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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1. **Notifying Member: ARGENTINA** If applicable, name of local government involved: 2. Agency responsible: Servicio Nacional de Sanidad y Calidad Agroalimentaria, SENASA (National Agriculture and Food Quality and Health Service) 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): Hosts of the pest Halyomorfa halys 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: [X] All trading partners [] **Specific regions or countries:** 5. Title of the notified document: Incorporación de especies vegetales como hospedantes de la plaga Halyomorfa halys e inclusión de dicha plaga a los requisitos fitosanitarios ya establecidos para los hospedantes correspondientes (Inclusion of certain plant species as hosts of the pest Halyomorfa halys and incorporation of this pest into existing phytosanitary requirements for these hosts) Language(s): Spanish Number of pages: 2 6. Description of content: Notification of the inclusion of the following plant species as hosts of the pest Halyomorfa halys and the incorporation of this pest into existing phytosanitary requirements for these hosts: Citrus spp., Diospyros kaki, Malus domestica, Morus spp., Prunus armeniaca, Prunus avium, Prunus domestica, Prunus persica, Pyrus communis, Rubus idaeus, Vitis vinifera, Olea europaea, Actinidia deliciosa, Fragaria sp. (strawberry), Asparagus officinalis, Glycine max, Phaseolus vulgaris, Zea mays, Sorghum spp., Helianthus annuus, Medicago sativa, Abelia spp., Hacer spp., Buddleia davidii, Cryptomeria spp., Cupressus spp., Hibiscus spp., Lonicera spp., Paulownia tomentosa, Rosa rugosa, and Salix spp. 7. Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [] animal health, [X] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests. 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex [] standard or related text): World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic [] Animal Health Code, chapter number): International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM No.) ISPM Nos. 11 and [X] 19 [] None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

[X] Yes [] No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
- 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): After the deadline for submitting comments.
 Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): After adoption.
- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): After adoption.
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 27 March 2018

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:

13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:

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