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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/74/Corr.1 6 December 2001	n.a.	Royal jelly and royal jelly products	Food safety	n.a.
El Salvador G/SPS/N/SLV/35 3 December 2001	n.a.	Non-carbonated soft drinks	Food safety	5 January 2002
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/106 3 December 2001	n.a.	Acid-hydrolyzed vegetable protein (HVP) and soy sauce containing acid-HVP	Food safety	20 January 2002
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/99 3 December 2001	Mexico (except the State of Chiapas)	Papayas for consumption	Plant protection	30 December 2001
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/100 3 December 2001	Mexico (except the State of Chiapas)	Prickly pears (Indian figs) for consumption	Plant protection	30 December 2001
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/101 3 December 2001	n.a.	Dried fruit and vegetables which are host to fruit flies	Plant protection	30 December 2001
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/102 3 December 2001	All countries exporting this product to Chile	Chilled or frozen bovine meat	Animal health	20 December 2001
Poland G/SPS/N/POL/23/Add.1 3 December 2001	United Kingdom and North Ireland	Swine, pork and pork products – Classical swine fever – Withdrawal of ban	Animal health	n.a.
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/103 3 December 2001	n.a.	Pesticides for experimentation	Plant protection	10 January 2002
United States G/SPS/N/USA/246/Add.1 4 December 2001	n.a.	Pirimiphos-methyl – Interim risk management decision	Food safety	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/502/Add.1 4 December 2001	n.a.	Azinphos-methyl and phosmet – Interim risk management decision	Food safety	28 January 2002

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European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/145 4 December 2001	EC member States and countries exporting to the European Communities	Presence of BADGE, BFDGE and NOGE in food	Food safety	14 December 2001. Comments may be welcome at any time.
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/146 – EMRG 4 December 2001	EC member States and countries exporting to the European Communities	Nifursol – Withdrawal of the authorization of use in turkeys	Food safety	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/197/Add.2 4 December 2001	n.a.	Chlorpyrifos – Interim risk management decision	Food safety	14 January 2002
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/60 7 December 2001	n.a.	Prepacked food products and beverages – Nutritional labelling requirements	Food safety	15 December 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/524 – EMRG 10 December 2001	Czech Republic	Ruminants, meat and meat products – BSE	Food safety	4 February 2002
United States G/SPS/N/USA/138/Add.1 10 December 2001	n.a.	Dichlobenil, metribuzin, pendimethalin, terbacil, diphenylamine and sulprofos – Final rule	Food safety	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 4 February 2002
United States G/SPS/N/USA/525 11 December 2001	n.a.	Pelargonic acid nonanoic acid and decanoic acid – No tolerance required in various commodities – Extension of the comment period	Food safety	7 January 2002
United States G/SPS/N/USA/489/Add.1 11 December 2001	n.a.	Imported food products of animal origin – Drug residue tolerances – Extension of the comment period	Food safety	11 March 2002
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/161 11 December 2001	All countries	Any product that is, or contains GMOs	Protect territory from other damage from pests	12 February 2002
United States G/SPS/N/USA/214/Add.1 14 December 2001	Portugal	Pork and pork products – African swine fever – Ban withdrawal	Animal health	8 February 2002

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/526 14 December 2001	Mexico	Oranges, tangerines and grapefruit in transit	Plant health	4 February 2002
United States G/SPS/N/USA/438/Add.1 14 December 2001	Germany, Italy and Spain	Ruminants and their products – BSE – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/453/Add.1 14 December 2001	Argentina	Fresh (chilled or frozen) beef – FMD – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/454/Add.1 14 December 2001	Republic of San Marino and the Independent Principalities of Andorra and Monaco	Ruminants, meat, meat products and certain other products of ruminants – BSE – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
Morocco G/SPS/N/MAR/14 21 December 2001	n.a.	Poultry farming and poultry products	Food safety Animal health	Before end of 2001
Morocco G/SPS/N/MAR/15 21 December 2001	n.a.	Aquatic animals	Food safety Animal health	Before end of 2001
Morocco G/SPS/N/MAR/16 - EMRG 21 December 2001	All countries for live animals and countries affected by BSE for the other products	Live bovine animals, their products and by products - BSE	Food safety Animal health	
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/145/Add.2 19 December 2001	Australia	Horses – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/146/Add.2 19 December 2001	Canada	Horses – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/147/Add.2 19 December 2001	European Communities	Horses – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/148/Add.2 19 December 2001	European Communities	Horse semen – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.

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New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/149/Add.2 19 December 2001	United States	Horses – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/150/Add.2 19 December 2001	United States	Horse semen – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/151/Add.2 19 December 2001	Australia	Horse semen – Final rule	Animal health	n.a.
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/104 21 December 2001	All countries exporting these products to Chile	Pet food - BSE	Animal health	31 January 2002
Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/26 21 December 2001	n.a.	MRLs for foreign substances and toxic components in foodstuffs	Food safety	15 February 2002
Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/27 21 December 2001	n.a.	Foodstuffs containing less than 20% meat from the bovine, ovine and caprine species – BSE	Food safety	15 February 2002
Norway G/SPS/N/NOR/5 21 December 2001	n.a.	Helva and tahini products - Salmonella	Food safety	n.a.
Norway G/SPS/N/NOR/6 21 December 2001	Spain	Olive oil	Food safety	n.a.
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/35/Add.1 21 December 2001	China	Apple, pear, apricot, peach, plum, quince, cherry, almond, walnut, ornamental apple and corn – Codling moth – Ban withdrawal	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	n.a.

n.a. = not available, not identified