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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>CROATIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry (MAF)
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): Live bovine, sheep, caprine, porcine animals, domestic poultry and fish, and products thereof
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: Countries without a total ban on feeding food animals with processed animal proteins. Does not apply to milk, dairy products and milk substitutes intended for feeding of animals, fish-meal for feeding of animals, except ruminants, dicalcium phosphate which is not produced in animal waste processing establishments, gelatine which does not originate from ruminants.
5.	Title, language and number of pages of the notified document: Ordinance on prohibition of importation into the Republic of Croatia of live animals and products of animal origin in order to prevent entering into the Republic of Croatia of transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (Available in Croatian, 1 page)
6.	Description of content: In Croatia there is a total ban on use of proteins of animal origin for feeding to animals intended for human consumption.
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] animal health, [] plant protection, [X] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests
8.	International standard, guideline or recommendation: [] Codex Alimentarius Commission, [] Office International des Epizooties, [] International Plant Protection Convention, [X] None If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:
9.	Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Ordinance on prohibition of importation into the Republic of Croatia of live animals and products of animal origin in order to prevent entering into the Republic of Croatia of transmissible spongiform encephalopathies, Gezette No. 111/03 (Available in Croatian)
10.	Proposed date of adoption:
11.	Proposed date of entry into force:

12. Final date for comments:

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: ☐ National notification authority, ☐ National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:

13. Texts available from: ☒ National notification authority, ☐ National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:

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