#### Predpisy notifikované v Dohode o uplatňovaní sanitárnych a fytosanitárnych opatrení (SPS WTO) 37. týždeň roku 2024

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G/SPS/N/AUS/600 09/09/2024

Australia

Foliage, branches and other parts of plants, without flowers or flower buds, and grasses, mosses and lichens, of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes, fresh, dried, dyed, bleached, impregnated or otherwise prepared (HS code(s): 0604) Removal of import conditions for fresh willow foliage (Salix spp.) grown and exported from the United States of America effective immediately

Following the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry's technical assessment of Salix spp. (willow) and its association with Phytophthora ramorum, fresh Salix spp. cuttings/foliage grown and exported from the United States of America (USA) will no longer be permitted import into Australian territory. The biosecurity risk of P. ramorum associated with Salix spp. imported as fresh cut foliage from the United States of America cannot be managed appropriately. Restricting import of Salix spp. fresh foliage to Israel, a low-risk P. ramorum country, is consistent with how the department manages other P. ramorum hosts.

Considering import analytics, minimal impacts are expected to trade from the United States of America.

G/SPS/N/AUS/601 Australia 09/09/2024

Foliage, branches and other parts of plants, without flowers or 15/09/2024 flower buds, and grasses, mosses and lichens, of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes, fresh, dried, dyed, bleached, impregnated or otherwise prepared (HS code(s): 0604)

Amending import conditions for fresh willow (Salix spp.) and myrtle (Myrtus spp.) grown and exported from Israel

Certification: All consignments of willow and myrtle exported to Australia, will require a phytosanitary certificate, from 16 September 2024. This is to provide assurances of pre-export processes and management.Treatment:Consignments of fresh willow foliage, sent via airfreight or sea freight, must be treated prior to export with methyl bromide fumigation at 32g/m³ for 2 hours at 21 °C and above. This pre-shipment treatment must be certified in the treatment section of the phytosanitary certificate, from 16 September 2024.Personal consignments, imported as passenger baggage (up to six small boxes) are permitted without treatment, however, will still require phytosanitary certification. Considering import analytics, minimal impacts are expected to trade from Israel.

G/SPS/N/JPN/1276 Japan 09/09/2024

Live plants and plant parts for planting (excluding seed and Emergency underground parts) and cut flowers, cut branches and fruits of plants for consumption and ornament of the following plants: CucurbitaceaeFresh fruits of the following plants:hondala (Adeniahondala), African (AnnonasenegalensisFicuserecta, black nightshade (Solanum nigrum), common bean (kidney bean) (Phaseolus vulgaris), Ficus pumila, Mexican husk tomato (Physalisphiladelphica (syn. Physalisixocarpa)), cashew (AnacardiumoccidentaleCapsicumfrutescens, pigeon pea

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(CajanuscajanSolanum capsicoides (syn. Solanumaculeatissimum), passion fruit (Passiflora edulis), tamarillo (Cyphomandra betacea (syn. Pionandra betaceaSolanum betaceumSolanuminsigne)), carambola (Averrhoacarambola), cowpea (Vignaunguiculata (including Vignaunguiculata var. sesquipedalis)), sweet orange (Citrus sinensisStrychnosspinosa, scarlet eggplant (Solanum aethiopicum), African eggplant (SolanumanguiviSolanum sessiliflorumSolanumtrilobatumSolanummacrocarponSolanumli nnaeanumSolanummauritianumSolanum

pseudocapsicumTetrastigma leucostaphylum (syn. Tetrastigma lanceolarium), sweet pepper (chili pepper, Shishito pepper, bell pepper) (Capsicum annuum), tomato (including Lycopersicon esculentum (syn.

SolanumlycopersicumSolanumarcanumSolanum cheesmaniaeSolanumchilenseSolanumgalapagenseSolanumperu vianumSolanumpimpinellifolium), eggplant (Solanummelongena), (Ziziphusjujuba jujube (syn. ZiziphusvulgarisZiziphussativa)), рарауа (Caricapapaya), guava (Psidiumguajava), hyacinth bean (Lablabpurpureus (syn. Dolichoslablab)), Singapore almond (TerminaliacatappaSolanum erianthum (svn. SolanumverbascifoliumHylocereus (excluding yellow pitahaya (Hylocereus megalanthus (syn.

### Emergency measures to mitigate the risk of introducing Bactrocera cucurbitae

SelenicereusmegalanthusMangifera, Cucurbitaceae

To prevent the introduction of Bactrocera cucurbitae into Japan, MAFF has taken emergency measures to prohibit the import of host plants of B. cucurbitae (specified in Item 3. of this notification) originated in Oman based on examination of the relevant documents listed in Item 10.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1277</u> Japan 09/09/2024

All food

#### Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

The establishment of an exemption from the requirement of an MRL for residues of pesticide: BLAD; it will be stipulated to be "the substance in food that does not pose any adverse health effect".

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1278</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 08/02.05, 02.06, 02.08 and 02.09) Dairy produce and natural honey (HS codes: 04.01 and 04.09) Animal originated products (HS

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#### Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical:Pesticide: Cyflumetofen.

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<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1279</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Natural honey (HS code: 04.09)Edible vegetables and certain 08/11/2024 roots and tubers (HS codes: 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09 and 07.10)Edible fruit and nuts, peel of citrus

fruit (HS codes: 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) Tea, mate and spices (HS codes: 09.02, 09.03, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10) Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit (HS

codes: 12.07 and 12.12)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical:Pesticide: Flometoquin.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1280</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.08 and 02.09) Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03, 03.04, 03.06, 03.07 and 03.08) Dairy produce and natural honey (HS codes: 04.01 and 04.09) Animal originated products (HS codes: 05.04) Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS codes: 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10 and 07.13) Edible fruit and nuts, peel of citrus fruit (HS codes: 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) Tea, mate and spices (HS codes: 09.02, 09.03, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10) Cereals (HS codes: 10.01 and 10.06) Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit (HS codes: 12.01, 12.07 and 12.12) Animal

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fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical:Pesticide: Pyribencarb.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1281</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09)Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03, 03.04, 03.06, 03.07 and 03.08)Dairy produce, birds' eggs and natural honey (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07, 04.08 and 04.09)Animal originated products (HS codes: 05.04)Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS codes: 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.07, 07.09, 07.10 and 07.13)Edible fruit and nuts, peel of citrus fruit (HS codes: 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10,08.11 and 08.14)Tea and spices (HS codes: 09.02, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10)Cereals (HS code: 10.06)Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit (HS codes: 12.07 and 12.12)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

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Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical:Pesticide: Quinofumelin.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1282</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09)Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03, 03.04, 03.06, 03.07 and 03.08)Dairy produce, birds' eggs and natural honey (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07, 04.08 and 04.09)Animal originated products (HS code:

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Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical:Pesticide/Veterinary drug: Fenitrothion.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1283</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.06 and 02.09)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01 and 15.02)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfachlorpyridazine.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1284</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09) Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04) Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04) Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfadiazine.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1285</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09)Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04)Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfadimethoxine.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1286</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09) Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04) Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards) Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfadimidine.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1287</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.08 and 02.09)Dairy produce (HS code: 04.01)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfadoxine.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1288</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.03, 02.06, 02.07 and 02.09) Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04) Animal fats and oils (HS code: 15.01)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfamethoxazole.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1289</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09)Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfamonomethoxine.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1290</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.03, 02.06 and 02.09)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS code: 15.01)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfamoyldapsone.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1291</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Aquatic animals and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS codes: 03.02, 03.03, 03.04, 03.07 and 03.08)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Sulfisozole.

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1292</u> Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09)Dairy produce, birds' eggs and natural honey (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07, 04.08 and 04.09)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards) Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical: Veterinary drug: Tylosin.

G/SPS/N/JPN/1293 Japan 09/09/2024

Meat and edible meat offal (HS codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06, 02.07, 02.08 and 02.09) Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08)Animal originated products (HS code: 05.04)Animal fats and oils (HS codes: 15.01, 15.02 and

Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc. under the Food Sanitation Act (Revision of agricultural chemical residue standards)

Proposal of maximum residue limits (MRLs) for the following agricultural chemical:Veterinary drug/Feed additive: Sulfaquinoxaline.

G/SPS/N/RUS/289 Russian 09/09/2024 Federation

Cattle; small cattle; wild, zoo and circus animals susceptible to Emergency bluetongue, camels and other members of the camel family llamas, alpacas, vicunas; sperm of bulls, sheep and goatproducers; in vitro cattle and small cattle embryos (HS code(s): 0102: 0104: 0106: 051199)

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Letter of the Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance No. FS-ARe-7/6128-3 as of 5 September 2024

This letter introduces a temporary restriction on imports of products mentioned in point 3 as well as the transit of cattle, small cattle and animals susceptible to bluetongue from Switzerland to the territory of the Russian Federation due to the registration of bluetongue disease outbreaks.

G/SPS/N/BRA/2328 Brazil 10/09/2024

Seedlings of Aglaonema spp.

SDA/MAPA ORDINANCE No. 1.175, of 2 September 2024 -Establishes the phytosanitary requirements for the import of in vitro seedlings of Aglaonema spp. from any origin

This ordinance establishes the phytosanitary requirements for the import of in vitro seedlings (Category 4) of Aglaonema spp. from any origin.

G/SPS/N/BRA/2329 Brazil 10/09/2024

Corn seeds

SDA/MAPA ORDINANCE No. 1.177, of 4 September 2024 -Amends the phytosanitary requirements for the import of corn seeds from the United States of America

This ordinance amends the phytosanitary requirements for the import of corn (Zea mays) seeds (Category 4) produced in the United States of America.

G/SPS/N/CRI/281 10/09/2024

Costa Rica Fresh sweet potatoes (HS code(s): 071420)

09/11/2024

Proyecto de Resolución para regular la importación de tubérculos de Camote (Ipomoea batatas) para consumo originarias de República Dominicana (Draft Resolution governing the importation, for consumption, of sweet potatoes (Ipomoea batatas) from the Domini

The notified draft Resolution establishes phytosanitary measures for the importation, for consumption, of sweet potatoes (Ipomoea batatas) from the Dominican Republic.

G/SPS/N/CRI/282 10/09/2024

Costa Rica Live olive (Olea europaea) plants, including their roots (HS 09/11/2024 code(s): 060290)

> Proyecto de Resolución para regular la importación de plantas con raíz de Olivo (Olea europaea) para propagación originarias de México (Draft Resolution governing the

#### importation, for propagation, of rooted olive (Olea europaea) plants from Mexico)

The notified draft Resolution establishes the phytosanitary measures governing the importation, for propagation, of rooted olive (Olea europaea) plants from Mexico.

G/SPS/N/CRI/283 10/09/2024

Costa Rica Live olive (Olea europaea) plants, including their roots (HS 09/11/2024 code(s): 060290)

> Proyecto de Resolución para regular la importación de plantas con raíz de Olivo (Olea europaea) para propagación originarias de Perú (Draft Resolution governing the importation, for propagation, of rooted olive (Olea europaea) plants from Peru)

> The notified draft Resolution establishes the phytosanitary measures governing the importation, for propagation, of rooted olive (Olea europaea) plants from Peru.

G/SPS/N/EU/794 10/09/2024

European Union

Food products

09/11/2024

Draft Commission Regulation (EU) amending Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards certain botanical species containing hydroxyanthracene derivatives (Text with EEA relevance)

This draft Commission Regulation concerns the prohibition of use in food of certain plant preparations containing hydroxyanthracene derivatives based on the scientific opinion of EFSA and following a period of Union scrutiny during which food business operators, or any other interested parties, may submit scientific data to demonstrate the safety of plant preparations in question. On 22 November 2017, the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) adopted a scientific opinion on the evaluation of the safety of hydroxyanthracene derivatives for use in food. In that opinion it concluded that there is a possibility of harmful effects on health associated with the use of Rheum, Cassia and Rhamnus and their preparations in food, but scientific uncertainty persists. Consequently, pursuant to the procedure laid down in Article 8(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006, the plant preparations concerned were put under Union scrutiny by means of Regulation (EU) 2021/468 of 18 March 2021 for a period of four years from the entry into force of that Regulation, which allowed interested parties to provide EFSA with evidence of safety within 24 months.On 20 March 2024, EFSA adopted a scientific opinion on additional scientific data related to the safety of preparations of Rheum palmatum L., Rheum officinale Baill. and their hybrids, Rhamnus purshiana DC., Rhamnus frangula L., and Cassia senna L. submitted pursuant to Article 8(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006. In its opinion, EFSA concluded that the safety of plant preparations under evaluation cannot be established based on the submitted studies. Therefore, pursuant to the procedure of Article 8(5) of Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006, the plant preparations concerned should be included in Part A of Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006, which means that their use in food will be prohibited.

G/SPS/N/CHL/802 Chile 10/09/2024

Slips of apricot (Prunus armeniaca), sweet cherry (Prunus avium), sour cherry (Prunus cerasus), almond (Prunus dulcis (= amygdalus)), European plum (Prunus domestica), Japanese plum (Prunus salicina), peach (Prunus persica) and nectarine (Prunus persica var. Nucipersica)

Modifica y prorroga vigencia de Resolución No 4.664 de 2022 que reconoce Centro de Producción CTIFL Lanxade para la exportación de ramillas de damasco (Prunus armeniaca), cerezo dulce (Prunus avium), cerezo agrio (Prunus cerasus), almendro (Prunus dulcis

The notified measure amends and extends the validity of Resolution No. 4.664/2022 as follows: 1. The following pest has been removed from sections 2.2, 2.3, 2.5, 2.6 and 2.7: Pseudomonas syringae pv. morsprunorum; 2. Section 8 has been replaced with the following: "8. The period of validity for the recognition of the CTIFL Lanxade production centre, code AQ 00221, may be extended on the basis of the periodic positive assessment reports from the French phytosanitary authority and on the basis of the outcome, in terms of conformity, of the phytosanitary inspections of the service at the point of entry"; 3. The validity of Resolution No. 4.664 2022 has been extended for two years from 24 August 2024. Further details can be found in the document attached to this notification. G/SPS/N/CHL/802 - 2 -

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1294</u> Japan 10/09/2024

Apparatus, containers, and packaging

09/11/2024

#### Revision of the Specifications and Standards for Foods, Food Additives, Etc

Revision of the specifications and standards for apparatus, containers, and packaging under the Food Sanitation Act (Act No. 233 of 1947)

<u>G/SPS/N/JPN/1295</u> Japan 10/09/2024

Food additives

04/03/2024

Elimination of 32 food additives that are no longer distributed in Japan from the List of Existing Food Additives (Revision of the List of Existing Food Additives prescribed in the Food Sanitation Act)

32 food additives that have been found to be no longer distributed in the Japanese market are supposed to be prohibited for their use within one year. The food additives are listed in the Public Notice of the Consumer Affairs Agency No. 11 of 5 September 2024 requesting public comments. These additives will be withdrawn from the List of Existing Food Additives in the MHLW Notification No. 120 of 16 April 1996.

G/SPS/N/KOR/809 10/09/2024 Korea, Republic of Foods

09/11/2024

# Proposed revision of the "Enforcement Rule of the Special Act on Imported Food Safety Control"

- Prepare legal grounds to mitigate administrative disposition for Good Importer who satisfies certain requirements such as having no non-compliance history for last three years, etc.;
- Set the period that a laboratory test is applied for same company and same imported food, etc. which is re-imported after having been found to be non-compliant.

<u>G/SPS/N/PER/1060</u> Peru 10/09/2024 Tomato seeds (HS code: 120991)

09/11/2024

Proyecto de Resolución Directoral que establece los requisitos fitosanitarios de importación de semillas de tomate (Solanum lycopersicum) de origen y procedencia Países Bajos (Draft Directorial Resolution establishing the phytosanitary import requirements

The notified draft phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of tomato (Solanum lycopersicum) seeds originating in and coming from the Netherlands are being submitted for

public consultation following the completion of the pest risk analysis.

G/SPS/N/RUS/290 10/09/2024

Russian Federation

Live sheep and goats; products derived from meat of sheep and goats; milk and milk products; feed of animal origin and other raw materials and products obtained from sheep and goats slaughter with exception of production subject to the use of technologies providing destruction of PPR in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 14.7 of the WOAH Terrestrial Animal Health Code (HS code(s): 0104; 0106; 0204; 0206; 0210; 0401; 0402; 0403; 0404; 0405; 0406; 0506; 0507; 051199; 1502; 1503; 1505; 1506; 151610; 1518; 1601; 1602; 1603; 190220)

### Letter by the Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance No. FS-ARe-7/6144-3 of 9 September 2024

The Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance (Rosselkhoznadzor) introduced a temporary restriction on import and transportation through the territory of the Russian Federation of live sheep and goats; products produced from meat of sheep and goats from Gabon due to the outbreak of peste des petits ruminants (PPR).

G/SPS/N/GBR/67 10/09/2024

United Kingdom All plants for planting; Plants (except seeds) of Abies Calocedrus 09/11/2024 decurrensJuniperusLarixPicea Pinus Pseudotsuga menziesii ThujaWood and isolated bark of AbiesCalocedrus decurrens JuniperusLarixPiceaPinusPseudotsuga menziesiiThujaRoot and tubercle vegetables (other than Solanum tuberosumFruits of Fragaria L., Malus Mill., Persea americana Mill., Pyrus L., Rubus L., Vaccinium L., and Vitis L.; Plants of Asparagus officinalis L. other than stems covered during their entire life by soil.

#### Amendments to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/2072

The following amendments are being made to England, Scotland, and Wales (Great Britain) assimilated law (Commission implementing regulation (EU) 2019/2072): Introducing new specific import requirements following the completion of a full pest risk analysis (PRA) by the European and Mediterranean Plant Protection Organisation (EPPO) which resulted in Heterobasidion irregulare being declared a GB quarantine pest (QP);Introducing a requirement for certain plants for planting being imported into Great Britain to have been grown on a nursery. Following the completion of risk assessments under the UK Border Target Operating Model, the following plant products imported from the European Union and Switzerland will have their risk category changed. These changes will impact trade once the current EU fruit and vegetable easement has expired:The below plant products will be deregulated:Root and tubercle vegetables (other than Solanum tuberosumFruit of Fragaria L. Fruits of Malus Mill. Fruits of Persea americana Mill. Fruits of Pyrus L. Fruits of Rubus LFruits of Vaccinium LFruit of Vitis L. from the European Union and Switzerland will no longer require pre-notification and will be subject to a reduced level of checks; Plants of Asparagus officinalis L. other than stems covered during their entire life by soil from the European Union, Liechtenstein Switzerland and will require notification; Introducing new specific import requirements for the GB quarantine pest Popillia japonica Newton, taking into account the UK pest risk analysis (PRA); Adding an extra option for the import of certain plants of Capsicum spp.; Technical updates to

Emergency notifications (SPS)

clarify or correct the legislation. More information on the measures can be found at:PH052-QA-for-Portal-0509.pdf (defra.gov.uk)

#### G/SPS/N/USA/3475

10/09/2024

United States of America

Multiple commodities

#### Phenol; Revoking Exemption From the Requirement of a **Pesticide Tolerance**

This regulation revokes the tolerance exemption for residues of the antimicrobial pesticide ingredient phenol when used as an inert ingredient (solvent/cosolvent) in pesticide formulations applied to growing crops. This rulemaking is established on the Agency's own initiative under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA) to implement a tolerance action the Agency determined was appropriate during the registration review conducted under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) for phenol.

#### G/SPS/N/USA/3476

10/09/2024

United America Multiple commodities

26/09/2024

#### States of Receipt of a Pesticide Petition Filed for Residues of Pesticide Chemicals in or on Various Commodities

This document announces the Agency's receipt of several initial filings of pesticide petitions requesting the establishment or modification of regulations for residues of pesticide chemicals in or on various commodities.

#### G/SPS/N/BRA/2330 Brazil 11/09/2024

Environment. Health protection. Safety (ICS code(s): 13)

08/11/2024

#### Draft Resolution 1278, 6 September 2024

This draft resolution proposes the update of active ingredients A29 - ACETAMIPRID, A66 - INDOLACETIC ACID, B26 -BIFENTRINE, C47 - CYPRODINIL, E26 - SPIROMESIFEN, E33 - SPIROPIDIONE, F46 - FLUMIOXAZINE, F49 -FLUDIOXONIL, F72 - FLUOPYRAM, M01 - MALTHIONE, M02 - MANCOZEB, O01 - Ó VEGETABLE OIL, O02 -MINERAL OIL, Q05.1 - QUIZALOFOPE-P ETHYLIC, S13 -S-METOLACHLORINE, S20 **SACCHAROMYCES** CEREVISIAE, T28 - TRICLOPIR BUTYLIC and T70 -TOLFENPYRADE on the Monograph List of Active Ingredients for Pesticides, Household Cleaning Products and Wood Preservatives, which was published by Normative Instruction 103 on 19 October 2021 in the Brazilian Official Gazette (DOU - Diário Oficial da União).

#### G/SPS/N/CAN/1567 Canada 11/09/2024

Pesticide clomazone in or on dry beans (ICS codes: 65.020, 19/11/2024 65.100, 67.040, 67.060)

#### Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Clomazone (PMRL2024-17)

The objective of the notified document PMRL2024-17 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limit (MRL) for clomazone that has been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).MRL (ppm)1 Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity0.05 Pulses, dried shelled beans, except soybeans (crop subgroup 6-21E)1 ppm = parts per millionThe commodities included in the listed crop groups/subgroups can be found on the Residue Chemistry Crop Groups webpage (https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumerproduct-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protectingyour-health-environment/pesticides-food/residue-chemistrycrop-groups.html) in the Pesticides section of the Canada.ca website.

<u>G/SPS/N/CAN/1568</u> Canada 11/09/2024

Pesticide rimsulfuron in or on pome fruits (ICS codes: 65.020, 19/11/2024 65.100, 67.040, 67.080)

## Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Rimsulfuron (PMRL2024-16)

The objective of the notified document PMRL2024-16 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limit (MRL) for rimsulfuron that has been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).MRL (ppm)1 Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Commodity0.01 Pome fruits (crop group 11-09)1 ppm = parts per millionThe commodities included in the listed crop groups/subgroups can be found on the Residue Chemistry Crop Groups webpage (https://www.canada.ca/en/healthcanada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pestmanagement/public/protecting-your-healthenvironment/pesticides-food/residue-chemistry-cropgroups.html) in the Pesticides section of the Canada.ca website.

<u>G/SPS/N/CAN/1569</u> Canada 11/09/2024 Maltogenic alpha-amylase from Saccharomyces cerevisiae 20/11/2024 LALL-M+ (ICS code: 67.220.20)

#### Modification to the List of permitted food enzymes to authorize the use of maltogenic alpha-amylase from a new source

Health Canada's Food and Nutrition Directorate completed a premarket safety assessment of a food additive submission seeking authorization for the use of maltogenic alpha-amylase from Saccharomyces cerevisiae LALL-M+ in the manufacture of bread, flour, whole wheat flour, and unstandardized bakery products. The results of the premarket assessment support the safety of maltogenic alpha-amylase from S. cerevisiae LALL-M+ for its requested uses. Consequently, Health Canada has authorized the use of maltogenic alpha-amylase from S. cerevisiae LALL-M+ as described in the information document above by modifying the List of permitted food enzymes, effective 6 September 2024. The purpose of the information document is to publicly announce the Department's decision in this regard and to provide the appropriate contact information for those wishing to submit an inquiry or new scientific information relevant to the safety of this food additive.

<u>G/SPS/N/CAN/1570</u> Canada 11/09/2024

Lipase from Rhizopus arrhizus AE-TL (ICS code: 67.220.20)

# Modification to the List of permitted food enzymes to authorize the use of lipase from a new source

Health Canada's Food and Nutrition Directorate completed a premarket safety assessment of lipase from Rhizopus arrhizus (also known as Rhizopus delemar var. multiplicisporus and Rhizopus oryzae) strain AE-TL, for use as a food enzyme in the manufacture of modified fats and oils. The results of the assessment support the safety of lipase from R arrhizus AE-TL for its requested use. Therefore, Health Canada has authorized the use of lipase from R arrhizus AE-TL, as described in the information document above by modifying the List of Permitted Food Enzymes, effective 6 September 2024. The purpose of the information document is to publicly announce the Department's decision in this regard and to provide the appropriate contact information for those wishing to submit an inquiry or new scientific information relevant to the safety of this food additive.

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G/SPS/N/CAN/1571 Canada 11/09/2024

Polyglycerol esters of interesterified castor oil fatty acids (ICS 24/11/2024 code: 67.220.20)

Modification to the List of permitted emulsifying, gelling, stabilizing or thickening agents to extend the use of polyglycerol esters of interesterified castor oil fatty acids

Health Canada's Food and Nutrition Directorate completed a premarket safety and efficacy assessment of polyglycerol esters of interesterified castor oil fatty acids for use as an emulsifying agent in the requested foods. The results of the assessment support the safety and efficacy of polyglycerol esters of interesterified castor oil fatty acids for use as an emulsifying for the requested use. Therefore, Health Canada has authorized the use of polyglycerol esters of interesterified castor oil fatty acids as described in the information document referenced above by modifying the List of Permitted Emulsifying, Gelling, Stabilizing or Thickening Agentseffective 10 September 2024. The purpose of the information document is to publicly announce the Department's decision in this regard and to provide the appropriate contact information for those wishing to submit an inquiry or new scientific information relevant to the safety of this food additive.

G/SPS/N/TPKM/63

11/09/2024

Chinese Taipei

Meet products, fishery products, diary products, egg products, 10/11/2024 animal oil products, products of bovine origin and products of

The Draft Amendment to the Regulations for Systematic **Inspection of Imported Food** 

The draft amendment to the Regulations for Systematic Inspection of Imported Food is open for comment.

G/SPS/N/PER/1061 Peru 11/09/2024

Paulownia tomentosa plants, in vitro plants and cuttings; 10/11/2024 Paulownia elongata plants and roots (HS code: 0602)

Proyecto de Resolución Directoral que establece los requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de material de propagación de paulownia (Paulownia tomentosa y Paulownia elongata) de origen y procedencia Argentina (Draft Directorial Resolution establishi

The notified draft phytosanitary requirements for the importation of Paulownia (Paulownia tomentosa and Paulownia elongata) propagation material originating in and coming from Argentina are being submitted for public consultation following the completion of the pest-risk analysis.

G/SPS/N/RUS/291 11/09/2024

Russian Federation

Cattle; small cattle; wild, zoo and circus animals susceptible to bluetongue, camels and other members of the camel family llamas, alpacas, vicunas; sperm of bulls, sheep and goatproducers; in vitro cattle and small cattle embryos (HS code(s): 0102; 0104; 0106; 051199)

Letter of the Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance No. FS-ARe-7/6145-3 as of 10 September 2024

This letter introduces a temporary restriction on imports of products mentioned in point 3 as well as the transit of cattle, small cattle and animals susceptible to bluetongue from Norway to the territory of the Russian Federation due to the registration of bluetongue disease outbreaks.

G/SPS/N/USA/3477 13/09/2024

United America

Multiple commodities - Mint, dried leaves, and Mint, fresh leaves States of and crop group expansions for Fruit, citrus, group 10-10; Fruit,

pome, group 11-10; Fruit, stone, group 12-12; and Nut, tree, group 14-12.

#### Saflufenacil; Pesticide Tolerances. Final Rule

This regulation establishes new tolerances for residues of saflufenacil in or on Mint, dried leaves and Mint, fresh leaves and crop group expansions for Fruit, citrus, group 10-10; Fruit, pome, group 11-10; Fruit, stone, group 12-12; and Nut, tree, group 14-12. The Interregional Project Number 4 (IR-4) requested these tolerances under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA).