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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of
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**NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS
UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT**

LATVIA: CABINET REGULATION NO. 556 - ADOPTED 2 SEPTEMBER 2020 - PROCEDURES FOR
THE REGISTRATION, PROTECTION, SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OF GEOGRAPHICAL
INDICATIONS, DESIGNATIONS OF ORIGIN AND TRADITIONAL SPECIALITIES
GUARANTEED OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS AND FOODSTUFFS

Notifying Member	LATVIA
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Cabinet Regulation No. 556 - Adopted 2 September 2020 - Procedures for the Registration, Protection, Supervision and Control of Geographical Indications, Designations of Origin and Traditional Specialities Guaranteed of Agricultural Products and Foodstuffs
Subject matter	Geographical indications
Nature of notification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/LVA/22_7870_00_e.pdf
Notification status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First notification <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	Not applicable
Brief description of the notified legal text	
The Regulation prescribes the procedures for the registration, protection and supervision of geographical indications of agricultural products and foodstuffs, including spirit drinks and wines and also the procedures for the supervision and control of the scheme of protected designations of origin and the scheme of traditional specialties guaranteed in conformity with EU regulation.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	9 September 2020
Other date	

Notification details

Submission date of notification	10 November 2022
Other information	https://likumi.lv/ta/en/en/id/317154-procedures-for-the-registration-protection-supervision-and-control-of-geographical-indications-designations-of-origin-and-traditional-specialities-guaranteed-of-agricultural-products-and-foodstuffs
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