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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

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| 1. | Notifying Member: <u>UKRAINE</u> If applicable, name of local government involved: |
| 2. | Agency responsible: State Veterinary and Phytosanitary Service 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): Animals, products, raw materials and reproductive material |
| 4. | Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries: Poland |
| 5. | Title of the notified document: Notice #15-9-1-23/4531 as of 18 February 2014 of the Chief State Inspector of Veterinary Medicine of Ukraine on prohibition of import of live pigs, pork products and raw materials into the territory of Ukraine from the territory of the Republic of Poland Language(s): Ukrainian Number of pages: 1 http://vet.gov.ua/node/1116 |
| 6. | Description of content: According to the official announcement of the International Epizootic Bureau as of 17 February 2014 is registered the disease of African swine fever (ASF) in the territory of Poland. In order to avoid entering the disease into the territory of Ukraine, the decision of the Inspector of Veterinary Medicine of Ukraine as of 18 February 2014 temporarily prohibits import from the Republic of Poland of live animals, animal products susceptible to detected disease such as raw and reproductive material from them. |
| 7. | Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" 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. | Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number) <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number) <input type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard: |

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| 9. | Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: |
| 10. | Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 18 February 2014 Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 18 February 2014 |
| 11. | Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 18 February 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure |
| 12. | Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 3 May 2014 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: |
| 13. | Texts available from: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: |