NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Food and Drug administration, Ministry of Health and Welfare |
| **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):** Egg products and products of animal oil |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[****X] All trading partners**  **[ ]** **Specific regions or countries:** |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** The Draft of Amendment of the Regulation for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food. **Language(s):** Chinese. **Number of pages:** 4  <http://www.fda.gov.tw/TC/news.aspx?cid=3> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The announcement of the draft for the amendment of the Regulation for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food for comment. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X] food safety, [ ]****animal health, [ ]****plant protection, [ ]****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:**  **[****X] Codex Alimentarius Commission *(e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)*:**Guidelines for the Design, Operation, Assessment and Accreditation of Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems  **[ ]** **World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:**  **[ ]** **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.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:**   1. Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation   (<https://law.moj.gov.tw/Eng/LawClass/LawAll.aspx?PCode=L0040001>)   1. Regulations for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food   (<https://law.moj.gov.tw/Eng/LawClass/LawAll.aspx?PCode=L0040114>)  (available in English) |
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| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [ ]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 30 June 2018  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****X] National Notification Authority, [ ]****National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:**  Food and Drug Administration, Ministry of Health and welfare  No.161-2, Kunyang St, Nangang District, Taipei City 115-61, Taiwan  Fax: +(886 2) 2653 1062  E-mail: lydialin1109@fda.gov.tw |
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