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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

Original: Spanish

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: CHILE
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Servicio Agrícola y Ganadero, SAG (Agriculture and Livestock 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): Fresh citrus fruit
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[] All trading partners
	[X] Specific regions or countries: States of California and Arizona, United States of America
5.	Title of the notified document: Establece requisitos de ingreso de frutos cítricos frescos, desde los estados de California y Arizona, de Estados Unidos de Norteamérica (Requirements governing the importation into Chile of fresh citrus fruit from the States of California and Arizona, United States of America)
	Language(s): Spanish Number of pages: 2
	Text available at: http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2014/sps/CHL/14_3906_00_s.pdf
6.	Description of content: The notified text amends Agriculture and Livestock Service Resolutions Nos. 2.867 and 2.868 of 2001, which lay down requirements governing the importation into Chile of fresh citrus fruit from the States of California and Arizona, United States of America, respectively.
7.	Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [] animal health, [X] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [X] 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)
	[X] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number) International Standards for Phytosanitary Measures (ISPMs) Nos. 1 and 20
	[] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? [X] Yes [] No

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	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): Upon publication in the Official Journal
	Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): Date of publication in the Official Journal to be determined
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): Upon publication in the Official Journal
	[X] Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable
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