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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>CHILE</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> <i>Servicio Nacional de Pesca y Acuicultura, SERNAPESCA</i> (National Fisheries and Aquaculture Service)
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> Live aquatic animals
4.	<b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> <i>Resolución Exenta Sernapesca N° 1012/2015. Aprueba Programa Sanitario General de Compartimentos Libres de Enfermedades de Alto Riesgo (EAR)</i> (Exempt Resolution No. 1012/2015 of the National Fisheries and Aquaculture Service approving the general health programme on high-risk disease-free compartments) <b>Language(s):</b> Spanish <b>Number of pages:</b> 7 Text available at: <a href="http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/CHL/15_1298_00_s.pdf">http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/CHL/15_1298_00_s.pdf</a>
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> The aim of the programme described in Exempt Resolution No. 1012/2015 of the National Fisheries and Aquaculture Service is to establish sanitary compartmentalization as a health management tool for the prevention, control and eradication of diseases affecting hydrobiological species under official control throughout the national territory, for the purpose of international trade.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input 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.
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number) Aquatic Animal Health Code, Section 4, Chapters 4.1 (Zoning and compartmentalisation) and 4.2 (Application of compartmentalisation) <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number) <input type="checkbox"/> None

<p><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p>	
<b>9.</b>	<b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b>
<b>10.</b>	<p><b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> 11 March 2015</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> 11 March 2015</p>
<b>11.</b>	<p><b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b>   <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 11 March 2015</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
<b>12.</b>	<p><b>Final date for comments:</b>   <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 18 May 2015</p> <p><b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b>   <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>E-mail: sps.chile@sag.gob.cl</p>
<b>13.</b>	<p><b>Texts available from:</b>   <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>E-mail: sps.chile@sag.gob.cl</p>