

NOTIFICATION

Revision

1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>INDONESIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Indonesian Agricultural Quarantine Agency, Ministry of Agriculture
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): Fresh food of plant origin
4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: All countries
5. Title, language and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Decree of the Minister of Agriculture regarding Food Safety Control over the Import and Export of Fresh Food of Plant Origin. Complete text can be accessed in Website http://karantina.deptan.go.id (available in English, 42 pages)
6. Description of content: In order to assure the compliance of food safety requirements, as well as plant quarantine requirements, it is deemed necessary to carry out food safety control over the import of fresh food of plant origin at the designated points of entry, and to improve the competitiveness of Indonesia's fresh food of plant origin in the international market, it is deemed necessary to carry out food safety control over the export of fresh food of plant origin at the designated points of exit. This regulation is an implementation of the provision of Articles 36, 37 and 41 of the Government Regulation No. 28 of 2004 concerning Food Safety, Quality, and Nutrient. This draft regulation also substitutes the previous draft regulation that has been notified as G/SPS/N/IDN/32 dated 17 April 2007. This draft decree stipulates such requirements of import and export of fresh food of plant origin as: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. General provisions2. Institution of Food Safety for Fresh Food of Plant Origin (food safety competent authority and regulatory body for fresh food of plant origin; certification body; food safety certificate/document; food safety re-export certificate/document)3. The mechanisms of recognition on food safety control systems of exporting countries4. The mechanisms of equivalence agreement on food safety control systems5. Import (import from countries whose food safety control systems are recognized and have not been recognized yet, and from countries having equivalence agreements and have no equivalence agreement yet; prior notification; requirements)

	<p>6. Export (requirements and control)</p> <p>7. Laboratory testing</p>
7.	<p>Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests</p>
8.	<p>International standard, guideline or recommendation:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission, <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention, <input type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Principles for Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification (CAC/GL 20-1995) – Guidelines for Food Import and Export Control Systems (CAC/GL 47-2003) – Guidelines for the Design, Operation, Assessment and Accreditation of Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems (CAC/GL 26-1997) – Guidelines on the Judgment of Equivalence of Sanitary Measures Associated with Food Inspection and Certification Systems (CAC/GL 53-2003) – Codex Alimentarius Joint FAO/WHO Food Standards Program Volume 2B, Pesticide Residues in Food-Maximum Residue Limits, Second Edition, 2000 – Assuring Food Safety and Quality, Guidelines for Strengthening National Food Control Systems, FAO and WHO, 2003 – Codex General Standard for Contaminants and Toxins in Foods. CODEX STAN 193-1995, Rev.2-2006
9.	<p>Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Government Regulation No. 28 of 2004 concerning Food Safety, Quality, and Nutrient (Articles 36, 37 and 41)</p>
10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption: To be determined.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined.</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: 60 days after publication</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National notification authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Indonesian Agricultural Quarantine Agency Ministry of Agriculture Jl. Harsono RM No. 3 E Building 7th Floor Ragunan, Jakarta Selatan 12550 Indonesia Tel: +(62) 21 781 6480 Fax: +(62) 21 781 6481/781 6483 E-mail: caqsps@indo.net.id sps_ind@deptan.go.id Website: http://karantina.deptan.go.id</p>

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