

**GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND TRADE**

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

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| 1. | Party to Agreement notifying: <u>MEXICO</u> |
| 2. | Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture and Water Resources |
| 3. | Notified under Article 2.5.2 [], 2.6.1 [X], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other: |
| 4. | Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Bananas |
| 5. | Title and number of pages of the notified document: Mexican Official Emergency Standard NOM-EM-010-FITO-1994, External Quarantine to Prevent the Introduction and Spread of Banana Pests |
| 6. | Description of content: To prevent the introduction and spread on Mexican territory of banana quarantine pests through the establishment of phytosanitary regulations and measures concerning the importation of the products covered by this Standard. |
| 7. | Objective and rationale: Plant and human health |
| 8. | Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 12 October 1994 |
| 9. | Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: On the day following its publication in the Official Journal. |
| 10. | Final date for comments: Not applicable |
| 11. | Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: |