## NOTIFICATION

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<th>1. Notifying Member:</th>
<th><strong>INDONESIA</strong></th>
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<td>If applicable, name of local government involved:</td>
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<td>2. Agency responsible:</td>
<td>Indonesian National Agency for Drug and Food Control (NADFC)</td>
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<td>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):</td>
<td>Antioxidant as food additive</td>
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<td>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</td>
<td>[X] All trading partners</td>
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<td>5. Title of the notified document:</td>
<td>Regulation of the Head of Indonesian National Agency for Drug and Food Control No. 38 of 2013 concerning the Maximum Limit of Antioxidant as Food Additive</td>
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<td>[ ] Specific regions or countries:</td>
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<td>6. Description of content:</td>
<td>This regulation specified the maximum level requirement of antioxidant as food additive in processed food. The names of food additives allowed to be used as antioxidant are:</td>
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<td>9. Erythorbic acid;</td>
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<td>10. Sodium erythorbate;</td>
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<td>11. Tertiary butylhydroquinone (TBHQ);</td>
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<td>12. Butylated hydroxyanisole (BHA); and</td>
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<td>• The maximum level requirement of antioxidant in each food category is listed in Annex 1 as an integral part of this regulation.</td>
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<td>• The presence of antioxidant in processed food must be proven by a certificate of analysis.</td>
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<td>• The type and use of antioxidant other than that listed in Annex 1 should only be used after obtaining approval from the Head of NADFC.</td>
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<td>• The antioxidant and processed food containing antioxidant which has marketing approval must be adjusted to be in line with this regulation no later than one year from the date of enactment.</td>
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The antioxidant and processed food containing antioxidant which is submitted before the prevailing of this regulation will be processed based on the Regulation of Minister of Health No. 722/Menkes/Per/IX/1988 on Food Additive as amended by the Regulation of Minister of Health No. 1168/Menkes/Per/X/1999. The validity period of this marketing approval will be one year.

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)*
     - Codex General Standard for Food Additives
     - CODEX STAN 192-1995
   - [ ] 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 No. 18 of 2012 on Food
   2. Government Regulation Number 28 of 2004 on Food Safety, Quality and Nutrition
   3. Regulation of Minister of Health No. 033 of 2012 on Food Additives
      (available in Indonesian)

10. **Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):** 22 May 2013

11. **Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):** 5 June 2013

12. **Proposed date of entry into force:** [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 5 June 2013

   [ ] Trade facilitating measure

   **Final date for comments:** [ ] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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