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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
Sri Lanka G/SPS/N/LKA/1/Corr.1 3 October 2001	n.a.	Soya, corn, tomato and their products, cheese, potatoes and their products, yeast, beet sugar, microbiological starter cultures used in food	Food safety	1 September 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/506 2 October 2001	n.a.	Ethion - Receipt of request for registration cancellations	Food safety	26 October 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/320/Add.1 3 October 2001	n.a.	Zoxamide – MRLs in tomatoes and cucurbits	Food safety	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 26 November 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/77/Add.2 2 October 2001	Japan	Bovine meat and bovine products and by-products - BSE	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/104 2 October 2001	All countries	Quarantine pests (3) and regulated non-quarantine pests (30) for susceptible host plants	Plant protection	30 November 2001
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/174 2 October 2001	n.a.	Sources of infestation of pests	Plant protection	29 October 2001
Romania G/SPS/N/ROM/3 - EMRG 5 October 2001	Countries listed in the notification	Live animals, some products thereof from domestic and wild species (bovine, sheep, goats, pigs) - FMD	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease Protect territory from other damage from pests	
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/71 5 October 2001	n.a.	Labelling of maize and vegetables and derived products obtained through certain techniques of genetic modification	Food safety	60 days from the circulation of the notification
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/72 5 October 2001	n.a.	Milk and milk products	Food safety	n.a.

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/71 - EMRG 5 October 2001	All countries excluding EC member States, Switzerland and Liechtenstein	Processed animal proteins (meat and bone meal etc.) – BSE	Animal health	
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/72 -EMRG 5 October 2001	Czech Republic	Meat, viscera derived from cattle/sheep/goats and processed animal proteins – BSE	Animal health	
Spain G/SPS/N/ESP/1 – EMRG 9 October 2001	Countries exporting these products to Spain	Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon in olive-pomace oils (OPO)	Food safety	
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/96 5 October 2001	Patagonia region (Argentina)	Host products for fruit flies	Plant protection	15 October 2001
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/97 5 October 2001	North east Argentina	Fresh citrus fruit	Plant protection	15 October 2001
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/85/Add.1 9 October 2001	n.a.	Plant reproduction material subject to post-entry quarantine – Extension of the comment period	Plant protection	15 October 2001
Chile GSPS/SPS/N/CHL/86/Add.1 October 2001	Countries exporting this product to Chile	Meat juices or extracts – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	15 October 2001
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/123 5 October 2001	n.a.	Cloransulam-methyl – MRLs in soybeans	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	28 November 2001
Italy G/SPS/N/ITA/4 10 October 2001	EC member States and countries trading with the European Communities	Fish, amphibians, reptiles and aquatic invertebrates for aquarium	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	15 October 2001

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Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/34 11 October 2001	Ireland, France and the Netherlands	Live pigs, semen, pork, pork products and by- products – FMD-free status	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease Protect territory from other damage from pests	24 September 2001
Georgia G/SPS/N/GEO/17 11 October 2001	Japan	Livestock, meat and meat products and by- products	Food safety Animal health	n.a.
Peru G/SPS/N/PER/35 11 October 2001	Countries exporting these products to Peru	Plantain and banana (<i>Musa spp.</i>) propagating material and fruit	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/77/Add.3 15 October 2001	Countries listed in the notification	Bovine meat and bovine products and by-products - BSE	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/73 11 October 2001	n.a.	Food-contact apparatus, container, or package	Food safety	18 December 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/507 11 October 2001	n.a.	Revision of the regulations regarding the movements of plant pests	Plant health	10 December 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/251/Add.1 11 October 2001	n.a.	Fenthion, methidathion, naled, phorate and profenofos – Tolerance revocations	Food safety	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 4 December 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/183/Add.1 16 October 2001	n.a.	Ethyl parathion, phorate, phosalone and temephos – Risk management decision	Food safety	n.a.

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/187/Add.2 16 October 2001	n.a.	Chlorpyrifos methyl – Risk management decision	Food safety	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/188/Add.1 16 October 2001	n.a.	Ethyl parathion, phorate, phosalone and temephos – Risk management decision	Food safety	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/217/Add.3 16 October 2001	n.a.	Ethyl parathion, phorate, phosalone and temephos – Risk management decision	Food safety	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/235/Add.1 16 October 2001	n.a.	Ethyl parathion, phorate, phosalone and temephos – Risk management decision	Food safety	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/156 15 October 2001	Czech Republic, Japan and Switzerland	Shelf-stable pet foods containing bovine ingredients - Specified risk materials (SRMs)	Animal health	14 December 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/157 15 October 2001	European Communities	Shelf-stable pet foods containing bovine ingredients - Specified risk materials (SRMs)	Animal health	14 December 2001
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/133 16 October 2001	n.a.	Food and processed food - Irradiation	Food safety	20 November 2001
Panama G/SPS/N/PAN/38 17 October 2001	n.a.	Cattle farming: carcasses and cuts	Food safety Animal health	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/77Add.3//Corr.1 17 October 2001	United Kingdom, Portugal, France, Ireland, Switzerland, Belgium, Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Spain, Czech Rep., Greece and Japan	Bovine meat and bovine products and by-products - BSE	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/505/Add.1 - EMRG 17 October 2001	Japan	Ruminant meat and products – BSE	Food safety Animal health	17 December 2001
Slovenia G/SPS/N/SVN/8/Corr.1-EMRG 22 October 2001	n.a.	Domestic and wild ungulates, their products and by-products – FMD	Animal health Protect territory from other damage from pests	
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/73-EMRG 19 October 2001	Countries listed in the notification	Meat and meat products - BSE	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/175 – EMRG 24 October 2001	n.a.	Check and inspection points – Meat, carcasses, entrails and offal	Food safety	
Peru G/SPS/N/PER/36 – EMRG 23 October 2001	Bolivia	Ruminants and live swine, their products, non-sterile biological products, forage and hay - FMD	Animal health	
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/139 24 October 2001	EC member States and countries exporting to the European Communities	Pesticide residues in cereals, certain products of plant origin, including fruit and vegetables and animal feeding stuffs	Food safety	5 December 2001
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/98/Add.1 - EMRG 24 October 2001	Hungary	Seeds, nurseries and woods of <i>Alnus</i> spp. – Alder disease	Plant protection	
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/145/Add.1 25 October 2001	Australia	Horses – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/146/Add.1 25 October 2001	Canada	Horses – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/147/Add.1 25 October 2001	European Communities	Horses – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001

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New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/148/Add.1 25 October 2001	European Communities	Horse semen – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/149/Add.1 26 October 2001	United States	Horses – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/150/Add.1 26 October 2001	United States	Horse semen – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/151/Add.1 25 October 2001	Australia	Horse semen – Extension of the comment period	Animal health	1 November 2001
Austria G/SPS/N/AUT/2 - EMRG 26 October 2001	China (except Hong Kong), Korea, Taiwan and the United States	Wood packing material other than of conifers and <i>Fagus silvatica</i> and <i>Quercus</i> – Asian longhorn beetle (<i>Anoplophora glabripennis</i>)	Plant protection	
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/134 26 October 2001	n.a.	Chemical residues in processed foods in general	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease Protect territory from other damage from pests	20 December 2001
Indonesia G/SPS/N/IDN/16 26 October 2001	New Zealand and any country	Fresh fruits – Mediterranean fruit fly free status	Plant protection	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/508 - EMRG 31 October 2001	Countries affected by FMD	Meat from animal heads - FMD	Animal health	
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/98 31 October 2001	State of Michoacán, Mexico	Fresh Hass avocado (<i>Persea americana</i>)	Plant protection	30 November 2001
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/74 - EMRG 31 October 2001	n.a.	Processed animal proteins (meat and bone meal, meat meal, bone meal, blood meal etc.) - BSE	Animal health	

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Israel G/SPS/N/ISR/6/Add.1 31 October 2001	Uruguay	Deboned fresh meat and liver from bovine animals – FMD - Withdrawal of ban	Animal health	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/458/Add.1 31 October 2001	n.a.	Modified acrylic polymers – Establishment of regulations	Food safety	n.a.

n.a. = not available, not identified