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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>MEXICO</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Rural Development
3.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Poultry
4.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard NOM-044-ZOO-1995, National Campaign Against Avian Influenza
5.	Description of content: The purpose of this Mexican Official Standard is to establish the national campaign for the control and eradication of avian influenza, and harmonize procedures, activities, criteria, strategies and technical diagnoses for the control of the above disease and its eradication from the national poultry stock.
6.	Objective and rationale: Animal health
7.	An international standard, guideline or recommendation does not exist [X]. If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, whenever possible, identify deviations:
8.	Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 3 January 1996
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: On the day following publication in the Official Journal.
10.	Final date for comments: 3 April 1996
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: