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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>BRAZIL</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Secretariat of Animal and Plant Health and Inspection (SDA) - Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (MAPA)
3.	<b>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> Phytosanitary requirements for the import of pecans ( <i>Carya illinoensis</i> ) (Category 2, Class 10), produced in Argentina.
4.	<b>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: Argentina
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> Normative Instruction (Instrução Normativa) nº 22 from 24 July of 2018. <b>Language(s):</b> Portuguese. <b>Number of pages:</b> 1 <a href="http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=26/07/2018&amp;jornal=515&amp;pagina=5&amp;totalArquivos=97">http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=26/07/2018&amp;jornal=515&amp;pagina=5&amp;totalArquivos=97</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/SPS/BRA/18_4161_00_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/SPS/BRA/18_4161_00_x.pdf</a>
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> The notified text informs that the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (MAPA) issued Normative Instruction nº 22, from 26 July 2018, to approve the phytosanitary import requirements of pecans ( <i>Carya illinoensis</i> ) (Category 2, Class 10), produced in Argentina.
7.	<b>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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	<b>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 Organization 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): ISPM Nº 1, 2, 5 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 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> 26 July 2018. In the date of its publication. <b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> 26 July 2018. In the date of its publication.
<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): 26 July 2018 <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): Not applicable. <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply Secretariat of Agribusiness International Relations E-mail: cgomc@agricultura.gov.br
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