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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/103/Add.1 7 February 2001	EC member States and countries exporting to the European Communities	Animal by-products not for human consumption – BSE – Extension of the comment period	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	28 February 2001
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/85 – EMRG 2 February 2001	Countries listed in the notification	Live ruminants, their meat products and by- products (except hide, skin, milk and milk products) – BSE	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/86 – EMRG 2 February 2001	United States and Canada	Live cervids and their products including venison and venison products – Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD)	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/64 2 February 2001	n.a.	Seafood – <i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i>	Food safety	6 April 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/360/Add.1 2 February 2001	n.a.	Pre-chill poultry carcasses – Salmonella and E. Coli – Extension of the comment period	Food safety	2 April 2001
Peru G/SPS/N/PER/22 5 February 2001	Countries exporting these products to Peru	Plantain and banana (<i>Musa spp.</i>)	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	n.a.
Peru G/SPS/N/PER/23 5 February 2001	Countries exporting this product to Peru	Citrus plants – Citrus black spot, Sweet orange scab and citrus canker	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/283/Add.1 6 February 2001	n.a.	Diazinon – Revised risk assessment	Food safety	2 April 2001

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New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/78 – EMRG 5 February 2001	Canada	Deer/elk velvet	Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Philippines G/SPS/N/PHL/26 6 February 2001	United Kingdom (except East Anglia)	Live pigs and semen – Classical Swine Fever	Food safety Animal health	27 February 2001
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/110 8 February 2001	EC member States and countries importing and exporting food to the European Communities	Food or foodstuff	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	30 March 2001
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/111 8 February 2001	EC member States and countries exporting to the European Communities	Specified pathogen free (SPF) eggs for vaccine production	Animal protection	30 February 2001
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/112 – EMRG 8 February 2001	EC member States and countries importing or exporting feedingstuffs of animal origin to the European Communities	Feedingstuffs of terrestrial animal origin – TSE	Food safety Animal health	
Peru G/SPS/N/PER/24 – EMRG 8 February 2001	United Kingdom, Ireland, France, Portugal, Switzerland, the Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, Denmark, Spain, Germany and Italy	Live bovine animals, products and sub- products of bovine, sheep or goat origin (except semen, milk and dairy products); concentrated food. - BSE	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/347/Corr.1 9 February 2001	n.a.	Animal drugs – Enrofloxacin for poultry	Food safety	21 February 2001
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/65/Add.2 9 February 2001	All countries	Used vehicles – Inspection and certification	Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
Indonesia G/SPS/N/IDN/14 – EMRG 12 February 2001	EC member States	Live animals and animal products of ruminant origin – BSE	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/392 13 February 2001	n.a.	Biological pesticide – Alternaria destruens	Plant protection	9 March 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/393 13 February 2001	n.a.	Foramsulfuron – MRLs in corn	Food safety	9 March 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/394 13 February 2001	n.a.	Endothall – MRLs in cottonseed and apples	Food safety	9 March 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/395 - EMRG 13 February 2001	South Africa	Ruminants or swine and their products – Foot-and-mouth disease	Animal health	10 April 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/396 13 February 2001	n.a.	Crustaceans and processed crustaceans – Ionizing radiation	Food safety	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/283/Add.2 6 February 2001	n.a.	Diazinon – Revised risk assessment	Food safety	2 April 2001
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/95 14 February 2001	n.a.	Ethylenebisdithiocarbamate fungicide – MRLs in various fruits and vegetables	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	12 March 2001

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/65 - EMRG 19 February 2001		Meat, viscera derived from cattle, sheep, goat and water buffalo, meat products made from the said meat and viscera – TSE	Food safety. Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/126 19 February 2001	Principally Asia	Prawn and prawn products	Animal health	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/397 19 February 2001	n.a.	Atrazine – Preliminary risk assessment	Food safety	16 April 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/398 19 February 2001	n.a.	Bifenthrin – MRLs in bananas	Food safety	16 March 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/399 19 February 2001	n.a.	Flumioxazin – MRLs in soybean seed, peanut nutmeat and sugar cane	Food safety	16 March 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/364/Add.1 19 February 2001	n.a.	Clomazone – MRLs in tuberous and corm vegetables (except potato) and cucurbit vegetables	Food safety	n.a.
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/70 20 February 2001	United States	Stone fruit (<i>Prunus spp.</i>)	Plant protection	25 March 2001
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/71 20 February 2001	Countries exporting these products to Chile	Plants and parts thereof of ornamental species	Plant protection	25 March 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/400 20 February 2001	n.a.	Food – Irradiation	Food safety	19 March 2001
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/87 – EMRG 20 February 2001	Countries listed in the notification (30 countries)	Meat, offal and meat products of ruminant origin; animal rendered protein (except milk, milk products, hide and skin) - BSE	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/222/Add.1 23 February 2001	n.a.	Flutolanil - MRLs in potatoes and rice	Food safety	23 April 2001
United States G/SPS/N/USA/331/Add.1 23 February 2001	n.a.	Dimethylpolysiloxane residues	Food safety	23 April 2001
Bulgaria G/SPS/N/BGR/3/Rev.2– EMRG 26 February 2001	United Kingdom, Ireland, France, Portugal, Switzerland, the Netherlands, Belgium, Denmark, Spain, Germany and Italy	Bovine animals and by-products and preparations from organs of bovine and ovine animals – BSE.	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Malaysia G/SPS/N/MYS/8 – EMRG 26 February 2001	EC member States and Switzerland	Live cattle and processed protein – BSE	Food safety Animal health Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/79 – EMRG 26 February 2001	France and Germany	Inedible bovine by-products – BSE	Animal health	
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/41/Corr.1 27 February 2001	n.a.	Vinegar	Food safety	60 days from the WTO circulation date
Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/60 – EMRG 28 February 2001	n.a.	Feedingstuffs of animal origin – Drug residues in food	Food safety	
Singapore G/SPS/N/SGP/14 – EMRG 26 February 2001	United Kingdom	Meat and meat products derived from sheep, goats, pigs ad game, except for game of avian origin – Foot-and-mouth disease	Animal health	

n.a. = not available, not identified