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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>ARGENTINA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> <i>Servicio Nacional de Sanidad y Calidad Agroalimentaria, SENASA</i> (National Agriculture and Food Quality and Health Service)
<b>3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Propagation material (plants and cuttings) of ornamental species
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries: Brazil
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> <i>Requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de material de propagación (plantas y esquejes) de especies ornamentales, destino propagación, origen Brasil</i> (Phytosanitary requirements governing the importation into Argentina of propagation material (plants and cuttings) of ornamental species from Brazil) <b>Language(s):</b> Spanish <b>Number of pages:</b> 1  Text available at: <a href="http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/SPS/ARG/17_3582_00_s.pdf">http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/SPS/ARG/17_3582_00_s.pdf</a>
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Amendment to the phytosanitary requirements governing the importation into Argentina of propagation material (plants and cuttings) of ornamental species from Brazil.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
<b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input type="checkbox"/> World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): International Standards for Phytosanitary Measures (ISPM) Nos. 2 and 11 <input type="checkbox"/> None <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the</b>

<b>international standard:</b>	
<b>9.</b>	<b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b>
<b>10.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> After the deadline for submitting comments <b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> After adoption
<b>11.</b>	<b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 4 September 2017 <input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure
<b>12.</b>	<b>Final date for comments:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 1 September 2017 <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. <b>Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b> Ministerio de Agroindustria Dirección Nacional de Relaciones Agroalimentarias Internacionales Azopardo 1025, Piso 12, Oficina 5 (CP 1063) Buenos Aires, Argentina Tel.: (+54 11) 4363-6208 Fax: (+54 11) 4363-6329 E-mail: sps-argentina@magyp.gob.ar maxmor@magyp.gob.ar
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