NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Kazakhstan  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan |
| **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):** Live sheep, goats and other animals susceptible to sheep and goat pox, genetic material, products obtained from sheep and goats (meat, meat products, milk and dairy products, other raw materials and products obtained from slaughtering of sheep and goats (not undergone heat treatment sufficient to elimination of pathogenic microorganisms), used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and processing of sheep and goats, hunting trophies from susceptible animal species, feed and feed additives containing processed products of sheep and goats (not undergone heat treatment at temperature no less than 70 °C) |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[ ]** **All trading partners**  **[****X] Specific regions or countries:** Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** The letter of the Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan on the introduction of temporary restrictions on the importation into the territory of Kazakhstan of live sheep, goats and other animals susceptible to sheep and goat pox, genetic material, products obtained from sheep and goats (meat, meat products, milk and dairy products, other raw materials and products obtained from slaughtering of sheep and goats (not undergone heat treatment sufficient to elimination of pathogenic microorganisms), used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and processing of sheep and goats, hunting trophies from susceptible animal species, feed and feed additives containing processed products of sheep and goats (not undergone heat treatment at temperature no less than 70 °C) from the Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation; as well as on the introduction of temporary restrictions on transit through the territory of Kazakhstan of live sheep and goats, originating from the Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation. **Language(s):** Kazakh, Russian. **Number of pages:**2 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** On the basis of the World Organization for Animal Health, the Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan reports outbreaks of sheep and goat pox in the Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation. In this regard, since 9 October 2019, temporary restrictions have been introduced:   1. on the importation into Kazakhstan from the Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation of:  * live sheep, goats and other animals susceptible to sheep and goat pox; genetic material; products obtained from sheep and goats (meat, meat products, milk and dairy products, other raw materials and products obtained from slaughtering of sheep and goats (not undergone heat treatment sufficient to elimination of pathogenic microorganisms); used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and processing of sheep and goats; hunting trophies from susceptible animal species; feed and feed additives containing processed products of sheep and goats (not undergone heat treatment at temperature no less than 70 °C);  1. on the transit through the territory of Kazakhstan of live sheep and goats originating from the Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation. |
| **7.** | **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.** | **Nature of the urgent problem(s) and reason for urgent action:** Due to outbreaks of sheep and goat pox in the Tverskaya and Voronezhskaya oblasts of the Russian Federation. |
| **9.** | **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)*:** Chapter 14.9 of the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code  **[ ]** **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:** |
| **10.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:** |
| **11.** | **Date of entry into force (*dd/mm/yy*)/period of application (as applicable):** 9 October 2019  **[****X] Trade facilitating measure** |
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