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Communication from Brazil

Addendum

The following communication, received on 3 May 2006, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Brazil.

- 1. The Secretariat of Animal and Plant Health of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (SDA/MAPA) issued Normative Instruction N° 15 on 5 April 2006. Published in the "Diário Oficial da União" (Federal Official Journal) N° 68, on 7 April 2006, this revalidates for a one-year period the recognition as an area free of the pest *Anastrepha grandi*, the area concerning seven counties of Ceará State, as follows: Aracati, Itaiçaba, Jaguaruana, Icapuí, Russas, Quixeré and Limoeiro do Norte. The recognition of the area in question was previously notified in document G/SPS/GEN/562 on 31 March 2005.
- 2. Date of entry into force: 7 April 2006.
- 3. The text may be downloaded from the following Internet site:

http://www.agricultura.gov.br/pls/portal/docs/PAGE/MAPA/LEGISLACAO/PUBLICACOES_DOU/PUBLICACOES_DOU_ABRIL_2006/DO1_2006_04_07-MAPA_MAPA.PDF (available only in Portuguese, one single page).

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