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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

| 1. | Notif  | ying Member: PHILIPPINES   |  |
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|    | If app   | plicable, name of local government involved:   |  |
| 2. | <b>Agen</b><br>Stand   | cy responsible: Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries ards  |  |
| 3. | sched  | 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): Eggs, day-old chicks   |  |
| 4. | Regio  | ons or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:   |  |
|    | [X]  | All trading partners   |  |
|    | []   | Specific regions or countries:   |  |
| 5. | Anima  | of the notified document: Draft of the Philippine National Standard Code of Good Husbandry Practice for Hatchery for Posting in the World Trade Organization's ) Website for Comments. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 9                      |  |
|    | <u>https:</u>  | //members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/SPS/PHL/18 2103 00 e.pdf   |  |
| 6. | from   | <b>Description of content:</b> This code covers the handling and processing of hatching eggs from the time of receiving up to the dispatch of day-old chicks/poults in hatchery operation. This code also includes the hatching eggs from game fowl. |  |
| 7. | [X] p  | Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] 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):   |  |
|    | [X]  | World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): OIE, Terrestrial Animal Health – Hygiene and Disease Security Procedures in Poultry Breeding Flocks and Hatcheries, 2015                |  |
|    | []   | 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. | Othe   | 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.
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 18 June 2018

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