| 1. | Notifying Member: | INDONESIA |
|    | If applicable, name of local government involved: | |
| 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): | poultry and/or poultry products |
| 4. | Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: | Specific regions or countries: The People's Republic of China |
| 5. | Title of the notified document: | Regulation of the Minister of Agriculture No. 44/Permentan/OT.140/4/2013 concerning Import Prohibition of Poultry and/or Poultry Products from the People's Republic of China Into the Territory of The Republic of Indonesia. Language(s): Indonesian Number of pages: 5 |
| 6. | Description of content: | The measure is based on the OIE report and following the outbreak of Low Pathogenic Avian Influenza (LPAI) that affected pigeons in Songjiang, Shanghai on 4 April 2013. This is caused by Avian Influenza Virus sub type H7N9 that has caused death in humans and has the potential to cause an avian influenza pandemic in many countries in the world. The Indonesian Government is taking urgent measures to prohibit importation of poultry and/or poultry products which might be a possible media for transmission of Avian Influenza Virus sub type H7N9 from the People's Republic of China. This measure applies for poultry and/or poultry products that shipped after 3 April 2013. The prohibited commodities are poultry, non-food poultry products, and poultry products for food. Poultry and/or poultry products that shipped before 4 April 2013 need to be accompanied with official documents such as (i) Certificate of Health issued by an authorized institution in the People's Republic of China; (ii) Certificate of Origin; and (iii) Bill of Lading. The importation of poultry and/or poultry products from the People's Republic of China can be considered after: (i) the OIE states that China is free from LPAI disease sub-type H7N9; (ii) the WHO states that there are no more cases of human deaths due to H7N9; (iii) studies on risk analysis being conducted. The Indonesian Government will evaluate the outbreak of LPAI sub-type H7N9 in the People's Republic of China every 3 (three) months based on the OIE and WHO Report. |
| 7. | Objective and rationale: | food safety, animal health, plant protection, 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 risk of transmission of LPAI sub-type H7N9 agent to humans through consumption of infected poultry and/or poultry products, the Government of Indonesia has imposed a temporary prohibition on the importation of poultry and/or poultry products from the People's Republic of China. This emergency action is necessary to maintain the territory of the Republic of Indonesia free from LPAI sub-type H7N9.

9. **Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:**
   - [X] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*
   - [ ] Codex Alimentarius Commission *(e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)*
   - [ ] 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):** 10 April 2013

   - [ ] Trade facilitating measure

12. **Agency or authority designated to handle comments:** [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address *(if available)* of other body:

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