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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/305/Corr.1 3 August 2000	n.a.	Pesticides – Policies issues related to the Food Quality Protection Act	Food safety	28 August 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/313 4 August 2000	n.a.	Microbial pesticides – <i>Streptomyces lydicus</i> WYEC 108 and <i>Colletotrichum gloeosporioides f.sp. malvae</i>	Food safety	31 August 2000
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/49/Add.1 4 August 2000	n.a.	Specific risk material – BSE	Food safety Animal health	Comments are welcome and will be taken into account as foreseen by Article 8 of Commission Decision 2000/418/EC
United States G/SPS/N/USA/314 3 August 2000	n.a.	Azoxystrobin – MRLs in various food commodities	Food safety	1 September 2000
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/56 4 August 2000	n.a.	Foods containing GMOs	Food safety	7 October 2000
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/57 4 August 2000	n.a.	Foods containing specific raw materials which can cause allergy	Food safety	7 October 2000
Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/21 10 August 2000	n.a.	Meat and meat products – Use of hormones; poultry inspection	Food safety Animal health	13 October 2000
Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/22 10 August 2000	n.a.	Live animals from the European Union and Norway, meat and meat products of domestic poultry, rabbits and venison; feed and pet food	Food safety Animal health	13 October 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/286/Add.1 10 August 2000	n.a.	Irradiation treatment of fruits and vegetables – Extension of the comment period	Plant health	21 August 2000

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Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/62 10 August 2000	All countries exporting these products to Chile	Ovine and caprine semen	Animal health	15 September 2000
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/118/Add.1 15 August 2000	n.a.	Methyl bromide used as fumigant in agricultural produce, shipping containers, wooden packaging and packing material, bulk timber and wooden articles – Extension of the comment period	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	30 September 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/315 15 August 2000	n.a.	Bacillusthuringiensis (B.t.) corn and cotton plant-pesticides – Reassessment process	Food safety	Opportunities for public comment throughout reassessment process
United States G/SPS/N/USA/316 17 August 2000	n.a.	Glyphosate – MRLs in various crops	Food safety	13 September 2000
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/63 – EMRG 17 August 2000	Canada, Denmark, Scotland, United States, Finland, Ireland, Norway, Sweden and other exporters	Eggs of salmonidae	Animal health	
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/64 17 August 2000	All countries exporting this product to Chile	Seeds for fruit and vegetable crops, aromatic and medicinal species	Plant protection	1 October 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/197/Add.1 18 August 2000	n.a.	Chlorpyrifos - Revised risk assessment	Food safety	16 October 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/305/Add.1 23 August 2000	n.a.	Pesticide draft science policy document – Extension of the comment period	Food safety	15 September 2000

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Poland G/SPS/N/POL/23 – EMRG 23 August 2000	United Kingdom	Swine, pork and pork products – Classical swine fever	Animal health	
Norway G/SPS/N/NOR/4 25 August 2000	n.a.	Plant and plant products	Plant protection	10 September 2000
Georgia G/SPS/N/GEO/12 25 August 2000	n.a.	Livestock (poultry), meat and meat products, raw materials of livestock origin	Food safety Animal health	Non-applicable
Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/57 29 August 200	All countries exporting these products to Argentina	Wooden shipping, packing and packaging materials	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	29 September 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/64 29 August 2000	United Kingdom	Live passerine birds – Exotic avian diseases and salmonella	Animal health	27 October 2000
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/71 29 August 2000	n.a.	Health supplement foods containing <i>Gymnema sylvestra</i> and <i>Ogapy</i>	Food safety	30 September 2000
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/65 29 August 2000	All countries exporting these products to Chile	Animal feed regulation	Animal health	20 October 2000
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/65 29 August 2000	All countries	Used vehicles – Gypsy moth and disease-vectoring exotic mosquitoes	Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	25 October 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/317 30 August 2000	n.a.	Imported fruits and vegetables; Mediterranean fruit fly freedom in parts of Mexico, Belize and Guatemala	Plant health	20 October 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/318 30 August 2000	n.a.	Halosulfuron-methyl – MRLs in cucumber/squash	Food safety	22 September 2000

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/319 30 August 2000	n.a.	Imazapic – MRLs in milk, animal meat and by-products and animal fat	Food safety	25 September 2000
United States G/SPS/N/USA/267/Add.1 30 August 2000	Korea	Fugi variety apples – Extension of the comment period	Plant protection	23 October 2000

n.a. = not available, not identified