NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** UKRAINE  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Ministry of Environmental Protection and Natural Resources of Ukraine  **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 [****X],** **5.7.1 [****], 3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** waste |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** The Law of Ukraine No 2320-IX "On Waste Management" of 20.06.2022; (63 page(s), in Ukrainian) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The Law is aimed at improving the waste management system, determining the legal, organizational, economic and control mechanisms for ensuring comprehensive protection of human health and the environment by implementing measures to prevent or reduce waste generation, mitigate the negative impacts from waste management, and facilitate its preparation for reuse and recovery as secondary raw materials and energy resources.  The Law introduces into national legislation the fundamental principles and provisions of European legislation in the field of waste management, in particular, the introduction of a waste management hierarchy and basic requirements for extended producer responsibility, and introduces a system of long-term waste management planning at the national, regional and local levels, regional and local levels.  The Law provides for the introduction of an information system waste management information system, which will significantly simplify the system of accounting and reporting, submission of declarations and implementation of permitting procedures in the field of waste management. The introduction of a subsystem of open registers will provide access to information of waste generators and other waste owners, to the public. It is proposed to strengthen control over the collection and and treatment of hazardous waste by strengthening the requirements for licensing for such activities.  The Law establishes the procedure for the municipal waste collection, removal and treatment, ensures the introduction of their separate collection and recycling, provides for requirements for the quality of waste management services and waste management fees for such services. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Protection of the environment |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  The Subsoil Code of Ukraine;  The Laws of Ukraine "On Waste"; "On Environmental Protection"; "On Environmental Impact Assessment"; "On Strategic Environmental Assessment"; "On Ensuring Sanitary and Epidemiological Welfare of the Population"; "On Alternative Energy Sources"; "On By-products of Animal Origin Not Intended for Human Consumption". |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** The Law was adopted on 20 June 2022  **Proposed date of entry into force:** The Law will enter into force on 09 July 2023 |
| **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:**  Ministry of Economy of Ukraine  Department for Trade Agreements and Export Development  12/2 Hrushevskoho Str.  Tel: +(38 044) 596 6839  Fax: +(38 044) 596 6839  Email: [ep@me.gov.ua](mailto:ep@me.gov.ua)  Website: <https://www.me.gov.ua>  <https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2320-20#Text>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/UKR/23_9135_00_x.pdf> |