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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1453 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Coumaphos – MRLs in honey and honey comb - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	17 November 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1454 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Di-n-Alkyl (C8-10) dimethyl ammonium chloride – MRLs in food contact surfaces - Pesticides	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	25 November 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1455 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Methoxyfenozide – MRLs in various commodities - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	20 November 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1456 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Pesticides – MRLs in various wheat, milk, meat and meat by-products	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	20 November 2006
Bulgaria G/SPS/N/BGR/27 1 November 2006	All countries	Plants and plant products – Phytosanitary control	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	Not applicable
Armenia G/SPS/N/ARM/2 1 October 2006	All trade partners	Milk and milk products – Sanitary requirements	Food safety	18 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1423/Add.2 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Guar (edible) gums – Delete uses	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Written withdrawal request should be received at the latest 28 February 2007

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1358/Add.1 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Dichlorvos (DDVP) in mushroom house – Termination of uses	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1457 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Cyfluthrin – MRLs in grass, forage and hay	Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	27 November 2006
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/98/Add.2 November 2006	Trading partners	Products which contain elements which may be aids to maintaining the metabolic processes of the organism	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/121 – EMRG 3 November 2006	Venezuela	Bovine animals, sheep, goats, swine and other species - FMD	Animal health	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1378/Add.2 2 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Pentachloronitrobenzene in various commodities – Pesticides – Extension of the comment period	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	4 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1421/Add.1 3 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Carbofuran in various fruit and vegetable crops - Pesticides – Extension of the comment period	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	30 November 2006
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/98/Add.14 – EMRG 8 November 2006	Poland and Switzerland	Propagative and non-propagative materials – Sudden Oak Death disease – Phytosanitary measures	Plant protection	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1458 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Bacillus thuringiensis modified Cry3A protein in corn – Pesticides – Exemption from the requirement of a tolerance - GMOs	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	2 January 2007

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1459 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Indole-3-acetic acid in commodities - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	2 January 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1460 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Biter fighter \TM\ as insect attractants - Pesticides	Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	1 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1461 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Chlorflurenol in all commodities – Risk assessment - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	2 January 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1462 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Bacillus thuringiensis Vip3A protein in corn – Establishment of a tolerance – Pesticides - GMOs	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	1 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1463 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Racer(\TM\)\ concentrate containing ammonium nonanoate in grasses, vines, underbrush, annual/perennial plants	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	1 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1392/Add.2 9 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Organic arsenical herbicides - Extension of the comment period	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	13 December 2006
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/279/Add.2 14 November 2006	Countries listed in the notification	Ornamental fish – Entry into force of a new regulation	Animal health	

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Romania G/SPS/N/ROU/19 14 November 2006	All trading partners	Semen of domestic bovine animals – Sanitary requirements	Animal health	Not applicable
Romania G/SPS/N/ROU/20 14 November 2006	All trading partners	Products of animal origin – Sanitary requirements	Food safety Animal health	Not applicable
Romania G/SPS/N/ROU/21 14 November 2006	All trading partners	Semen from domestic swine – Sanitary requirements	Animal health	Not applicable
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/241 14 November 2006	Uruguay	Potatoes for consumption – Phytosanitary requirements	Plant protection	30 December 2006
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/242 14 November 2006	All countries	Oocytes, ova and embryos of swine – Sanitary requirements	Animal health	30 December 2006
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/243 14 November 2006	Chinese Taipei	Fresh lychees – Phytosanitary requirements	Plant protection	30 December 2006
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/21 – EMRG 16 November 2006	All countries	One-day old parent ducklings – Sanitary requirements – Avian influenza	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/22 – EMRG 16 November 2006	China	De-boned frozen beef – Sanitary requirements	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/23 – EMRG 16 November 2006	Australia, Hungary, Moldova, New Zealand, Romania and Ukraine	Live animals (cattle and sheep) – Sanitary requirements - Brucellosis, leucosis and BVD	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/14/Add.1 16 November 2006	Canada	Frozen bovine liver, kidney and heart – Sanitary requirements – Entry into force of a new regulation	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	

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Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/5/Add.2 16 November 2006	All countries	Imported meat – Entry into force of a new regulation	Animal health	
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/169 16 November 2006	All countries	Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose – Standards - Food additive	Food safety	15 January 2007
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/157/Add.2 23 November 2006	All countries	FMD–susceptible animals and derived products	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/219 23 November 2006	European Communities	Fruits – Pesticide residues	Food safety Plant protection	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/220 23 November 2006	United States	Seedlings of <i>Paspalum vaginatum</i> – Phytosanitary requirements	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/221 23 November 2006	All countries	Flavoured milk – Standards	Food safety	21 November 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/222 23 November 2006	All countries	Modified dried milk – Standards	Food safety	21 November 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/223 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Reproduction material (semen and embryos of animal species)	Animal health	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/224 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Apples	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/225 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Diagnostic veterinary products	Animal health	2 December 2006

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Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/226 23 November 2006	All countries	Non-agglutinating antibody vaccine against bovine Brucellosis	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	1 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/227 23 November 2006	United States	Seeds/capsules of <i>Populus deltoides</i> – Phytosanitary requirements	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/228 23 November 2006	All countries	Plant products – Definition of area under phytosanitary protection	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/229 23 November 2006	All countries	Plant products – Establishment of areas under phytosanitary protection	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/230 23 November 2006	All countries	Domestic animal embryos	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/231 23 November 2006	All countries	Bovine, bubaline, caprine and ovine semen	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/232 23 November 2006	All countries	Swine semen	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/233 23 November 2006	All countries	Milk supplement – Standards	Food safety	21 November 2006

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Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/234 23 November 2006	Trading partners	<i>In vitro</i> embryos of domestic animals	Animal health	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/235 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Domestic swine – Aujeszky disease	Animal health	21 November 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/236 23 November 2006	All countries	Equine semen	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/237 23 November 2006	All countries	Mango – <i>Anastrepha fratecurlus</i> , <i>Anastrepha oblique</i> and <i>Ceratitis capitata</i>	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	15 November 2006
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/156 – EMRG 22 November 2006	Minnesota (United States), Saskatchewan and Manitoba (Canada) and Kazakhstan	Cloven-hoofed animals and their products – Anthrax	Animal health	
Germany G/SPS/N/DEU/7Add.1 22 November 2006	n.a.	Natural mineral waters, spring waters, table waters – Maximum level of uranium	Food safety	n.a.
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/157/Rev.17 – EMRG 22 November 2006	European Communities, Norway, Switzerland and United States	All plants for planting and non propagative plant parts that are hosts of <i>Phytophthora ramorum</i>	Plant protection	
The Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/25/Add.3 22 November 2006	France	Meat and meat products derived from cattle – BSE – Withdrawal of the ban	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
The Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/110/Add.1 - EMRG November 2006	The Netherlands	Live domestic and wild birds, live poultry, poultry meat, day-old chicks, eggs and semen – Avian influenza	Animal health	

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Chinese Taipei G/SPS/N/TPKM/94 22 November 2006	Countries exporting these products to Chinese Taipei	Highly toxic agro-pesticides	Plant protection	31 January 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1464 22 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Cetylpyridinium chloride in raw poultry carcasses - Pesticides	Food safety	See comments in notification
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/122 23 November 2006	All countries	Live poultry, poultry meat and fertile eggs – Avian influenza	Animal health	22 January 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1465 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Weed killers, weed and feed products – Pesticides	Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	7 May 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1466 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Fenamidone – MRLs in vegetable, strawberry and cotton - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	8 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1467 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Thiophanate-methyl – MRLs in various commodities – Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	8 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1468 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Triadimefon in apples, pears, grapes, raspberries and residential turf – Pesticides – Termination of uses	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	7 May 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1469 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Fenpropathrin – MRLs in various commodities – Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	15 December 2006

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1470 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Cymoxanil – MRLs in caneberry – Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	15 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1321/Add.1 23 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Aldicarb in various commodities – Risk assessment - Pesticides	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Armenia G/SPS/N/ARM/3 23 November 2006	All trading partners	Wheat and meslin, rye, barley, oats, maize, sorghum, buckwheat, millet and other cereals – Technical regulation	Food safety	8 January 2007
Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/98 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Fish or ornamental invertebrates – Sanitary requirements	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	60 days after circulation of the notification
Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/99 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Earthworms – Sanitary requirements	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	60 days after circulation of the notification
Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/100 23 November 2006	Trading partners	Chinchillas – Sanitary requirements	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	60 days after circulation of the notification
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/361 27 November 2006	All countries	Marine and freshwater bivalve molluscan shellfish – Pathogenic viruses	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	10 January 2007
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/244 27 November 2006	Bolivia	<i>Zea mays</i> (maize/corn) seed for consumption	Plant protection	10 December 2006

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Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/245 27 November 2006	Countries which require official health certification	Fishery products – Health certificate	Food safety	31 December 2006
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/22128 November 2006	All trading countries	Baby and infant foods, weight-control food, medical foods, foods for pregnant and lactating women, and mineral analysis methods - Standards	Food safety	60 days after circulation of the notification
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/238 28 November 2006	All countries	Fludioxonil – MRLs in sorghum - Pesticides	Food safety	16 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/239 28 November 2006	All countries	Difenoconazole – MRLs in cotton seeds, peach and papaya	Food safety	16 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/240 28 November 2006	All countries	Spirodiclofen in apple – Technical regulation	Food safety	16 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/241 28 November 2006	All countries	Formetanate – MRLs in potato, eggplant, bean, watermelon and green pepper	Food safety	14 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/242 28 November 2006	All countries	Ethiprole – MRLs in rice and sugar cane	Food safety	30 November 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/243 28 November 2006	All countries	Metalaxyl-M – MRLs in sorghum	Food safety	14 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/244 28 November 2006	See notification	Horses, veterinary products and animal feed – Sanitary requirements	Animal health	Not applicable
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/115/Add.4 28 November 2006	All countries	<i>Mycosphaerella fijiensis</i> – Pest-free area (Rio Grande Do Norte State) - Entry into force of a new regulation	Plant protection	
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/115/Add.5 28 November 2006	All countries	<i>Mycosphaerella fijiensis</i> – Pest-free area (Maranhão State) - Entry into force of a new regulation	Plant protection	

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Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/144/Add.1 28 November 2006	All countries	Livestock and agricultural international surveillance – Entry into force of a new regulation	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease Protect territory from other damage from pests	
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/245 28 November 2006	Trading partners	National Programme of Agricultural Health Education	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	10 December 2006
Romania G/SPS/N/ROU/22 30 November 2006	All trading partners	Live ungulate animals – Sanitary veterinary norm	Animal health	Not applicable
Romania G/SPS/N/ROU/23 30 November 2006	All trading partners	Animal casings – Sanitary veterinary norm	Animal health	Not applicable
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/103/Add.16 29 November 2006	EC member States and countries exporting these products to the European Communities	Animal products and by-products not for human consumption – Entry into force of a new regulation	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/123 30 November 2006	Trading partners	Dietary supplements	Food safety	27 February 2007
Nepal G/SPS/N/NPL/3 30 November 2006	Any country exporting Nepal	Maize (corn), wheat, paneer, cinnamon powder and fortified wheat flour – Quality standards	Food safety	1 February 2007

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Nepal G/SPS/N/NPL/4 30 November 2006	Any country exporting to and importing these products from Nepal	All plants and plant products	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	1 February 2007
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1471 30 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Triadimenol in sorghum – Request of termination of uses - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1472 30 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Cyproconazole – MRLs in soybeans, corn, wheat, and certain animal commodities (cattle, goat, hog, horse and sheep) - Pesticides	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1473 30 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Famoxadone – MRLs in caneberry - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1474 30 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Foramsulfuron in corn – Exemption from the requirement of a tolerance - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 December 2006
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1475 30 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Methyl parathion in cabbage, dried beans, dried peas, hops, lentils, pecans and sugar beets – Request of termination of uses - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 December 2006

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1476 30 November 2006	Any US trading partners	Pyriproxyfen – MRLs in various commodities - Pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	22 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/246 30 November 2006	All countries	Trichoderma harzianum in beans – Technical regulations - Pesticides	Food safety	23 December 2006
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/247 30 November 2006	All countries	Methyl eugenol in cashew, chestnut, breadfruit, jackfruit, pepper, Surinam cherry and tomato – Technical regulations - Pesticides	Food safety	23 December 2006
Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/63 30 November 2006	Trading partners	Bovine animals – Bovine Viral Diarrhoea (BVD)	Animal health	31 January 2007

n.a. = not available, not identified