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**PHYTOSANITARY CERTIFICATE FOR EXPORT, PHYTOSANITARY
CERTIFICATE FOR RE-EXPORT AND ATTACHMENTS**

COMMUNICATION FROM NICARAGUA

The following communication, dated 29 June 2021, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Nicaragua.

1. The Institute for Agricultural and Livestock Protection and Health (IPSA), established by Law No. 862 creating the Institute for Agricultural and Livestock Protection and Health, published in Official Journal *La Gaceta* No. 91 of 20 May 2014, hereby advises that it will be using new formats for phytosanitary certificates for export and re-export and attachments, if necessary, in line with the recommendations set forth in International Standard for Phytosanitary Measures (ISPM) No. 12 and COMIECO Resolution No. 428/2020, Sanitary and Phytosanitary Directive on Trade Facilitation in Respect of Central American Shipments and Goods.

2. The aforementioned phytosanitary certificates for export and re-export and attachments will enter into force as from 5 July 2021.

3. A sample of the new certificate and attachment formats can be viewed at: <http://www.ipsa.gob.ni/SANIDAD-VEGETAL-Y-SEMILLA/Inspecci%C3%B3n-y-Certificaci%C3%B3n-Fitosanitaria>.

4. For information or inquiries, please consult the Institute for Agricultural and Livestock Protection and Health (IPSA), Department of Phytosanitary Inspection and Certification website at: <http://www.ipsa.gob.ni/>; Email: ricardo.somarriba@ipsa.gob.ni, santiago.rodriquez@ipsa.gob.ni, ramon.noquera@ipsa.gob.ni.
