, 122-704 Korea Tel: +(82 2) 380 1661 Fax: +(82 2) 356 2893 E-mail: wtokfda@kfda.go.kr