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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>EGYPT</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo – Egypt E-mail: eos@idsc.net.eg / tbteos@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg Tel.: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504 Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): ICS 67.200.10 (Animal and vegetable fats and oils)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ministerial Decree No. 999/2017 on crude vegetable oils (2 pages)
6. Description of content: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• This decree has cancelled the following standards related to edible crude oils:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 3798/2008 "crude Sunflower oil"○ 3799/2008 "Crude Soybean Oil"○ 3800/2008 "Crude Coconut oil"○ 3801/2008 "Crude corn kernel oil"○ 3751/2008 "Crude palm kernel oil"○ 3752/2008 "Crude cotton seed oil"○ 3753/2008 "Crude Palm Oil"○ 3599/2008 "Crude Stearin palm Oil". <p>Furthermore, this decree stipulates examining crude vegetable oils according to tables (1, 2, 3, and 4) and items no. (3/8) , (3/11) , (3/12) , (3/13) , (3/14) , (3/15) , (3/16), (3/17) ,(3/18) , (3/19) and (3/21) in Egyptian standard no.7985/2015 "edible vegetables oils" which complies with Codex standard 210 Adopted 1999. Revisions 2001, 2003, 2009.</p>

Amendment 2005, 2011,2013 and 2015 "CODEX STANDARD FOR NAMED VEGETABLE OILS"	
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Health and consumer protection
8.	Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Codex standard 210 adopted 1999. Revisions 2001, 2003, 2009. Amendment 2005, 2011,2013 and 2015 "CODEX STANDARD FOR NAMED VEGETABLE OILS" • Ministerial Decree No. 999/2017
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 13 July 2017 Proposed date of entry into force: 2 August 2017
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality Address: 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo- Egypt Tel: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504 E-mail: eos@idsc.net.eg / tbteos@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg