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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

- 1. Notifying Member: <u>UKRAINE</u>
 If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
- 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources Of Ukraine
 Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website
 addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments
 regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:

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- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Food products
- **5. Title**, **number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Resolution "On Approval of the Technical Regulation on ecological labelling" (17 pages, in Ukrainian).
- 6. Description of content: The main purpose of the draft Resolution "On Approval of the Technical Regulation on ecological labelling" is an establishing and enforcement of ecological labeling and introducing accurate, transparent and accessible system to inform consumers about the environmental aspects and improved environmental performance of products on the market of Ukraine. The Technical Regulation establishes the rules on ecological labelling with consideration of the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 66/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2009 On the EU Ecolabel.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The aim of the proposed measure is to stimulate market participants to improve the environmental performance of production and lead to the facilitation of international trade through approximation of the Ukrainian legislation to EU regulations.
- 8. Relevant documents: Regulation (EC) No 66/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2009

9. Proposed date of adoption: 1 November 2014Proposed date of entry into force: 2 May 2015

10. **Final date for comments**: 60 days from notification

11. Text available from: National enquiry point [X], or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:

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