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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
United States G/SPS/N/USA/195 29 October 1999	n.a.	Furilazole – MRLs in or on food	Food safety	19 November 1999
United States G/SPS/N/USA/185/Add.1 1 November 1999	n.a.	Tolerance levels for Cyromazine	Food safety	15 November 1999
Hong Kong G/SPS/N/HKG/4/Corr.1 G/SPS/N/HKG/4/Add.1/Corr.1 12 November 1999	Belgium	Poultry, eggs and their products, food with more than 2% egg products, pork and beef and their products, dairy products - Dioxin	Food safety	
Hong Kong G/SPS/N/HKG/5/Rev.1/Corr.1 4 November 1999	Belgium	Animal feeds - Dioxin	Food safety	
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/110 16 November 1999	n.a.	Salmonid and finfish products	Animal health	No final date (measures respond to dispute settlement finding)
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/21 16 November 1999	n.a.	Animal husbandry and breeding	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	60 days from the circulation date
Latvia G/SPS/N/LVA/29 16 November 1999	n.a.	Honey	Food safety	1 December 1999
Turkey G/SPS/N/TUR/2 - EMRG 19 November 1999	n.a.	Antibiotics (growth promoters) used in animal feeds: Zn-bacitracin, Viriginiamycine, Spiramycine, Avoparcin, Tylozine phosphate, Carbadox, Olaquinox	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Georgia G/SPS/N/GEO/11 30 November 1999	n.a.	Livestock (poultry), meat and meat products, raw materials of livestock origin	Food safety Animal health	n.a.

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/196 19 November 1999	n.a.	Labelling of alcohol beverages	Food safety	22 February 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/197 19 November 1999	n.a.	Organophosphate pesticide – Preliminary risk assessment for Chlorpyrifos	Food safety	27 December 1999
South Africa G/SPS/N/ZAF/8 19 November 1999	All countries exporting cereals to South Africa	Limitation of the number of poisonous seeds in cereals	Food safety	15 January 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/198 19 November 1999	n.a.	Azafenidin – MRLs in fruits, nuts, citrus, grapes, sugarcane/sugarcane molasses	Food safety	3 December 1999
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/14 19 November 1999	India	Buffalo meat	Animal health	3 December 1999
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/15 19 November 1999	n.a.	Fresh/chilled/frozen fish and fishery/aquatic products	Food safety Animal health	19 November 1999
Singapore G/SPS/N/SGP/8 23 November 1999	n.a.	Food additives	Food safety	30 November 1999
United States G/SPS/N/USA/199 23 November 1999	n.a.	Organophosphate pesticides – Risk assessment for Trichlorfon and Dicrotophos	Food safety	10 January 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/200 23 November 1999	n.a.	Esfenvalerate and N,N-Diethyl-N-2- (4-Methylbenzyloxy) Ethylamine Hydrochloride - MRLs in oranges, bok choy, sweet potatoes, cardoon, canola and Brussels sprout	Food safety	10 December 1999
United States G/SPS/N/USA/201 23 November 1999	n.a.	Pesticides – Pesticide draft science policy paper	Food safety	10 January 2000

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Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/46 23 November 1999	State of California, United States	Sanitary requirements for avocados for consumption	Plant health	20 December 1999
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/47 23 November 1999	Countries exporting corn seeds to Chile	Maize (corn) seed – Treatment with carboxin	Plant health	10 November 1999
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/111 26 November 1999	n.a.	Food produced using gene technology	Food safety	21 January 2000 (intention of comment would be appreciated before 15 December)
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/52 26 November 1999	n.a.	Food produced using gene technology	Food safety	21 January 2000 (intention of comment would be appreciated before 15 December)
United States G/SPS/N/USA/137/Add.3 26 November 1999	China (including Hong Kong)	Solid wood packing material – Fumigation treatment	Plant health	17 November 1999
El Salvador G/SPS/N/SLV/29 - EMRG 26 November 1999	Countries with Mealy bug, <i>Maconellicoccus hirsutus</i> (Green)	Fresh fruit and vegetables, ornamental, fruit-bearing and forest plants	Plant health	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/120/Add.3 30 November 1999	n.a.	Fruit and vegetable juices and juice products	Food safety	24 January 2000
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/75 30 November 1999	n.a.	Pyridaben – MRLs in apples, peaches/ nectarines, pears and almonds	Food safety	19 January 2000
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/76 30 November 1999	n.a.	Flusilazole – MRLs in apples, grapes, raisins and bananas	Food safety	19 January 2000

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Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/77 30 November 1999	n.a.	Oxyfluorfen – MRLs in strawberries	Food safety	19 January 2000
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/75 30 November 1999	n.a.	Barban, chlorbufam, chlorobenzilate, chloroxuron, chlorbenside, aramite, chlorfenson, 1,1-dichloro-2,2-bis (4-ethyl-phenyl-) ethane, di-allate and methoxychlor – MRLs in cereals, foodstuffs of animal origin and certain products of plant origin, including fruit and vegetable	Food safety	20 December 1999
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/52/Corr.1 30 November 1999	n.a.	Food produced using gene technology	Food safety	21 January 2000 (intention of comment would be appreciated before 15 December)

n.a. = not available, not identified