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For the purpose of ensuring the activity of the Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan the following provisions were set out within the Decree:

- approval of "the Regulation on Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan";
- approval of "The structure of Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan";
- Determination of number limit of the employees of the Apparatus of Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan as 75 staff unit;
- establishment of Azerbaijan Food Security Institute with public legal entity status under the Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
- determination of the number limit of the employees of the administrative office of the Food Safety Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan as 75 persons;

Pursuant to the provisions stipulated under the Decree, Azerbaijan Food Security Institute (hereinafter referred to as the Institute) shall perform functions such as conducting risk assessments based on scientific principles by carrying out scientific and practical researches in the field of food products safety, preparing and submitting by relevance draft technical legal acts in the field of food safety, implementation of other international standards for food products by the producers of food products on a voluntary basis, rendering services on food products safety indicators.

In accordance with the Decree exercising powers of the founder at the Institute has been assigned to:

The President of the Republic of Azerbaijan:

- Reorganisation and liquidation of the

Institute;

The Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan:

- approval of the charter and the structure; nizamnamənin və strukturun təsdiqi;
- determination of the amount of the charter fund;
- establishment of executive body and determination of its powers;

Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan:

The resolution of other issues pertaining to the powers of the founder of the public legal entity under Clause 8.2 of the Law of the Republic of Azerbaijan "On public legal entities".

The Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan shall:

- submit proposals to the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan on the harmonisation of the laws of the Republic of Azerbaijan in connection with the establishment of the Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan within three months;
- submit proposals to the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan on making the acts of the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan consistent with this Decree within three months;
- ensure harmonisation of normative legal acts of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan with this Decree and report this to the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan, within three months;
- submit proposals to the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan about the limit on the number of the employees of regional units of the Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan within one month, considering Clause 3.1 of the Decree of the

President of the Republic of Azerbaijan dated February 10, 2017, No. 1235 "On additional measures with respect to the improvement of food security system in the Republic of Azerbaijan";

- approve the charter and structure of the Institute, as well as ensure establishment of the charter fund and report to the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan about this within two months;
- solve the issues related to material and technical support of the Institute together with the State Committee on Property Issues of the Republic of Azerbaijan and the Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan, within two months;
- submit proposals to the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan on the reduction of staffing positions in state bodies and agencies, that serve for the exercise of the powers assigned to the Food Security Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan under the approved Regulation, within three months;
- keep control over the harmonisation of normative legal acts of the central executive power bodies with this Decree and inform the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan about its execution within five months;
- Deal with other issues arising out of the Decree.

Ensuring the harmonisation of the legal acts and normative acts of central executive bodies with this Decree by the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Azerbaijan and informing the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan about this are also stipulated among the assignments given within the frames of the Decree.



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