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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>INDIA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India
<b>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):</b> Quick frozen french fried potatoes; Canned chestnuts; Canned chestnut puree; Edible fungus products, Ginger (sonth, adrak); Ginger (sonth, adrak); Tomato ketchup; Tomato sauce
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>All trading partners</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Specific regions or countries:</b>
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> Draft Food Safety and Standards (Food Product Standards and Food Additives) Amendment Regulations, 2017. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 12
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Draft Food Safety and Standards (Food Product Standards and Food Additives) Amendment Regulations, 2017 details standards of quick frozen french fried potatoes; Canned chestnuts; Canned chestnut puree; Edible fungus products, Ginger (sonth, adrak); Ginger (sonth, adrak); Tomato ketchup; Tomato sauce.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <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.
<b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</b> CODEX STAN 114-1981, CODEX STAN 39-1981, CODEX STAN 145-1985 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>None</b> <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>

<p><b>9.</b></p>	<p><b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b>  F.No.Stds/F&amp;VP/Notifications(05)/FSSAI-2016  <a href="http://www.fssai.gov.in/home/fss-legislation/wto-notifications/wto-sps-notifications.html">http://www.fssai.gov.in/home/fss-legislation/wto-notifications/wto-sps-notifications.html</a></p>
<p><b>10.</b></p>	<p><b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> Yet to be decided.  <b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> Yet to be decided.</p>
<p><b>11.</b></p>	<p><b>Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.  [ ] <b>Trade facilitating measure</b></p>
<p><b>12.</b></p>	<p><b>Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 31 March 2018  <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b>  Mr P. Karthikeyan  Assistant Director  SPS Enquiry Point  Food Safety and standards Authority of India (FSSAI)  FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road  New Delhi - 110002, India  Tel: +(011) 23231681  Fax: +(011) 23220994  E-mail: spstbt.enqpt@fssai.gov.in  Website: <a href="http://www.fssai.gov.in/home">http://www.fssai.gov.in/home</a></p>
<p><b>13.</b></p>	<p><b>Text(s) available from: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b>  Website of the food Safety and Standards Authority of India,  <a href="http://www.fssai.gov.in/home">http://www.fssai.gov.in/home</a>.  Mr P. Karthikeyan  Assistant Director  SPS Enquiry Point  Food Safety and standards Authority of India (FSSAI)  FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road  New Delhi - 110002, India  Tel: +(011) 23231681  Fax: +(011) 23220994  E-mail: spstbt.enqpt@fssai.gov.in  Website: <a href="http://www.fssai.gov.in/home">http://www.fssai.gov.in/home</a></p>