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Notification/ Date of Circulation	Region/Country affected (as identified)	"Product" or issue	Objective	Deadline for submission of comments
Jamaica G/SPS/N/JAM/8 5 September 2005	All trading partners	Imported fruits and vegetables, plants, plants for planting, and plant parts, including genetically modified plants	Plant protection	27 November 2005
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/1 6 September 2005	European Communities	De-boned frozen beef	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	18 July 2005
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/2 6 September 2005	All countries exporting cargo to Egypt with wood packaging materials	Wood packaging materials – ISPM 15	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease Protect territory from other damage from pests	6 September 2005
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/196 5 September 2005	All countries exporting these products to Chile	Plant material as <i>in vitro</i> cultures of the species <i>Opuntia ficu-indica</i>	Plant protection	10 October 2005
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/197 5 September 2005	All countries exporting these products to Chile	Dried vegetable products – Phytosanitary requirements	Plant protection	20 September 2005
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/187 5 September 2005	All countries	Solid wood packaging material – ISPM 15	Plant protection	7 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1106 6 September 2005	Japan	Boneless beef	Animal health	19 September 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1107 7 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Emamectin benzoate – MRLs in pome fruit	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	23 September 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1108 7 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Fipronil – MRLs in vegetables, wheat, onions, garlic and shallot	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	23 September 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1109 7 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Myclobutanil – MRLs in soybeans	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 24 October 2005

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1110 7 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Procymidone – MRLs in wine grapes	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	24 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1091/Add.1 7 September 2005	Any US trading partners	All products using pesticides	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 11 October 2005
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/103 6 September 2005	Countries trading with Colombia	Panela – unrefined brown cane sugar	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	2 December 2005
Indonesia G/SPS/N/IDN/25 7 September 2005	All countries	Live fish	Animal health Protect territory from other damage from pests	n.a.
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/198 7 September 2005	All countries trading with Chile	All products likely to introduce the identified pests - Regionalization	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	2 October 2005
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/130 - EMRG 7 September 2005	Kazakhstan	Live poultry and poultry carcasses – Avian Influenza	Animal health	
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/131 - EMRG 7 September 2005	Cambodia, Lao People's Dem. Rep., Malaysia and Myanmar	Goat and sheep – Brucellosis disease	Animal health	
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/132 - EMRG 7 September 2005	Canada	Goat, sheep, cattle, buffalo, swine and carcasses thereof – Antrax disease	Animal health	
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/249/Add.1 15 September 2005	Pays de la Loire (France)	Live birds and hatching eggs, avian meat, fresh and processed, and avian products and by-products – Newcastle disease – Withdrawal of the ban	Animal Heath	n.a

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Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/250/Add.2 - EMRG 15 September 2005	United Kingdom (except Northern Ireland)	Live birds and hatching eggs, avian meat, fresh and processed, and avian products and by-products – Newcastle disease – Regionalization - Withdrawal of the ban	Animal Health	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1090/Add.1 15 September 2005	Trading partners	Cut flowers – Chrysantherum white rust (CSR) – Extension of the comment period	Plant protection	21 October 2005
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/249/Add.1 15 September 2005	EC member States and countries exporting these products to the European Communities	MRLs for various pesticides in cereals, foodstuffs of animal origin and certain products of plant origin, including fruit and vegetables – Final rule	Food safety Plant protection	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/933/Add.2 15 September 2005	US trading partners importing these products to the United States	Materials derived from cattle in food for human consumption and cosmetics (except meat, poultry and egg products) – BSE	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	7 November 2005
Nepal G/SPS/N/NPL/1/Add.1 15 September 2005	Any country exporting these products to Nepal	All products – Phytosanitary certificate – Extension of the comment period	Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease Protect territory from other damage from pests	1 October 2005
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/199 - EMRG 15 September 2005	All countries trading with Chile	Sleepers of wood and sawn timber for sleepers – Buprestidae family	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	
China G/SPS/N/CHN/84 - EMRG 15 September 2005	Hawaii (United States), Mauritius; Reunion; Singapore; Chinese Taipei	Plants of erythrina spp.	Plant protection	
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/49/Add.1 15 September 2005	Korea	Fresh Korean pear fruit	Plant protection	n.a.
European Communities G/SPS/N/EEC/270 16 September 2005	EC member States and countries exporting these products to the European Communities	Carbofuran and the benomyl group – MRLs in cereals, foodstuffs of animal origin and certain products of plant origin, including fruit and vegetables.	Food safety Plant protection	60 days after circulation of the notification

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Chinese Taipei G/SPS/N/TPKM/58 16 September 2005	Countries exporting to Chinese Taipei	All foods – Food sanitation inspection	Food safety	17 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/844/Add1 20 September 2005	All trading partners	Beef cattle intended for slaughter and use as human food – Prohibition of the use of specified risk materials - BSE	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	7 November 2005
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/191 20 September 2005	All countries	Food contact materials – Polybutylenesuccinate- co-adipate (PBSA)	Food safety	12 November 2005
Sri Lanka G/SPS/N/LKA/2 20 September 2005	All countries exporting this product to Sri Lanka	Iodized salt	Food safety	60 days after circulation of the notification
Trinidad and Tobago G/SPS/N/TTO/5 – EMRG 21 September 2005	All countries	All wood packaging material – ISPM 15	Plant protection	
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/10 – EMRG 21 September 2005	South Africa	Domestic and wild pigs, their meat and meat products including products for animal feed and agricultural or industrial use – Classical swine fever	Animal health	
Korea G/SPS/N/KOR/192 22 September 2005	Any trading partners	Food additives	Food safety	11 November 2005
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/207/Add.1 23 September 2005	Any person using wood packaging for the international commercialization of goods and services	Wood packaging material – Phytosanitary measures – ISPM 15	Plant protection Protect territory from other damage from pests	n.a.
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/119 23 September 2005	All countries	Prometryn – MRLs in cotton	Food safety	9 October 2005
New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/332 28 September 2005	All countries	Ficus spp. nursery stock – Import health standard	Plant protection	Comments at any time
Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/45 28 September 2005	European Communities	Foodstuffs – Food additives	Food safety	60 days after circulation of the notification

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Switzerland G/SPS/N/CHE/46 28 September 2005	European Communities	Foodstuffs – List of MRLs for foreign substances and toxic components	Food safety	60 days after circulation of the notification
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/148/Add.2 28 September 2005	Chile	Fresh table grapes – Mediterranean fruit fly, Chilean false red mite, weevils, mealy bugs, leaf rollers and spiders	Plant protection	
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/13/Add.1 28 September 2005	n.a.	Biochemicals and biopolymers	Food safety	n.a.
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/231/Add.1 28 September 2005	Not stated	New substances notification regulations (organisms) – Final rule	Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/237/Add.1 28 September 2005	n.a.	Chlorpyrifos – MRLs in apples, grapes and tomatoes – Final rule	Food safety	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1111 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	MRLs for terbacil in watermelon	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	7 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/985/Add.1 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Chromated copper arsenate (CCA) – Cancellation order	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1112 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Dimethoate – Risk assessments	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	7 November 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/740/Add.1 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Flonicamid – MRLs in various commodities – Final rule	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 31 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/770/Add.2 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Lactic acid, 2-ethylhexyl ester – Exemption from the requirement of a tolerance – Final rule	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 31 October 2005

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1113 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Methyl bromide – Extension of the comment period	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	12 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/957/Add.1 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	S-metolachlor – MRLs in various commodities – Final rule	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 31 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1114 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Dazomet is a pre-plant soil fumigant used on a wide variety of products – Risk assessment – Extension of the comment period	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	12 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1115 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Dichloropropene in vegetable crops, field crops, fruit and nut crops and nursery crops, in golf courses, turf farms and post-plant in vineyards	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	12 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/859/Add.1 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Cyfluthrin – MRLs in various commodities – Final rule	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 14 November 2005.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1116 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Metam sodium in various commodities – Risk assessment - Extension of the comment period	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	12 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1117 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Poultry and poultry products – Exotic Newcastle disease	Animal health	24 October 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1118 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Carbofuran in various commodities – Risk assessment	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	14 November 2005

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1119 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Fluoxastrobin – MRLs in various commodities – Final rule	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 16 November 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1120 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Alkyl polyglycosides in growing crops – Exemption from the requirement of a tolerance	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	14 November2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/973/Add.1 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Mycogen brand B.t. moCry1F insect resistant corn seed and florbac slurry – Registration approval - GMOs	Food safety Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	n.a.
United States G/SPS/N/USA/627/Add.1 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Ethylhexyl glucopyranosides in growing crops – Exemption from the requirement of a tolerance – Final rule	Food safety	14 November 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1121 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Reynoutria sachalinensis extract on all food commodities – Exemption from the requirement of a tolerance – Final rule	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 21 November 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1122 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Aminopyridine, ammonia, chloropicrin, diazinon, dihydro-5-heptyl-2(3H)-furanone, dihydro-5-pentyl-2(3H)-furanone and vinclozolin in various commodities – Final rule	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 21 November 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1123 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Lindane – MRLs in vegetables and animal fat – Final rule	Food safety Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 21 November 2005

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United States G/SPS/N/USA/1124 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Iprovalicarb – MRLs in tomatoes – Final rule	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 21 November 2005
United States G/SPS/N/USA/1125 30 September 2005	Any US trading partners	Myclobutanil – MRLs in artichoke, globe. – Final rule	Food safety Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	Objections and requests for hearings must be received by 21 November 2005
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/11 - EMRG 30 September 2005	Russia	Domestic and wild birds, hatching eggs, table eggs and meat and meat products of domestic and wild birds including products intended for animal feed and for agricultural and industrial use – Avian Influenza	Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/12 - EMRG 30 September 2005	Mongolia	Domestic and wild birds, hatching eggs, table eggs and meat and meat products of domestic and wild birds including products intended for animal feed and for agricultural and industrial use – Avian Influenza	Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/13 - EMRG 30 September 2005	Philippines	Domestic and wild birds, hatching eggs, table eggs and meat and meat products of domestic and wild birds including products intended for animal feed and for agricultural and industrial use – Avian Influenza	Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/14 - EMRG 30 September 2005	Kazakhstan	Domestic and wild birds, hatching eggs, table eggs and meat and meat products of domestic and wild birds including products intended for animal feed and for agricultural and industrial use – Avian Influenza	Animal health Plant protection Protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease	

n.a. = not available, not identified

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