

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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Committee on Sanitary and  
Phytosanitary Measures

Original: Spanish

## NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

<b>1. Member to Agreement notifying:</b> <u>CHILE</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> <i>Servicio Agrícola y Ganadero, SAG</i> (Agriculture and Livestock Service)
<b>3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable:</b> Fertile eggs, one-day-old chicks and specific-pathogen-free (SPF) eggs.
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> All regions and countries which export such products to Chile.
<b>5. Title, language and number of pages of the notified document:</b> <i>Modifica exigencia sanitaria que indica</i> (Amendment to certain sanitary requirements) (1 page, in Spanish).
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Supplement and amendment to Resolution No. 32 of 2004.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests
<b>8. Nature of the urgent problem(s) and reasons for urgent action:</b> <p>Enforceable measures to prevent the introduction into Chile of avian influenza.</p> <p>The notified Regulation amends Agriculture and Livestock Service (SAG) Exempt Resolution No. 32/2004, which lays down the requirements for the importation into Chile of fertile eggs and one-day-old chicks, in relation to the number of samples required to be taken by the official health authority of the exporting country with a view to the diagnosis of avian influenza, and to the period in which such sampling is to be carried out.</p> <p>This Regulation also incorporates measures relating to the importation of specific-pathogen-free (SPF) eggs.</p>
<b>9. International standard, guideline or recommendation:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission, <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention, <input type="checkbox"/> None <b>If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:</b>
<b>10. Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b> Resolution No. 1846 of 21 April 2006 (available in Spanish).

<b>11. Date of entry into force/period of application (as applicable):</b> 21 April 2006
<b>12. Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b> [ ] National notification authority, [ X ] National enquiry point or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:
<b>13. Texts available from:</b> [ ] National notification authority, [ X ] National enquiry point or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:  The updated consolidated text of Resolution No. 32/2004 is available on the SAG web site at: <a href="http://www2.sag.gob.cl/Pecuaria/exigencias_sanitarias_especificas/word/AvesCorral_HF_AvesCorral_Resoluc_32_04.doc">http://www2.sag.gob.cl/Pecuaria/exigencias_sanitarias_especificas/word/AvesCorral_HF_AvesCorral_Resoluc_32_04.doc</a>