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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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## NOTIFICATION 臺灣 修正通知一食品及其相關產品

Revision

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1. Notifying Member: THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU

## If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):

## 2. Agency responsible:

Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Ministry of Health and Welfare (MOHW) No.161-2, Kunyang St, Nangang District Taipei City 115-61, Taiwan Telephone: (886-2) 2787-8000 ext 7354 Fax: (886-2) 2653-1062 E-mail: <u>chelsea2237@fda.gov.tw</u>

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:

- 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): Food and relevant products
- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft of Regulations Governing Traceability of Foods and Relevant Products (8 page(s), in English; 7 page(s), in Chinese)
- 6. Description of content: The Food and Drug Administration, Ministry of Health and Welfare, proposes to amend the "Regulations Governing Traceability of Foods and Relevant Products" according to Paragraph 5 of Article 9 of the Act Governing Food and Safety Sanitation, which authorizes the central competent authority to prescribe matters to be recorded and other matters to be complied with for the traceability system. The amendments, proposed to enhance food safety and effective management, would require that food businesses shall establish traceability system information, including (1) labelling information of food containing ingredients of genetically modified organisms, (2) recalled products information, (3) returned products information, (4) inferior (including discarded items) products information. (5) inventory materials and products information, (6) pass expiry date products information. (The proposed amended text was highlighted in red in the attached documents.)
  Matter Products and the product of the proposed amended text was highlighted in red in the attached documents.

系統之事項之規定,提案修正「食品及其相關產品追溯追蹤系統管理辦法」。此項修正係為提升食品安全 及有效管理,要求食品業者必須建立追中系統資訊,包括(1)產品含基因改造食品原料標示資訊、(2)回收產 品資訊、(3)銷貨退回產品資訊、(4)不良(含報廢)產品資訊、(5)庫存原材料和產品資訊、(6)逾有效日期產

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	品資訊。
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Protection of human health or safety; Consumer information
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b> Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation, Enforcement Rules of the Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation, Regulations Governing Traceability of Foods and Relevant Products, Food Businesses Shall Establish Traceability System of Food Products,
9.	Proposed date of adoption: To be determined
	Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone or fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:
	WTO/TBT Enquiry Point The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection Ministry of Economic Affairs 4 Chinan Road, Section 1 Taipei City 100, Taiwan Tel: (886 2) 2343-1813 Fax: (886-2) 2343-1804 E-mail: <u>tbtenq@bsmi.gov.tw</u>
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