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Australia

 Languages:
English, French, Spanish

 All times AEST (UTC+10)

Codex Committee on Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems (CCFICS26)

Side-events

Traceability seminar

Monday 1 May
17:00-18:30

Purpose of this side event

- To orientate members on current and emerging practices to traceability to help inform the discussion on agenda item CX/FICS 23/26/8.

Outline

- Introduction and background to GXG 60-2006 [CCFICS Chair]
- Current and emerging regulatory frameworks [USA FDA]
- FBO perspective on enhanced traceability, challenges and benefits [Locally based FBO]
- Importance of data standards and interoperability [GS1 Australia]
- Short Q&A session

WCO Data Model for safer trade in food

Tuesday 2 May
12:30-13:15

Introduction

In the beginning of 2022 Codex Alimentarius has published the revised *Guidelines for Design, Production, Issuance and Use of Generic Official Certificates* (CXG 38-2001).

This revision concerned additional guidance for competent authorities for the transition to and implementation of paperless certification of food, including the electronic version of the generic model official certificate (reference data model). In follow-up to the adoption, the Codex Secretariat and World Customs Organization (WCO) agreed that WCO cooperates with food safety-related experts to examine and align the current WCO Data Model (DM)-CODEX Derived Information Package (DIP) with CXG 38-2001.

The result of this WCO-Codex cooperation was presented and discussed during the 65th meeting of the WCO Data Modeling Project Team on 2 February 2023.

Purpose of this side-event

- To explain how the License, Permit, Certificate or Other (LPCO) document Base Information Package (BIP) as a subset of the WCO Data Model enables digital collaboration between Customs and competent authorities by integrating electronic certification processes in a Single Window environment.
- To highlight the alignment of the WCO DM-CODEX DIP with the reference data model of the Generic Model Certificate.
- To elucidate the relevance of the alignment in the interest of trade facilitation that also improves border controls for the goods in question.
- To elaborate on the way e-Single Windows and other data exchange platforms contribute to the seamless exchange of SPS e-certificates that are modeled in accordance with international standards from IPPC and WCO.



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- Opening by CCFICS Chair
 - WCO Data model
 - LPCO BIP
 - CODEX Derived Information Package
 - Partnerships for trade facilitation and border controls (FAO support to the COMESA trade facilitation programme)
 - E-Single Windows and possibilities for SPS certificate exchanges
 - Q&A
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