



# MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

Russian Ministry of Economic Development

## MINUTES

in the Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Foreign Investment Advisory Council

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Chaired by:

Minister of Economic Development of the Russian Federation – Alexey Ulyukaev

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### I. Veterinary certification of finished (processed) products.

(S. Popovich)

1. Take account of the report by S. Popovich regarding the introduction of an electronic system for issuing supporting veterinary documents.

2. Ministry of Agriculture of Russia

– develop and approve amendments to Order No. 281 of the Ministry of Agriculture of Russia of 17 July 2014 (hereinafter, "the Order") with respect to adjusting certain items in the list of controlled products, for which supporting veterinary documents have been issued since 1 February 2017 (Appendix 3 to the Order);

– prepare and publish clarifications concerning the application of new requirements.

## II. Applying new drainage requirements for industrial enterprises.

(S. Popovich)

1. Take account of the report by S. Popovich regarding problems involved in implementing Federal Law No. 416-FZ of 7 December 2011, *On Water Supply and Drainage* and Decree No. 644 of the Russian Government of 29 July 2013 *On the Approval of the Rules on Cold Water Supply and Drainage and on Introducing Amendments in Certain Acts of the Russian Government*.

2. Recommend that the Russian Ministry of Construction present to the Russian Government agreed proposals on introducing amendments to Decree No. 644 of the Russian Government of 29 July 2013 *On the Approval of the Rules on Cold Water Supply and Drainage and on Introducing Amendments in Certain Acts of the Russian Government* pertaining to offering the users of drainage systems the choice of a method of waste water treatment to the required level by either under a contract with centralized drainage systems, or building local treatment facilities, and to adjusting the levels of permissible concentration of pollutants in the waste water which is allowed for discharge to the centralized drainage system.

3. Recommend that the Russian Ministry of Nature within a week's time hold a conciliatory meeting with the federal executive bodies concerned. Agenda: introducing amendments to Federal Law No. 416-FZ of 7 December 2011, *On Water Supply and Drainage* and inform the Russian Government about the results of such meeting.

## III. Administrative regulation of plant quarantine.

(N. Orlova)

1. Take account of the report by N. Orlova regarding the need for clarification of certain provisions of Federal Law No. 206-FZ of 21 July 2014, *On Plant Quarantine*, ensued by the enactment of the said law.

2. Recommend that the Russian Ministry of Agriculture, together with the Russian Ministry of Economic Development and the FIAC member companies set up a working group to prepare the by-laws required to implement Federal Law No. 206-FZ of 21 July 2014, *On Plant Quarantine*, for the purposes of their regulatory impact analysis.

#### IV. Implementing an effective system of recycling wastes of goods and their packaging.

(L. Kleitman)

1. Take account of the report by L. Kleitman on introducing a broader responsibility for manufacturers by building a legislative framework on implementing an effective system of recycling wastes of goods and their packaging.

2. Recommend that the Russian Ministry of Nature, taking account of the proposals prepared by the FIAC Technical Regulation and Elimination of Administrative Barriers Working Group, introduce amendments to the legislation in order to establish a transition period for provisions regulating waste disposal and for environmental fees to remain at a zero level until 2018.

#### V. Import substitution and localization.

(M. Patarnello, E. Cornut, A. Pankov)

1. Take account of reports by M. Patarnello, E. Cornut and A. Pankov regarding import substitution and localization in various industry sectors of the Russian Federation.

2. Recommend that the FIAC working groups send to the Russian Ministry of Economic Development and Ministry of Industry and Commerce their agreed proposals to improve the approaches to import substitution and on mechanisms contributing to the localization of production facilities.

Deadline: 12 May 2015

#### VI. Miscellaneous.

1. Department for Investment Policy and the Development of Private-Public Partnership (I. Yu. Koval) to report to I. I. Shuvalov, First Deputy Prime Minister of Russia, on the results of the meeting of the FIAC Executive Committee, with a draft list of instructions enclosed, if necessary.

Deadline: 12 May 2015

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