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<b>Notification/ Date of Circulation</b>	<b>Region/Country affected (as identified)</b>	<b>"Product" or issue</b>	<b>Objective</b>	<b>Deadline for submission of comments</b>
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/18 9 June 2000	n.a.	Fresh/chilled/frozen meat and meat products	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	26 June 2000
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/157 8 June 2000	n.a.	Butter, cream, milk and sweets	Food safety	17 July 2000
Slovenia G/SPS/N/SVN/5 14 June 2000	Any countries exporting the commodities to Slovenia	Extraction solvents used in the production of foodstuffs and food ingredients	Food safety	8 August 2000
Finland G/SPS/N/FIN/1 - EMRG 8 June 2000	Canada, China, Japan, Korea, Mexico, Taiwan and the United States	Coniferous wood packing material – Pine wood nematode ( <i>Bursaphelenchus xylophilus</i> )	Plant protection	
Latvia G/SPS/N/LVA/34 9 June 2000	n.a.	Live animals (breeding pigs)	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	23 June 2000
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/87 9 June 2000	n.a.	Fenhexamid – MRLs in grapes, raisins and strawberries	Food safety	26 July 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/288 13 June 2000	n.a.	Guidance on pesticide import tolerances and residue data in or on imported foods	Food safety	31 July 2000 <sup>1</sup>
United States G/SPS/N/USA/152/Add.1 13 June 2000	n.a.	Viruses, serums, toxins and analogous products; packaging and labelling - Withdrawal of the proposal	Animal health	

<sup>1</sup> See G/SPS/N/USA/288/Corr.1 in English and French only.

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Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/118 13 June 2000	n.a.	Methyl bromide used as fumigant in agricultural produce, shipping containers, wooden packaging and packing material, bulk timber and wooden articles	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	1 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/289 13 June 2000	n.a.	Methyl parathion on various commodities – Revocation or amendment of tolerances	Food safety	1 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/290 13 June 2000	n.a.	Methyl parathion – Proposed guidance for industry	Food safety	1 August 2000
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/88 – EMRG 13 June 2000	All countries	Live <i>Prunus</i> (stone fruit) material for decorative purposes – Plum Pox Virus	Plant protection	
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/54 - EMRG 13 June 2000	People's Republic of China	Cloven-hoofed animals and their meat products – Foot-and-mouth disease	Animal health	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/291 13 June 2000	n.a.	<i>Cydia pomonella</i> Granulosis Virus and <i>Mamestra configurata</i> Nuclearpolyhedrosis Virus – microbial pesticides	Food safety Plant Protection	6 July 2000
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/158 June 2000	n.a.	Cocoa and cocoa products	Food safety	22 July 2000
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/159 13 June 2000	n.a.	<i>Tortillas and tostadas</i>	Food safety	20 July 2000
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/87 16 June 2000	n.a.	Food supplements and nutrients marketed in dose form	Food safety	15 July 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/292 16 June 2000	n.a.	Dioxin – Toxicity and risk characterization	Food safety	October 2000

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/293 16 June 2000	n.a.	Antimicrobial – Food additive	Food safety	13 July 2000
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/19 27 June 2000	Countries exporting these products to the Philippines	Olaquinox and Carbadox used in livestock production	Food safety Animal health	01 July 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/294 27 June 2000	n.a.	Performance measures and goals for pesticide reregistration for 1999	Food safety	14 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/199/Add.1 27 June 2000	n.a.	Dircrotophos – Revised risk assessments	Food safety	14 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/54 27 June 2000	All countries	Fibre of lamoid – wool packs	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/55 27 June 2000	All countries	Fibre of lamoid for home spinning	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/56 27 June 2000	All countries	Fibre of lamoid for scouring	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/57 27 June 2000	All countries	Fibre of lamoid for testing	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 August 2000
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/160 27 June 2000	n.a.	Iodised and fluoridated salt	Food safety	27 July 2000
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/88 27 June 2000	n.a.	Food additives other than colours and sweeteners	Food safety	14 June 2000

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European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/89 27 June 2000	n.a.	D-mannitol (E 421) and maltitol syrup (E965 (ii))	Food safety	14 July 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/58 27 June 2000	All countries	Food produced from insect-protected corn line	Food safety	30 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/59 27 June 2000	All countries	Food produced from glyphosate-tolerant corn line	Food safety	30 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/60 27 June 2000	All countries	Food produced from glyphosate-tolerant cotton line	Food safety	30 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/61 27 June 2000	All countries	Food produced from high oleic acid soybean lines	Food safety	30 August 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/62 27 June 2000	All countries	Food produced from glyphosate-tolerant canola line	Food safety	30 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/295 28 June 2000	n.a.	Patulin in apple juice and its products	Food safety	15 August 2000
Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/56 29 June 2000	All countries	Plants, plant parts and plant products	Food safety Plant protection	23 June 2000
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/55 27 June 2000	n.a.	Cattle, pigs, sheep, chickens, ducks, turkeys and milk – MRLs for veterinary drugs	Food safety	31 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/296 28 June 2000	n.a.	Seeds – Standards for laboratory testing	Plant protection	21 August 2000
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/161 28 June 2000	n.a.	Meat – Sanitary specifications for establishments	Food safety	10 August 2000

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Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/162 28 June 2000	n.a.	Cereals – Aflatoxin maximum limits	Food safety	12 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/297 28 June 2000	n.a.	MRLs for paraquat in endive, fosetyl-Al in cranberries and cyprodinil in onions and strawberries	Food safety	21 July 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/298 28 June 2000	n.a.	Buprofezin – MRLs in various food commodities	Food safety	21 July 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/299 28 June 2000	n.a.	1-methylcyclopropene(1-MCP) – Regulations for residues	Food safety	21 July 2000

n.a. = not available, not identified