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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>MEXICO</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> <i>Secretaría de Agricultura, Ganadería, Desarrollo Rural, Pesca y Alimentación</i> (Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Rural Development, Fisheries and Food)
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> Macadamia ( <i>Macadamia integrifolia</i> ) nuts
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: Guatemala
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> <i>Requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de nuez de macadamia (<i>Macadamia integrifolia</i>) con cáscara originaria y procedente de Guatemala</i> (Phytosanitary requirements for the importation of in-shell macadamia ( <i>Macadamia integrifolia</i> ) nuts originating in and coming from Guatemala) <b>Language(s):</b> Spanish <b>Number of pages:</b> 1  <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/SPS/MEX/17_5344_00_s.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/SPS/MEX/17_5344_00_s.pdf</a>  Text available from:  <a href="http://www.senasica.gob.mx/">http://www.senasica.gob.mx/</a>  <a href="https://www.gob.mx/senasica/documentos/consulta-publica-de-requisitos-fitosanitarios">https://www.gob.mx/senasica/documentos/consulta-publica-de-requisitos-fitosanitarios</a>
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> Pursuant to the Decision establishing the module of phytosanitary requirements for the importation of goods regulated by the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Rural Development, Fisheries and Food, in relation to plant health ( <i>Acuerdo por el que se establece el módulo de requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de mercancías reguladas por la Secretaría de Agricultura, Ganadería, Desarrollo Rural, Pesca y Alimentación, en materia de sanidad vegetal</i> ), published in the Mexican Official Journal on 7 February 2012, the phytosanitary requirements for the importation into Mexico of in-shell macadamia ( <i>Macadamia integrifolia</i> ) nuts originating in and coming from Guatemala have been established on the basis of a pest risk analysis.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input 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 Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):

<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM No.):</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>None</b></p> <p><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b></p>
<p><b>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b></p>
<p><b>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p>
<p><b>11. Proposed date of entry into force:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> This Standard will enter into force after 60 days.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Trade facilitating measure</b></p>
<p><b>12. Final date for comments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 12 February 2018</p> <p><b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>National Notification Authority,</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:</b></p> <p>Comments should be sent to: rene.hernandez@senasica.gob.mx medidasfito.dgsv@senasica.gob.mx</p> <p>Comments should be accompanied by technical and/or scientific evidence.</p>
<p><b>13. Text(s) available from:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>National Notification Authority,</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:</b></p> <p><i>Subsecretaría de Competitividad y Normatividad</i> (Under-Secretariat of Competitiveness and Standardization)  <i>Dirección General de Normas</i> (General Directorate of Standards)          Av. Puente de Tecamachalco 6, Piso 2, Lomas de Tecamachalco          Sección Fuentes, C.P. 53950          Naucalpan de Juárez, Estado de México          Tel.: (+52 55) 5729 9100, Ext. 43244          Email: normasomc@economia.gob.mx                sofia.pacheco@economia.gob.mx                jose.ramosr@economia.gob.mx</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.senasica.gob.mx/">http://www.senasica.gob.mx/</a>  <a href="https://www.gob.mx/senasica/documentos/consulta-publica-de-requisitos-fitosanitarios">https://www.gob.mx/senasica/documentos/consulta-publica-de-requisitos-fitosanitarios</a></p>