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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
Chinese Taipei G/SPS/N/TPKM/19/Rev.3 2 November 2004	Trading partners	Plants or plant products – Quarantine requirements	Plant protection	31 October 2004
El Salvador G/SPS/N/SLV/60 3 November 2004	All countries	Bovine animals, parts, products and by-products, chemical and pharmaceutical products - BSE	Animal health	n.a.
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/170 2 November 2004	Any trading partner	Plants or plant products – Addition of 15 species of quarantine pests	Plant protection	60 days after circulation of the notification
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/311 2 November 2004	United Arab Emirates	Horses – Sanitary requirements for re-entry into New Zealand	Animal health	26 December 2004
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1000 – EMRG 2 November 2004	Canada	Nursery stock – Pine shoot beetle	Plant protection	
United States G/SPS/NUSA/636/Add.1 2 November 2004	Australia, Canada and New Zealand	Bees and related articles – Final rule	Plant protection	
Bulgaria G/SPS/N/BGR/23 - EMRG 11 November 2004	Italy and Portugal	Live swine, fresh pork meat, pork meat products, offal, skins and bristles from swine – Swine Vesicular Disease and African Swine Fever.	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Costa Rica G/SPS/N/CRI/35/Add.1 3 November 2004	All trading partners	Wood packaging material – Extension of the comment period	Plant protection	2 November 2004
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1001 9 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Mepanipyrim – MRLs in fruits	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	13 December 1004
United States G/SPS/N/USA/231/Add.2 11 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Deltamethrin – MRLs in various commodities	Food safety	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 27 December 2004
United States G/SPS/N/USA/797/Add.1 11 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Pyraclostrobin – MRLs in various commodities	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 28 December 2004

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/980/Add.1 11 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Pyraclostrobin – MRLs in various commodities	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 28 December 2004
United States G/SPS/N/USA/981/Add.1 11 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Pyraclostrobin – MRLs in various commodities	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 28 December 2004
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/198/Add.1 16 November 2004	Trading partners exporting these products to Mexico	Cheese – Sanitary requirements - Cancellation	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/196/Add.1 17 November 2004	All trading partners marketing these products	Confectionery products – Maximum levels of microbiological organisms, food additives and contaminants - Cancellation	Food safety	
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/202/Add.1 17 November 2004	Trading partners	Snack foods and appetizers – Health specifications - Cancellation	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/172 18 November 2004	All countries exporting these products to Chile	Bovine and bovine products – BSE	Animal health	17 December 2004
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/171 17 November 2004	Any trading partners	Pesticides – Establishment of MRLs in various commodities	Food safety	3 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/222 17 November 2004	Not stated	Fenamidone – MRLs in potatoes	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/223 17 November 2004	Not stated	Famoxadone – MRLs in tomatoes, milk fat, liver of animals and potatoes	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/224 17 November 2004	Not stated	Picloram – MRLs in kidney, fat, liver, meat and meat by-products, in wheat, barley and eggs	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N7CAN/225	Not sated	Difenoconazole – MRLs in wheat and barley, seeds, eggs, meat and meat by-products, milk,	Food safety	20 January 2005

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17 November 2004		corn and other foods		
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/226 17 November 2004	Not stated	Dimethomorph – MRLs in potatoes and other foods	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/227 17 November 2004	Not stated	Mesotrione – MRLs in eggs, corn, meat and meat by-products and milk	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/228 18 November 2004	Not stated	Fenbuconazole – MRLs in fruits	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/229 17 November 2004	Not stated	Dimethenamid – MRLs in onions and other foods	Food safety	20 January 2005
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/230 18 November 2004	Not stated	Infant formulas – Maximum level of vitamin D	Food safety	This document is not for comment. A comment period will be provided in a revision of this notification.
India G/SPS/N/IND/15 – EMRG 17 November 2004	All WTO Members	Pesticides/insecticides residue limits in various foods	Food safety	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1002 17 November 2004	All trading partners	Plant and plant products – Requests for changes in regulations	Plant protection	27 December 2004
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/92 – EMRG 19 November 2004	Brazil	Bovine, ovine, swine and the products thereof – FMD	Animal health	
Chinese Taipei G/SPS/N/TPKM/19/Rev.4 22 November 2004	Trading partners	Plants or plant products – Quarantine requirements	Plant protection	10 January 2005
Morocco G/SPS/N/MAR/22 18 November 2004	Not specified	Live bovine - BSE	Animal health	Not established
Morocco G/SPS/N/MAR/23 19 November 2004	Not specified	Breeding animals of the type cattle, sheep, goat and equine – Zoosanitary standards	Animal health	Not established
Morocco	Not specified	Poultry and poultry products – Sanitary	Food safety	Not established

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G/SPS/N/MAR/24 18 November 2004		requirements	Animal health	
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/247/Add.1 18 November 2004	EC member States and countries exporting these products to the European Communities	Coffee, wine, grape juice and grapes – Ochratoxin A	Food safety	n.a.
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/50/Add.1 – EMRG 18 November 2004	Korea	Poultry and poultry products – Avian influenza – Withdrawal of the ban	Animal health	
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/231 23 November 2004	Not stated	New substances (organisms) – Risk assessments	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	29 December 2004
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/77/Add.2 - EMRG 19 November 2004	Venezuela	Bovine animals, sheep and swine and susceptible species, products and by-products thereof – FMD	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/873/Add.1 22 November 2004	Trading partners	All foods – Manufacture of mannitol – Final rule	Food safety	
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/190/Add.1 24 November 2004	n.a.	Bentazon – MRLs in flax –Final rule	Food safety	
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/193/Add.1 24 November 2004	n.a.	Pyrimethanil – MRLs in bananas – Final rule	Food safety	
India G/SPS/N/IND/16 29 November 2004	All trading partners exporting these products to India	Artificial sweeteners in processed food	Food safety	This notification is for information only
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/130 25 November 2004	All countries	Tolfenpyrad and cyazofamid – MRLs in vegetables, fruits, tea and cereals	Food safety	26 January 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1003 25 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Cyhexatin – Risk assessments	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	10 January 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1004	Any US trading partners	Hexythiazox – MRLs in corn	Food safety Protect humans from	10 January 2005

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25 November 2004			animal/plant pest or disease	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/964/Add.1 25 November 2004	Any US trading partners	Glyphosate – MRLs in cotton	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 10 January 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/907/Add.1 26 November 2004	All trading partners	Food for human consumption except for meat, poultry and egg products – Food labelling – Extension of the comment period	Food safety	18 January 2005
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/90/Add.1 29 November 2004	Countries trading these products with Colombia	Brown sugar (panela) for human consumption – Sanitary requirements	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/118 30 November 2004	All countries	Food additives	Food safety	60 days after circulation of the notification
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/119 30 November 2004	All countries	Cow's milk	Food safety	60 days after circulation of the notification
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/298/Add.2 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Dracaena</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/267/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Allium</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/268/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Hippeastrum</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/269/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Iris</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/270/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Lilium</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/271/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Sandersonia</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.

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New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/272/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Tulipa</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/273/Add.1 30 November 2004	All countries	<i>Zantedeschia</i> nursery stock – Import requirements	Plant protection	n.a.

n.a. = not available, not identified