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**Malaysia’s NTM Descriptions for the ASEAN Trade Repository (ATR):**

**Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures**

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1. **SPS Measures under the Ministry of Agriculture and Agro-based Industry (MOA)**

| **Item No.** | **Proposed NTM Description** |
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| 1 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Legislation of Act 728: Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services Act 2011, 18 August 2011**URL for Web-linkage:**[http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20(25.08.2015).pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)**Description:** This measure *[Part V, Section 11(1)*] provides the requirement for a permit, licence or certificate from the Department of Quarantine and Inspection Services prior to importation of any plant, animal, carcass, fish, agricultural produce, soil or microorganism into Malaysia. This is to allow the relevant government agency or department to verify whether the import consignment has passed the requirements (e.g. volume, type of product, etc.) prescribed under the said Act. |
| 2 | **NTMs Database:** A86 Quarantine requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.6**Title:** P.U.(A)116 Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (Quarantine and Inspection) Regulation 2013, 28 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN+MAQIS\_KUARANTIN+DAN+PEMERIKSAAN\_2013.pdf/8e45cebd-25d9-47f7-af8c-1e67cd49b1b1](http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua_20170404_P.U.%28A%29103_Import.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[P.U.(A)116, Part III Regulation 17-29 & P.U.(A)115, Schedule 4, derived from Section 49, Act 728]* provides the quarantine requirements, as well as the related fees and charges for the quarantine and quarantine procedures as reflected in the Fourth Schedule of P.U.(A)115 Malaysian of Quarantine and Inspection Services (Fees and Charges) Regulation 2013 ([http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN+MAQIS\_FI+DAN+CAJ\_2013.pdf/681989b1-e18f-4a2f-837a-ba97ea1e5838](http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN%2BMAQIS_FI%2BDAN%2BCAJ_2013.pdf/681989b1-e18f-4a2f-837a-ba97ea1e5838)*)*, as dictated by the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS), on the importation of any plant, animal, carcass, fish, agricultural produce, soil or microorganism into Malaysia. This is to avoid potential entry of pest, disease or any harmful organisms into Malaysia. |
| 3 | **NTMs Database:** A84 Inspection requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.4**Title:** P.U.(A)116 Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (Quarantine and Inspection) Regulation 2013, 28 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN+MAQIS\_KUARANTIN+DAN+PEMERIKSAAN\_2013.pdf/8e45cebd-25d9-47f7-af8c-1e67cd49b1b1](http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN%2BMAQIS_KUARANTIN%2BDAN%2BPEMERIKSAAN_2013.pdf/8e45cebd-25d9-47f7-af8c-1e67cd49b1b1)**Description:** This measure *[P.U.(A)116 Part II, Regulation 9, 10]* provides the inspection requirements, as well as the related fees and charges for import inspection as reflected in the Second Schedule of P.U.(A)115 Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (Fees and Charges) Regulation 2013 ([http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN+MAQIS\_KUARANTIN+DAN+PEMERIKSAAN\_2013.pdf/8e45cebd-25d9-47f7-af8c-1e67cd49b1b1](http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN%2BMAQIS_KUARANTIN%2BDAN%2BPEMERIKSAAN_2013.pdf/8e45cebd-25d9-47f7-af8c-1e67cd49b1b1)) by the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS) on the importation of any plant, animal, carcass, fish, agricultural produce, soil or microorganism into Malaysia. This is to ensure the consistency of the consignment with the import declaration and prohibit the entry of pest, disease, or harmful microorganism and/or any prohibited/illegal items into Malaysia. |
| 4 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Legislation of Act 698: Feed Act 2009, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Regulations%20%28Approval%20and%20Notification%29%202010.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Part III, Section 9 (1, 2); 10]* provides that an importer must secure a valid licence from the Department of Veterinary Services (DVS) prior to importing any feed or feed additive into Malaysia to ensure the protection of animal and human health.As a guide, the importer needs to refer to the following documents:* Procedures to Import Animal Feed into Malaysia: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php);
* Related forms and information for feed importation: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/409](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php);
* Importation of Pet Food: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1754](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
* Checklist for Feed or Feed Additives Import Licence Application: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist\_import\_license.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
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| 5 | **NTMs Database:** A15 Registration requirements for importers**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.5 **Title:** Procedures to Import Animal Feed into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Section 1]* provides that all importers of animal feed in Malaysia must register with the Animal Board Secretariat under the Animal Feed Section, Department of Veterinary Services, Malaysia (DVS) prior to import license application for animal feed or animal feed additive, in accordance with Section 9 of Act 698: Animal Feed Act 2009 ([http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)). This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 6 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Legislation of Act 698: Feed Act 2009, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf> **Description:** This measure *[Part III, Section 11 (b and c); Part IV, Section 17 (1)]* provides that importers of animal feed or feed additive that contains animal-based protein into Malaysia must submit a Certificate of Analysis (COA) endorsed by a competent authority, certifying that the product complied with the prescribed feed specifications and it is free from contamination. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health.In relation this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* Checklist for Feed or Feed Additives Import Licence Application: <http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist_import_license.pdf>
* Procedures to Import Animal Feed into Malaysia: (<http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf>)
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| 7 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Legislation of Act 698: Feed Act 2009, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Part III, Section 11 (a)]* provides that importers of animal feed or feed additive that contains animal-based protein into Malaysia must submit either a Certificate of Origin (COO) or Free Sale Certificate (FSC), issued by the competent authority from the exporting country, stating the country of origin of the imported product. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health.In relation this measure, importers need to refer to the following document:* Checklist for Feed or Feed Additives Import Licence Application: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist\_import\_license.pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20%28Act%20678%29.pdf)
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| 8 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20%2825.08.2015%29.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Section 3]* provides that each import consignment of pet food must be accompanied by a Veterinary Health Certificate, which is signed and endorsed by the competent veterinary authority of the country of origin, certifying that the pet food is safe and fit for animal consumption. It must be written in English and dated within 14 days of export. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* Section 3 of the *Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia* ([http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)) for the detailed specifications to be reflected in the Veterinary Health Certificate.
* Section 2.2 (4) of the *Procedures to Import Animal Feed into Malaysia* ([http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)) for the supporting documents to be attached together with the application form to import animal feed which contains animal based protein.
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| 9 | **NTMs Database:** A81 Product registration requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.1 **Title:** Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Section 1]* provides that pet food must be registered and licensed by the Animal Feed Board of Malaysia before the product is allowed to be imported into Malaysia. Registration shall be made to the Animal Feed Board Secretariat under Animal Feed Section, Development of Livestock Technology Resources Division, DVS Malaysia. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health.As a guide, the importer must refer to the below document:* *Checklist for Feed or Feed Additives Import Licence Application*([http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist\_import\_license.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf))
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| 10 | **NTMs Database:** A851 Origin materials (Traceability requirements)**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.5.1**Title:** Procedures to Import Animal Feed into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)**Description:** This measure *[Section 2.2 (1)]* provides that the application form for the importation of animal feed, which contain animal based protein, into Malaysia must be accompanied by the ingredient list for each product. Furthermore, the type and origin of raw materials and products must be reflected in the Veterinary Health Certificate as set out in the *Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia* ([http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)). This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 11 | **NTMs Database:** A852 Processing history (Traceability requirements)**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.5.2**Title:** Procedures to Import Animal Feed into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf>**Description:** This measure *[Section 2.2 (2)]* provides that the application form for the importation of animal feed, which contain animal based protein, into Malaysia must be accompanied by the process flow for each of the product, including the processing temperature and duration. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 12 | **NTMs Database:** A63 Food and feed processing**ATR Category:** 4.1.6.3**Title:** Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Section 3 (1 – 5)]* provides the requirements on how the feed production should take place to ensure that the pet food to be imported into Malaysia is safe and fit for animal consumption. These include the following: 1. The pet food has been manufactured entirely in the exporting country, in a manufacturing facility approved and monitored by the Competent Veterinary Authority of the exporting country.
2. The pet food contains animal protein derived from fish, poultry, cattle, goats, sheep, deer, swine and buffalo which healthy and not from diseased animal, or which died from contamination or outbreak.
3. The country of export is free from Bovine Spongiform Encephalopaty (BSE) and Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE), scrapie or in case the country not free from, BSE, TSE and scrapie, no cattle, buffalo deer, sheep and goat origin have been used to manufacture the pet food.
4. There has been no outbreak of foot and mouth disease (FMD) and highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) within 10 km radius of the manufacturing facility.
5. The pet food referred in the certificate has been subjected to the approved method of sterilization, or any other equivalent methods that would ensure destructions of HPAI virus.
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| 13 | **NTMs Database:** A51 Cold/heat treatment**ATR Category:** 4.1.5.1**Title:** Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Section 3.6]* provides that the pet food referred in the Veterinary Health Certificate has been subjected to heat treatment which has been proven to kill virus and bacteria (i.e. to reach an internal core temperature of at least 70 degrees centigrade for a period of not less than 30 minutes or to any equivalent treatment). This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 14 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Regulations%20%28Approval%20and%20Notification%29%202010.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Section 3 (7, 8)]* provides that necessary precaution has been taken to prevent contamination of the pet food referred in the Veterinary Health Certificate from pathogen and other harmful material, and that the products were packed and sealed directly into sterilized air tight packing/bags at the manufacturing plant. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 15 | **NTMs Database:** A33 Packaging requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.3**Title:** Regulations for the Importation of Pet Food into Malaysia, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Section 3.8]* provides that the pet food for importation into Malaysia must be packed and sealed directly into sterilized air tight packing/bags at the manufacturing plant. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 16 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions**ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Legislation of Act 698: Feed Act 2009, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Part IV, Section 18]* provides that all feeds or feed additives kept, stored or transported must comply with the prescribed conditions for proper keeping, storing and transporting of feeds or feed additives be stored or transported. In addition, each consignment of pet food imported into Malaysia shall be carried by ship or aircraft or any vehicle direct to the prescribed landing place or any other port in Malaysia, as set out in Section 4 of the *Regulations for the importation of Pet Food into Malaysia (*[http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user\_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/(R5)-Pet\_food-ANY\_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)). This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. |
| 17 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Animals Act 1953, 30 April 1953**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20647%20-%2011%209%202013.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)**Description:** This measure [*Section 6, 6A*] provides that a person intending to import any animals or birds into Malaysia, must secure an import permit from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS) prior to importation. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. In relation to this, importers need to refer to the following documents:* Animals (Importation) Order 1962, 9 October 1962 ([http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php))
* Animals Rules, 1962, 9 October 1962(<http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2397db.pdf>)
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| 18 | **NTMs Database:** A84 Inspection Requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.4 **Title:** Animals Act 1953, 30 April 1953**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20647%20-%2011%209%202013.pdf>**Description:** This measure [*Section 7*] provides that imported animals or birds into Malaysia must be examined by an enforcement officer at the entry points, quarantine stations or quarantine premises in accordance with MAQIS Act Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS) prior to importation. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. In relation to this, importers need to refer to the following documents:* Animals (Importation) Order 1962, 9 October 1962 (<http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf>)
* Animals Rules, 1962, 9 October 1962([http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2397db.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf))
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| 19 | **NTMs Database:** A13 Systems approach**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.3**Title:** Animals (Importation) Order 1962, 9 October 1962**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Regulations%20%28Approval%20and%20Notification%29%202010.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Order 2, Schedule 1]* sets out the conditions for the issuance of a written permit from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS) to allow the importation of any animals or birds into Malaysia. This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer the following documents:* The legal entry points for importation as indicated in First Schedule (Act 728): [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20(25.08.2015).pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) ,
* The import and export protocols of the approved countries and other requirements for importations: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20%28Sampling%20Procedures%29%20Regulations%202018.pdf) ; and
* Notification of any suspensions at: [https://epermit.dagangnet.com.my/epermit.jsp;jsessionid=F8B80BCFA8570676F98D8D861E1FB353](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20%28Act%20678%29.pdf)
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| 20 | **NTMs Database:** A13 Systems approach**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.3**Title:** Animals (Importation) Order 1962, 9 October 1962**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist_import_license.pdf) **Description**: This measure *[Order 3. (1) (a)-(c), Order 3(2), Second Schedule]* sets out the conditions concerning the importation of any carcass, meat, meat products, any part thereof, biological, vaccines or substances into Malaysia, prior to the issuance of an import licence from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS). This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health. In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* The legal entry points for importation as indicated in First Schedule (Act 728): [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20(25.08.2015).pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) ,
* The import and export protocols of the approved countries and other requirements for importations: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941](http://www.maqis.gov.my/documents/20182/30285/PERATURAN%2BMAQIS_KUARANTIN%2BDAN%2BPEMERIKSAAN_2013.pdf/8e45cebd-25d9-47f7-af8c-1e67cd49b1b1) ;
* List of approved foreign abattoirs by countries: <http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/299> ; and
* Notification of any suspensions at: <https://epermit.dagangnet.com.my/epermit.jsp;jsessionid=F8B80BCFA8570676F98D8D861E1FB353>
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| 21 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Animals (Importation) Order 1962, *9 October 1962***URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf> **Description:** This measure *[Order 3. (2), Second Schedule]* provides that a person intending to import any carcass or meat and meat products of any animal or bird into Malaysia, provided that the country of origin is free from diseases, must secure a written permission from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS), to import any carcases or products of the animals or birds into Malaysia must secure an import permit from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS). This is to ensure the protection of animal and human health.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* The legal entry points for importation as indicated in First Schedule (Act 728): [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20(25.08.2015).pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist_import_license.pdf) ,
* The import and export protocols of the approved countries and other requirements for importations: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf) ;
* List of approved foreign abattoirs by countries: [http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/299](http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/409) ; and
* Notification of any suspensions at: [https://epermit.dagangnet.com.my/epermit.jsp;jsessionid=F8B80BCFA8570676F98D8D861E1FB353](http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1754)
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| 22 | **NTMs Database:** A31 Labelling requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.3.1**Title:** Legislation of Act 698: Feed Act 2009, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf](https://epermit.dagangnet.com.my/epermit.jsp;jsessionid=F8B80BCFA8570676F98D8D861E1FB353) **Description:** This measure *[Part IV, Section 17(1), Section 18(1)]* provides that all feeds or feed additives imported, manufactured, distributed, possessed, sold or utilised for the feeding of animals must be labelled. The conditions for labelling of feed or feed additive are reflected in Section 2 of the Feed (Labelling of Feed or Feed Additive) Regulations 2012(<http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8e010781.pdf>). This is to ensure that all ingredients are safe for animal consumption. |
| 23 | **NTMs Database:** A86 Quarantine Requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.6**Title:** Animals Rules 1962, 9 October 1962**URL for Web-linkage:**[http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2397db.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Animal Rules 1962 Rule 4. (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)]* provides that any imported live animals and birds must undergo the necessary quarantine requirement as dictated by the Department of Veterinary Services (DVS). This is to ensure that only animals and birds that are healthy and free from diseases are released from quarantine.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* The legal entry points for importation as indicated in First Schedule and Quarantine Stations as indicated in Second Schedule (Act 728): [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20(25.08.2015).pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf) ,
* The import and export protocols of the approved countries and other requirements for importations: <http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941>; and
* Notification of any suspensions: <https://epermit.dagangnet.com.my/epermit.jsp;jsessionid=F8B80BCFA8570676F98D8D861E1FB353>
* Animal (Importation) Order 1962, Schedule 1:[*http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf*](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf)
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| 24 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Fish Marketing Regulations 2010, 9 April 2010**URL for Web-linkage:** [https://www.lkim.gov.my/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/Peraturan-Peraturan-Pemasaran-Ikan-2010-P.U.A-104-2010-BI.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20647%20-%2011%209%202013.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Schedule, Regulation 5(1) (3); 23(1)]* provides that a person intending to import any fish must obtain a license from the Fisheries Development Authority of Malaysia (LKIM) to ensure compliance with the product specifications (e.g. quality, quantity and type of fish) prior to importation. This is to ensure the safety of fishes for human consumption. |
| 25 | **NTMs Database:** A15 Registration requirements for importers**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.5 **Title:** Fisheries (Fish Disease Control, Compliance for Exports and Imports) Regulations 2012, 26 March 2012**URL for Web-linkage:** [https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/218](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/PSTT/Checklist/checklist_import_license.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Section 3.(a)]* provides that any person who imports fish and fishery products into Malaysia must comply with the fish disease control measures prescribed by the Department of Fisheries. This is to ensure protection of animal and human health.  |
| 26 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Fisheries (Import Prohibition, etc. of Fish) (Amendments) Regulations 2011, 10 March 2011**URL for Web-linkage:*** 1990 Regulation: [https://www.ecolex.org/details/legislation/fisheries-prohibition-of-import-etc-of-fish-regulations-1990-lex-faoc033181/](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)
* 2011 Amended Regulation: [https://www.ecolex.org/details/legislation/fisheries-prohibition-of-import-etc-of-fish-amendment-regulations-2011-lex-faoc102682/](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)

**Description:** This measure *[Section 2]* provides that a person intending to import, sell, cultivate or keep any live prawn or fish (of the genus as specified in the Schedule) in Malaysia must secure a written permission (i.e. Letter of Approval) from the Department of Fisheries. This is to ensure protection of the country’s biodiversity, as well as to control and manage diseases. |
| 27 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Fisheries (Fish Disease Control, Compliance for Exports and Imports) Regulations 2012, 26 March 2012**URL for Web-linkage:** [https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/218](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Regulation 3(c)]* provides that the importation of fish products into Malaysia must be accompanied by the original fish health certificate issued by the competent authority of the exporting country. |
| 28 | **NTMs Database:** A15 Registration requirements for importers**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.5**Title:** Legislation of Act 317: Fisheries Act 1985 (last amended on 30 September 2019), 30 May 1985**URL for Web-linkage:*** Bahasa Malaysia version: [https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/user\_1/UploadFile/AKTA\_PERATURAN/Akta\_A1413(BM)\_-\_Akta\_Perikanan\_(Pindaan)\_2012.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
* English version: [https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/Akta/Act\_317\_-\_Fisheries\_Act\_1985.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)

**Description:** This measure *[Section 40(2)]* provides that any person intending to import live fish into Malaysia must register first with the Department of Fisheries prior to importation. This is to ensure that all importers adhere to all importing requirements necessary to prevent the spread of communicable fish diseases or to avoid/control the release of non-indigenous species of fish into the country’s natural environment.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* Registration Procedure Farm Ornamental Fish and Live Fish Exporter/Importer/Carrier: [https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/user\_37/Pendaftaran/TATACARA\_PERMOHONAN\_PENDAFTARAN\_LADANG\_IKAN\_HIASAN\_DAN\_PENGEKSPORT.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf)
* Import Requirements for the Importation of Live Food Fish into Malaysia: <https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/2875>
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| 29 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Legislation of Act 317: Fisheries Act 1985 (last amended on 30 September 2019), 30 May 1985**URL for Web-linkage:*** Bahasa Malaysia version: [https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/user\_1/UploadFile/AKTA\_PERATURAN/Akta\_A1413(BM)\_-\_Akta\_Perikanan\_(Pindaan)\_2012.pdf](https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/user_1/UploadFile/AKTA_PERATURAN/Akta_A1413%28BM%29_-_Akta_Perikanan_%28Pindaan%29_2012.pdf)
* English version: <https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/Akta/Act_317_-_Fisheries_Act_1985.pdf>

**Description:** This measure *[Section 40 (1)(a), (2) and (3)]* provides that any person intending to import live fish, which includes any aquatic animal or plant life, into Malaysia must secure an import permit from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS). This is to ensure biosecurity control for the protection of live fish in Malaysia against diseases and for protection of animal and human health. |
| 30 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Legislation of Act 698: Feed Act 2009, 25 March 2013**URL for Web-linkage:*** Bahasa Malaysia version:[https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/674](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)
* English version: [http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941)

**Description:** This *measure [Section 4(1), 10(1)] provides* that the application for a licence to import feed or feed additive must be submitted together with a Fish Quality Certificate (FQC) issued by the Department of Fisheries. This is to ensure the quality and safety of fishes for animal and human consumption. |
| 31 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Regulation 3]* provides that importation of a sample of soil (whether by itself or attached to the roots or other parts of plants) into Malaysia intended for analysis or for research purposes shall be allowed under a permit as set out in the Sixth Schedule. This is to prevent the entry of quarantine pests, including harmful microorganisms and pathogens that are present in soil, into Malaysia.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following document:* Third schedule, Customs (Prohibition of Imports) Order 2017, 31 March 2017: [http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua\_20170404\_P.U.(A)103\_Import.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
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| 32 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5 (1)]* provides that the importation into Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah or Sarawak of any plant, or any rooting compost or other growing media is prohibited, except under a permit, as set out in the First Schedule with respect to plants, and in the Sixth Schedule with respect to rooting compost or other growing media. This is to prevent the entry of quarantine pests, including harmful microorganisms and pathogens, into Malaysia.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following document:* Third schedule, Customs (Prohibition of Imports) Order 2017, 31 March 2017: [http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua\_20170404\_P.U.(A)103\_Import.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
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| 33 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5(2)]* provides that each consignment of plants imported into Malaysia must be accompanied by a phytosanitary certificate as contained in the Second Schedule, and where applicable, a phytosanitary certificate for re-export as contained in the Seventh Schedule from the country of re-export or any other documents signed by the competent authority of the country concerned and issued to the consignor not more than 14 days prior to the dispatch of the consignment. This is to ensure the protection of plant life and health from pests and diseases. |
| 34 | **NTMs Database:** A84 Inspection requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf>**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5(3)]* provides that any plants, beneficial organisms, rooting composts, soil or other growing media may only be imported through an appointed entry check-points, which have the necessary facilities to conduct inspection, as specified in the respective permits. This is to facilitate the inspection of import consignments.Note: In carrying this measure, importers must refer to Regulation 10 (1 and 2), which provides that any plant imported into Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah or Sarawak may be detained by the import officer at the appointed entry check-point until such plant is placed in the charge of the Director who may release it, or if it is found or suspected to be diseased, the Director may destroy or otherwise dispose of it as he thinks fit. Every consignment of plants imported into Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah or Sarawak shall be examined by the import officer either at the place of entry or at any other place approved by the Director. In addition, Regulation 10A provides that non-plant articles and carriers which are reasonably suspected to be diseased or infested with pests are subject to inspection and treatment. |
| 35 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, [EIF 31March 1981]**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf>**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5 (4)]* provides that the importation of any beneficial organism into Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah or Sarawak is prohibited, except under a permit issued by MAQIS and in compliance with the import requirements stated in the permit. This is to prevent the entry of quarantine pests, including harmful microorganisms and pathogens, into Malaysia.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following document:* Third schedule, Customs (Prohibition of Imports) Order 2017, 31 March 2017: [http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua\_20170404\_P.U.(A)103\_Import.pdf](http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua_20170404_P.U.%28A%29103_Import.pdf)
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| 36 | **NTMs Database:** A53 Fumigation**ATR Category:** 4.1.5.3**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2397db.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5(5)]* provides that the importation of plants where khapra beetle is found (as reflected in the Ninth Schedule of the said Regulations), shall be treated by the exporting countries in accordance with the dosage rates which conforms to international standards, guidelines and recommendation. This is to ensure the protection of plant life and health from pests and diseases. |
| 37 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20%2825.08.2015%29.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5(5)]* provides that each import consignment of plants where khapra beetle is found (as reflected in the Ninth Schedule of the said Regulations), shall be accompanied by a phytosanitary certificate issued by the exporting country’s competent authority. This is to ensure the protection of plant life and health from pests and diseases. |
| 38 | **NTMs Database:** A12 Geographical restrictions on eligibility**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.2**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20%2825.08.2015%29.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 5 (6)]* provides that importation into Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah or Sarawak of cocoa pods, rambutan, pulasan, longan and nam-nam fruits produced in Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah or Sarawak, the Philippines and Indonesia is prohibited, unless the product can be certified as being pest- and disease-free. This is to ensure protection of plants against pests and diseases that are endemic to these geographical regions. |
| 39 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 6(1)]* provides that the importation of rubber from any other country into Malaysia is prohibited, unless such importation is intended for research purposes, consigned to the Director and referred to the Director of Rubber Research Institute. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 40 | **NTMs Database:** A12 Geographical restrictions on eligibility**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.2**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)**Description:** This measure [Regulation 6(2)] provides that the importation of any plant and any species of Hevea capable of further growth or propagation from the American tropics or from any other country in which South American Leaf Blight is present or believed to be present) is prohibited, unless it is planted and inspected free from any pests in a plant quarantine station for Hevea approved in an area outside South East Asia and the Pacific, American tropics where South American Leaf Blight is not present. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 41 | **NTMs Database:** A12 Geographical restrictions on eligibility**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.2**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf)**Description:** This measure Regulation 6(3) provides that the importation of any seed of any species of Hevea from the American tropics or from any other country in which South American Leaf Blight is present or believed to be present into Malaysia is prohibited, unless it is inspected, treated and repacked in a new packaging material in an area outside South East Asia and Pacific, American tropics where South American Leaf Blight is not present. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 42 | **NTMs Database:** A86 Quarantine requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.6**Title**: Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20%2825.08.2015%29.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 6 (2)]* provides the quarantine requirement to allow the importation of any plant and any species of Hevea capable of further growth or propagation is prohibited, unless it is planted and inspected free from any pests in a plant quarantine station for Hevea approved in an area outside South East Asia and the Pacific, American tropics where South American Leaf Blight is not present. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 43 | **NTMs Database:** A86 Quarantine requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.6**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/user_37/Pendaftaran/TATACARA_PERMOHONAN_PENDAFTARAN_LADANG_IKAN_HIASAN_DAN_PENGEKSPORT.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 6 (3)]* provides the quarantine requirement to allow the importation of any seed of any species of Hevea is prohibited unless it is packed and inspected free from any pests after quarantine in an approved plant quarantine station for hevea in an area outside South East Asia and Pacific, American tropics where South American Leaf Blight is not present. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 44 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf>**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 6 (4)]* provides that the importation of any Hevea that is not capable of further growth or propagation is prohibited, unless it is for research purposes. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 45 | **NTMs Database:** A59 Treatment for elimination of plant and animal pests and disease-causing organisms in the final product, n.e.s.**ATR Category:** 4.1.5.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf>**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 6 (4)]* provides that the importation of any Hevea that not capable of further growth or propagation is prohibited, unless it is for research purposes and it has been sterilised and cleared from any organism in the exporting country. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber tree or plant) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 46 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf>**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 7(i)(ii)]* provides that the importation of plant other than those belonging to the species of Hevea from the American Tropics or from any other country in which South American Leaf Blight is present, intended to be used for research purposes requires an import permit from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS). This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber trees/plants) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 47 | **NTMs Database:** A86 Quarantine requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.6**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/Akta/Act_317_-_Fisheries_Act_1985.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 7(i)(ii) (iii)]* provides that the importation of plant, other than those belonging to the species of Hevea, from the American Tropics or from any other country in which the South American Leaf Blight is present, shall be subjected to quarantine or treatment at approved plant quarantine stations situated outside the South East Asia and the Pacific Region, and the American Tropics or any other region or country where South American Leaf Blight is not present or believed to be present. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber trees/plants) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 48 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 7(i)(ii) (iii)]* provides that the importation plant other than those belonging to the species of Hevea from the American Tropics or from any other country in which South American Leaf Blight is present, to be used for research purposes must be accompanied by a re-export phytosanitary certificate, signed by the officer-in-charge of the place where the quarantine or treatment has been made after quarantine in an approved plant quarantine station for Hevea in an area outside south east asia and pacific, America tropic where South American Leaf Blight is not present. This is to ensure protection of plant (rubber trees/plants) life and health against pests and diseases. |
| 49 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act728%20%2825.08.2015%29.pdf)**Description:** **Description:** This measure *[Regulation 8.(i), (ii) and (iii)]* provides that the importation of any cacao, coconut, oil palm or any scheduled plant, which is known to be a host of the cacao swollen shoot virus complex, lethal yellowing, kaincope and cadang-cadang or any virus or serious disease, intended to be used for research purposes must secure an import permit from the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services (MAQIS). This is to ensure protection of plant (cocoa, coconut and oil palm) life and health from pests and diseases.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following document:* Third schedule, Customs (Prohibition of Imports) Order 2017, 31 March 2017: [http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua\_20170404\_P.U.(A)103\_Import.pdf](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf)
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| 50 | **NTMs Database:** A86 Quarantine requirement**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.6**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/299)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 8.(i), (ii) and (iii)]* provides the quarantine or treatment requirement to allow the importation of any cacao, coconut, oil palm or any scheduled plant, which is known to be a host of the cacao swollen shoot virus complex, lethal yellowing, kaincope and cadang-cadang or any virus or serious disease, in an approved plant quarantine station situated outside the American tropics, Africa cocoa region or any place where virus or any diseases or cocoa, oil plam and coconut is not present. This is to ensure protection of plant (cocoa, coconut and oil palm) life and health from pests and diseases. |
| 51 | **NTMs Database:** A83 Certification requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.7.3 **Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 8.(i) ,(ii) (iii)]* provides that the importation of any cacao, coconut, oil palm or any scheduled plant (as reflected in the Third Schedule of the said Regulations), which is known to be a host of the cacao swollen shoot virus complex, lethal yellowing, kaincope and cadang-cadang or any virus or serious disease, to be used for research purposes and quarantined in an approved plant quarantine station situated outside the American tropics, Africa cocoa region or any place where virus or any diseases or cocoa, oil plam and coconut is not present. It must be accompanied by a re-export phytosanitary certificate, signed by the officer-in-charge of the place where the quarantine or treatment has been made. This is to ensure protection of plant (cocoa, coconut and oil palm) life and health from pests and diseases. |
| 52 | **NTMs Database:** A19 Prohibitions/restrictions of imports for SPS reasons, not elsewhere specified (n.e.s.)**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.6**Title:** Plant Quarantine Regulations 1981, 31 March 1981**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info\_doa/peraturan\_kuarantin\_tumbuhan\_1981.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)**Description:** This measure *[Regulation 9(1)]* provides that the importation into Malaysia of dangerous pests set out in the Fourth Schedule is prohibited. This is to ensure protection of plant life and health from pests and diseases.In relation to this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* Dangerous pests set out in the fourth schedule is available in the following link:[*http://faolex.fao.org/docs/pdf/mal102429.pdf)*](https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/674)
* Third schedule, Customs (Prohibition of Imports) Order 2017, 31 March 2017: [http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua\_20170404\_P.U.(A)103\_Import.pdf](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/user_1/DVS%20pdf/SQIE/2017/pet%20food/%28R5%29-Pet_food-ANY_COUNTRY-revised201113.pdf)
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1. **SPS Measures under the Ministry of Health (MOH)**

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| 53 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated: January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage**: <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72> **Description:** This measure *[Part IIA, Regulation 3A]* provides the requirement to obtain a written approval from the Food Safety and Quality Division (FSQD) prior to the importation, preparation or advertisement for sale or sale of any food and food ingredients obtained through modern biotechnology. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 54 | **NTMs Database:** A22 Restricted use of certain substances in foods and feeds and their contact materials**ATR Category:**  4.1.2.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated: January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72> **Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 133 (3); (4)]* provides that a person shall only be allowed to import, prepare or advertise for sale or sell food products with added non-nutritive sweetening substance suitable for use in food (as specified in the Table 1 of the Seventeenth Schedule), provided they are permitted under this regulation. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](https://www.lkim.gov.my/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/Peraturan-Peraturan-Pemasaran-Ikan-2010-P.U.A-104-2010-BI.pdf?id=323) |
| 55 | **NTMs Database:** A22 Restricted use of certain substances in foods and feeds and their contact materials**ATR Category:**  4.1.2.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=72)**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 285 (3)]* provides the directive for table salt or salt weighting more than 20kg to be allowed to be manufactured for sale, sold, exposed or offered for sale, consigned or delivered for household use and human consumption in certain areas, provided it is iodised table salt or salt. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](https://www.ecolex.org/details/legislation/fisheries-prohibition-of-import-etc-of-fish-regulations-1990-lex-faoc033181/?id=323) |
| 56 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part IX, Regulation 394A (4)]* provides the requirement to obtain a licence from the Food Safety and Quality Division (FSQD), as set out in the Twenty-Ninth Schedule, prior to the preparation of ice from any source for the purpose of trade or business. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/56307d8570bfc.pdf?id=323) |
| 57 | **NTMs Database:** A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.4**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=72)**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 360A (2), Regulation 360B (1A); Regulation 360C(4)]* provides the requirement to obtain a licence from the Food Safety and Quality Division (FSQD), as set out in the Twenty-Seventh Schedule, Twenty-Eighth Schedule and Thirtieth Schedule, prior to the importation of natural mineral water, packaged drinking water and vended water respectively from any source for the purpose of trade or business. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf?id=323) |
| 58 | **NTMs Database**: A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category**: 4.1.7.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72> **Description:** This measure *[Part II, Section 8]* provides the requirement for a health certificate (HC) issued by Competent Authority (CA) and a certificate of analysis (CoA) issued by accredited laboratory recognised by the CA of the exporting country prior to the importation of peanut butter, groundnut (raw e.g. shelled or de-shelled), honey, cheese made from unpasteurized milk and all soft and semi soft cheese (whether made from pasteurised or unpasteurised milk) into Malaysia. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 59 | **NTMs Database**: A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category**: 4.1.7.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part II, Section 8]* provides the requirement a certificate of analysis (CoA) issued by accredited laboratory recognised by the CA of the exporting country prior to the importation of seaweed and seaweed product, and ceramic ware into Malaysia. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 60 | **NTMs Database**: A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category**: 4.1.7.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part II, Section 8]* provides the requirement for a health certificate (HC) by Competent Authority (CA) of the exporting country prior to the importation of acid-hydrolyzed vegetable protein (HVP), edible meat & meat offal, edible poultry & poultry offal, shrimps and prawns, and crabs into Malaysia. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 61 | **NTMs Database:** A19 Prohibitions/restrictions of imports for SPS reasons, not elsewhere specified (n.e.s.)**ATR Category:** 4.1.1.6**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 139A (2)]* provides the prohibition on the importation, manufacture, advertisement for sale or sale of any controlled jelly confection into Malaysia. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](https://epermit.dagangnet.com.my/epermit.jsp;jsessionid=F8B80BCFA8570676F98D8D861E1FB353?id=323) |
| 62 | **NTMs Database:** A22 Restricted use of certain substances in foods and feeds and their contact materials**ATR Category:** 4.1.2.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2affff.pdf?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part VII, Regulation 37-41]* provides the prohibition on the importation, preparation or advertisement for sale or sale of any food containing any incidental constituents (i.e. metal contaminant, microorganisms and their toxins, drug residue, pesticide residue and other contaminant) into Malaysia except as otherwise specified in the Food Regulations 1985 or in Codex Alimentarius. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 63 | **NTMs Database:** A21 Tolerance limits for residues of or contamination by certain (non-microbiological) substances**ATR Category:** 4.1.2.1**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.dvs.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/1941?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 154]* provides that any meat or meat product shall not contain residue of the following compounds:(a) diethylstilbestrol [3, 4-bis (p-hydroxyphenyl)-3-hexene];(b) hexoestrol [3, 4-bis (p-hydroxyphenyl)-n-hexene];(c) dienoestrol [3, 4-bis (p-hydroxyphenyl)-2, 4-hexadiene]This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 64 | **NTMs Database:** A22 Restricted use of certain substances in foods and feeds and their contact materials **ATR Category:** 4.1.2.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72> **Description:** This measure *[Part VIII]* provides the restrictions on the use of certain substances in icing sugar, artificial sweetening substance, non-nutritive sweetening substance, aspartame, erythritol, non-dairy creamer, canned vegetable, soup/soup stock, coconut milk/coconut cream/coconut cream concentrate, peanut butter, tea/tea dust/tea fanning /tea sifting, tea extract/instant tea/soluble tea, tea mix, coffee/ground coffee/ coffee powder, decaffeinated coffee, chicory, salt/table salt/iodised table salt/iodised salt, caraway powder/fennel powder, cardamom powder, celery seed, chilli powder, cinnamon powder, cloves powder, coriander powder, cumin powder/cumin black powder, dill seed/fenugreek powder, ginger, ginger powder, mace powder, mustard powder, nutmeg powder, black pepper powder, white pepper powder, saffron, turmeric powder/blended turmeric powder, salad dressing, flavoured syrup or flavoured cordial, flavoured drink, shandy, infant formula, follow-up formula, canned food for infants and children, processed cereal-based food for infants and young children, special dietary foods with low sodium content including salt substitute, edible Bird’s Nest, flour confection, sugar confection, flour, pasta, acid phosphate, manufactured meat, smoked meat, canned meat, smoked fish, canned fish, margarine, cooking oil, dried fruit, wine, cider/perry, honey wine/mead, beer/lager/ale/stout, mayonnaise, and processed cereal-based food for infants and young children. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 65 | **NTMs Database:** A31 Labelling requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.1**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72> **Description:** This measure *[Part IV, Regulation 11 (1)(ea) and (5); For allergen]* provides the labelling requirements for food products, especially food ingredients that may cause hypersensitivity. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 66 | **NTMs Database:** A31 Labelling requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.1**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part VIII]* provides the labelling requirements for sweetening substances, special purpose food, malt and malt substances, food aerating substance, fish and fish products, packaged drinking water, meat and meat products, edible fat and edible oil, fruit and fruit products, salt and spices, vinegar/sauce/chutney/pickle, soft drinks, cereal/cereal product/starch/bread, food aerating substance, egg and egg products, jam/fruit jelly/marmalade/seri kaya, alcoholic beverages, and tea/coffee/chicory. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](https://www.ecolex.org/details/legislation/fisheries-prohibition-of-import-etc-of-fish-amendment-regulations-2011-lex-faoc102682/?id=323) |
| 67 | **NTMs Database:** A31 Labelling requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.1**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.agc.gov.my/agcportal/uploads/files/Publications/LOM/EN/Act%20698%20-%20Feed%20Act%202009.pdf?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 132A(6)(e), Regulation 134(4)]* provides that there shall be a written label indicating “NOT RECOMMENDED FOR PHENYLKETONURICS” or “UNSUITABLE FOR PHENYLKETONURICS” on the package of food containing an artificial sweetening substance preparation and aspartame. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 68 | **NTMs Database:** A33 Packaging requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/218?id=72) **Description:** This measure *[Part VI, Regulations 27-36A]* provides the packaging requirements for food products. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 69 | **NTMs Database:** A33 Packaging requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 86(1), Regulation 149(1), Regulation 161(1), Regulation 216(1), Regulation 218(1), Regulation 220(1), Regulation 223(1), Regulation 234(1), Regulation 360A(10), Regulation 360B(1), Regulation 390 (4)(a)]* provides that sterilised milk, canned meat, canned fish, tomato paste, tomato puree, canned vegetable, canned fruit, canned fruit cocktail, natural mineral water, packaged drinking water, and canned food for infants and children in dry or concentrated form shall be processed by physical means and packed in a hermetically sealed can, jar or other container so as to prevent spoilage or contamination. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 70 | **NTMs Database:** A41 Microbiological criteria of the final product**ATR Category:** 4.1.4.1**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 259 (4)]* provides the microbiological standard requirement for peanut butter. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 71 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua_20170404_P.U.%28A%29103_Import.pdf?id=72)**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 134C (3) (c)]* provides that non-dairy creamer in liquid form shall be adequately sterilized or aseptically packaged. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 72 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](https://www.dof.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/218?id=72)**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 178A (2)]* provides that edible bird’s nest may undergo cleaning processes including sorting, soaking, picking of feathers and impurities, moulding and drying. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 73 | **NTMs Database:** A51 Cold/heat treatment **ATR Category:** 4.1.5.1**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72](http://faolex.fao.org/docs/pdf/mal102429.pdf%29?id=72)**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 390 (3) (a); Part VIII, Regulation 143; Part VIII, Regulation 172 (4); Part VIII, Regulation 173 (4); Part VIII, Regulation 174 (4); Part VIII, Regulation 217 (1); Regulation 218(1)]* provides the cold/heat treatment requirement for special purpose food, meat and meat products, egg and egg products, and vegetable and vegetable. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 74 | **NTMs Database:** A63 Food and feed processing **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 390 (4)(b)]* provides that canned food for infants and children in dry or concentrated form shall, after preparation, have the consistency of strained or non-strained food. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 75 | **NTMs Database:** A63 Food and feed processing **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.3**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 160 (3)]* provides that dried prepared fish shall be prepared by drying fish that has been treated with sugar, saccharin, sodium saccharin and other food, and shall be dried under artificially induced conditions. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.dvs.gov.my/dvs/resources/auto%20download%20images/560df8b2397db.pdf?id=323) |
| 76 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 156 (3) and (4); Regulation 167(3)]* provides the storage condition requirements for fish and fish products. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.  **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 77 | **NTMs Database:** A82 Testing requirement **ATR Category:** 4.1.7.2**Title:** Food Regulations 1985 (Updated on January 2018), 1 October 1985**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72>**Description:** This measure *[Part VIII, Regulation 360A (7), Regulation 360B (3); Regulation 360C(3)]* provides that natural mineral water, packaged drinking water and vended water shall comply with the standard as prescribed in the Twenty-Fifth and Twenty-Sixth Schedules. The procedure for taking samples for physical, chemical and microbiological analysis is reflected in Part III, Regulations 4 and 5. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 78 | **NTMs Database: A52 Irradiation****ATR Category: 4.1.5.2****Title:** Food Irradiation Regulation 2011 (Updated on 23 October 2019), 21 April 2011**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=74>**Description:** This measure *[Part III, Regulation 8(2)]* provides the requirement for irradiation treatment and dosage for purposes as specified in the Third Schedule for bulbs, roots, tubers, fresh fruits and vegetables, cereals and their milled products, nuts (including chestnut, coconut), oil seeds, pulses, dried fruits and their products, fish and fish products, frog legs, meat and meat products, dried vegetables, spices, condiments, dry herbs, tea, cocoa and cocoa products, dried food of animal origin, and other food not specified above. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 79 | **NTMs Database:**  A33 Packaging requirements**ATR Category:** 4.1.3.3**Title:** Food Irradiation Regulation 2011 (Updated on 23 October 2019), 21 April 2011**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=74>**Description:** This measure [Part V, Regulation 12(2) (Fifth Schedule)] provides the requirements for the allowed packaging materials for irradiated food products, including the maximum permitted doses, as specified in the Fifth Schedule. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 80 | **NTMs Database**: A83 Certification requirement**ATR Category: 4.1.7.3****Title:** Food Irradiation Regulation 2011 (Updated on 23 October 2019), 21 April 2011**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=74> **Description:** This measure [Article IV (11)] provides the requirement to obtain a certificate of irradiation issued by a food irradiation premise prior to importing, manufacturing, advertising for sale or selling of irradiated food products in Malaysia, as prescribed in the Fourth Schedule. This is to ensure protection of human life and promotion of public health.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](https://www.dof.gov.my/dof2/resources/user_1/UploadFile/AKTA_PERATURAN/Akta_A1413%28BM%29_-_Akta_Perikanan_%28Pindaan%29_2012.pdf?id=323) |
| 81 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 1- Part V, Regulation 39 (1)(a); (2)]* provides the hygienic practices during the preparation of meat in food premises. This is to ensure food safety.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 82 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 2- Part V, Regulation 42 (1) (a) (b); Regulation 43(1)(c)(d)(e)(f)(g)(h)(i)]* provides the hygienic practices during the preparation of fish in food premises. This is to ensure food safety.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf?id=323) |
| 83 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 2- Part V, Regulation 44(1)(b)]* provides the hygienic practices in handling processed crustacean or mollusc. This is to ensure food safety. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 84 | **NTMs Database:** A42 Hygienic practices during production **ATR Category:** 4.1.4.2**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 3- Part V, Regulation 48(1)]* provides the hygienic practices in preparing, packaging or selling ice-cream or frozen confection. This is to ensure food safety.**Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 85 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Part VI, Regulation 56(1); (2); (3); (4); (5)]* provides the conditions and requirements for the carriage of food, including chilled and frozen food. This is to ensure food safety.**Related Issuances:** *Laws of Malaysia, Act 281: Food Act 1983 (As at 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 86 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73](http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua_20170404_P.U.%28A%29103_Import.pdf?id=73)**Description:** This measure *[Chapter 1- Part V, Regulation 39 (1)(b)(c); Regulation 49(1)]* provides the storage conditions for meat products, including chilled and frozen meat. This is to ensure food safety. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 87 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 2- Part V, Regulation 42(1) (c) (d) (e); Chapter 2- Part V, Regulation 43 (1)(a) (b); Regulation 44(1)(a)(c); Regulation 46(1)(a)(b)(c); Chapter 2- Part V, Regulation 45(1); Regulation 46(2) (3); Regulation 47]* provides the storage and transport conditions for fish products, and crustacean and mollusc. This is to ensure food safety. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pua_20170404_P.U.%28A%29103_Import.pdf?id=323) |
| 88 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 4- Part V, Regulation 51(1)(2); Regulation 50(1)(2)]* provides the storage conditions for milk products. This is to ensure food safety. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323) |
| 89 | **NTMs Database:** A64 Storage and transport conditions **ATR Category:** 4.1.6.4**Title:** Food Hygiene Regulations 2009 (Updated on 14 September 2017), 28 February 2009**URL for Web-linkage:** <http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=73> **Description:** This measure *[Chapter 5- Part V, Regulation 52]* provides the transport conditions for ice. This is to ensure food safety. **Related Issuances:** *Legislation of Act 281: Food Act 1983 (Updated on 1 April 2012),* [*http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=323*](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf?id=323) |

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| 90 | **NTMs Database:** A31 Labelling requirements **ATR Category:** 4.1.3.1**Title:** Legislation of Act 678: Biosafety Act 2007, *[1 December 2009]***URL for Web-linkage**: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20(Act%20678).pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20%28Act%20678%29.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Part VII, Regulation 61]* provides that all living modified organisms and products of such organisms must be clearly identified and labelled. The labelling requirements are prescribed in the [http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php?id=72 and <http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Guidelines%20on%20Labelling%20of%20Foods%20and%20Food%20Ingredients.pdf>].This is to ensure the protection of human, plant and animal health, environment and biodiversity.In relation this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* User’s Guide to the Biosafety Act and Regulations: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf)
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| 91 | **NTMs Database:** A82 Testing requirement **ATR Category:** 4.1.7.2**Title:** Legislation of Act 678: Biosafety Act 2007, *[1 December 2009]***URL for Web-linkage**: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20(Act%20678).pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Part VI, Regulations 53, 54 and 56]* provides that an enforcement officer shall take or obtain samples of any organism or product suspected of being or containing living modified organisms or products of such organisms for the purposes of analysis. This is to ensure the protection of human, plant and animal health, environment and biodiversity.In relation this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* User’s Guide to the Biosafety Act and Regulations: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
* Biosafety (Sampling Procedures) Regulations 2018: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20(Sampling%20Procedures)%20Regulations%202018.pdf](http://www.doa.gov.my/index/resources/info_doa/peraturan_kuarantin_tumbuhan_1981.pdf)
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| 92 | **NTMs Database**: A14 Special authorization requirement for SPS reasons  **ATR Category:** 4.1.7.2**Title:** Legislation of Act 678: Biosafety Act 2007, *[1 December 2009]***URL for Web-linkage**: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20(Act%20678).pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php) **Description:** This measure *[Part III, Regulations 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16]* provides that an importer of living modified organisms into Malaysia must secure a certificate of approval from the National Biodiversity Board (NBB) prior to the importation of the product. This is to ensure the protection of human, plant and animal health, environment and biodiversity.In relation this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* User’s Guide to the Biosafety Act and Regulations: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
* [Biosafety (Approval and Notification) Regulations 2010](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php): [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Regulations%20(Approval%20and%20Notification)%202010.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
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| 93 | **NTMs Database**: A85 Traceability requirements  **ATR Category:** 4.1.7.5**Title:** Legislation of Act 678: Biosafety Act 2007, *[1 December 2009]***URL for Web-linkage**: [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20(Act%20678).pdf](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Act%202007%20%28Act%20678%29.pdf) **Description:** This measure *[Part VI, Regulation 52]* provides that an importer of living modified organisms or products of such organisms into Malaysia must furnish the National Biodiversity Board (NBB) of information relating to the composition and use of such living modified organisms or products of such organisms. This is to ensure the protection of human, plant and animal health, environment and biodiversity.In relation this measure, importers need to refer to the following documents:* User’s Guide to the Biosafety Act and Regulations: <http://www.biosafety.gov.my/ms-my/pustaka-media/Documents/Biosafety%20User%20Guide.pdf>
* [Biosafety (Approval and Notification) Regulations 2010](http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Regulations%20%28Approval%20and%20Notification%29%202010.pdf): [http://www.biosafety.gov.my/en-my/Corporate-Info/Documents/Biosafety%20Regulations%20(Approval%20and%20Notification)%202010.pdf](http://fsq.moh.gov.my/v6/xs/page.php)
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