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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/49 6 December 1999	n.a.	Food additive - Acesulfame potassium	Food safety	4 February 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/202 3 December 1999	n.a.	Tolerance levels for certain pesticides (mepiquat chloride) in or on food	Food safety	27 December 1999
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/53 6 December 1999	n.a.	Wood and wood packaging materials	Plant protection	20 December 1999
United States G/SPS/N/USA/203 6 December 1999	n.a.	Pesticides	Food safety	30 December 1999
United States G/SPS/N/USA/204 6 December 1999	n.a.	Organophosphate pesticide: Availability of revised risk assessments for propetamphos	Food safety	31 January 1999
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/48 8 December 1999	n.a.	Sanitary requirements for importing milk and dairy products	Animal health	n.a.
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/51 8 December 1999	Countries exporting these products to Chile	Sanitary requirements for importing pig fat, edible pig skin and unprocessed bovine fat	Animal health	15 December 1999
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/76 - EMRG 14 December 1999	n.a.	MRL of dioxin in Kaolinitic clay	Food safety	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/205 14 December 1999	n.a.	Tolerance levels for certain pesticides (paraquat and fenproprathrin) in or on food	Food safety	3 January 2000
Iceland G/SPS/N/ISL/1 16 December 1999	n.a.	Meat and meat products which have not been heat treated	Food safety Animal health	10 May 1999
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/16 17 December 1999	India	Inspection of buffalo meat	Animal health	8 January 2000

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/206 17 December 1999	n.a.	Organophosphate pesticides: Availability of risk assessments for methidathion and oxydemeton methyl	Food safety	7 February 2000
Slovenia G/SPS/N/SVN/4 22 December 1999	n.a.	Plants and planting material of Prunus L.	Plant protection	25 January 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/207 22 December 1999	n.a.	Organophosphate pesticides: Availability of risk assessment for dimethoate	Food safety	14 February 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/118/Add.1 22 December 1999	n.a.	Meat produced by advanced meat/bone separation machinery and recovery systems	Food safety	18 January 2000

n.a. = not available, not identified