NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Turkey  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock/ General Directorate of Food and Control  **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:**  Turkey-TBT Enquiry Point  Ministry of Economy  DG of Product Safety and Inspection  Söğütözü Mah. 2180 Cad. No:63  06530  Çankaya/Ankara - TÜRKİYE  Telefon: +90 312 204 89 40  Fax: +90 312 212 68 64  E-mail: [tbt@ekonomi.gov.tr](mailto:tbt@ekonomi.gov.tr)  Website: <http://www.teknikengel.gov.tr> |
| **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):** Drinking milk |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Turkish Food Codex Communique On Drinking Milks (9 page(s), in English; 9 page(s), in Turkish) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Communiqué covers drinking milks. It does not cover the raw milk. The Communiqué specifies the characteristics of drinking milk for its production, storage, transportation and marketing hygienically and in accordance with the relevant technique. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** Veterinary, Phytosanitary, Food and Feed Law No: 5996 (G/SPS/N/TUR/9) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 31 July 2018  **Proposed date of entry into force:**At the date of publication. But six months adaptation period is given. |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  Turkey-TBT Enquiry Point Ministry of Economy  DG of Product Safety and Inspection Sogutozu Mah. 2180 Cad. No:63  06530  Cankaya/Ankara - Turkey  Telefon: +90 312 204 89 40 Fax: +90 312 212 68 64 E-mail: [tbt@ekonomi.gov.tr](mailto:tbt@ekonomi.gov.tr) Website: <http://www.teknikengel.gov.tr>  OR  The electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:  Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock DG of Food and Control Address: Eskisehir Yolu 9. Km. Lodumlu-Ankara/TURKEY  Tel: +(90 312) 258 77 22 Fax: +(90 312) 258 7760 Website: <http://www.tarim.gov.tr>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/TUR/18_2509_00_e.pdf>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/TUR/18_2509_00_x.pdf> |