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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: VIET NAM If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Vietnam Food Administration, Ministry of Health 138A Giang Vo, Ba Dinh District, Hanoi, Vietnam Tel: +(84 4) 3846 4489/ +(84 4) 3846 3702 Fax: +(84 4) 3846 3739 Email: phongtckn@gmail.com Website: http://www.vfa.gov.vn 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 additives (ICS 67.220.20).
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Circular on management and use of food additives (430 page(s), in Vietnamese)
6. Description of content: This draft Circular regulates the management and use of food additives, including list of permitted food additives and maximum level in food commodities. This draft Circular applies to organizations and individuals who produce, trade and import food additives, food containing food additives for circulation in Vietnam and relevant agencies, organizations and individuals.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8. Relevant documents: Codex stan 192-1995 (version 2017)
9. Proposed date of adoption: 31 October 2018 Proposed date of entry into force: 15 December 2018
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:

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