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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>INDIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Husbandry and Dairying
3.	Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable). Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: All livestock products, including meat and meat products of all kinds including fresh, chilled and frozen meat, tissue or organs of poultry, pig, sheep, goat; egg and egg powder; milk and milk products; bovine, ovine and caprine embryos, ova or semen; and pet food products of animal origin.
4.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Notification S.O. 655(E)/F No. 109-6/2001 – Trade dated 7 July 2001 (9 pages)
5.	Description of content: To restrict and regulate the import of all livestock products as in item 3 above in such a manner that they do not bring in diseases which could adversely affect the health and safety of the human and animal population. Imports will be permitted against sanitary import permits issued after conducts of import risk analysis with regard to the disease situation in the exporting country.
6.	Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests
7.	An international standard, guideline or recommendation does not exist <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> . If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:
8.	Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: The Gazette of India Extraordinary Part II – Section 3 – Sub-section (ii) (available in English and Hindi)
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 9 July 2001
10.	Proposed date of entry into force: 9 July 2001
11.	Final date for comments: Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National notification authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:
12.	Texts available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National notification authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National enquiry point and address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:

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