

**Predpisy notifikované v Dohode o uplatňovaní sanitárnych a fyto-sanitárnych opatrení (SPS WTO)
45. týždeň roku 2023**

Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/SPS/N/AUS/579 06/11/2023	Australia	<p><i>Foods sold in Australia (both imported and domestically produced)</i></p> <p>Approval report Application A1268 – Steviol glycosides produced by bioconversion using new enzymes produced by GM Escherichia coli; Supporting Document 1 Risk and technical assessment - Application A1268 Steviol glycosides produced by bioconversion using new enzymes produced by GM Escherichia coli</p> <p>FSANZ has approved amendments to the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code (the Code) to permit the bioconversion method of producing specific steviol glycosides, rebaudioside M and rebaudioside I. The use of three genetically modified enzymes as processing aids are permitted for this specific purpose. The bioconversion method of production is consistent with Codex standards. The enzymes used and their sources are very similar but not identical to those listed in the Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA) specifications for steviol glycosides, being the (Framework for) Steviol Glycosides.</p>	
G/SPS/N/EU/693 06/11/2023	European Union	<p><i>Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)</i></p> <p>Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/1455 of 13 July 2023 concerning the urgent provisional authorisation of cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate, cobalt(II) carbonate, cobalt(II) carbonate hydroxide (2:3) monohydrate and cobalt(II) sulphate, heptahydrate as feed additives for ruminants with a functional rumen, equidae and lagomorphs (Text with EEA relevance)</p> <p>Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/1455 concerns the urgent and provisional authorisation of cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate, cobalt(II) carbonate, cobalt(II) carbonate hydroxide (2:3) monohydrate and cobalt(II) sulphate, heptahydrate, as feed additives belonging to the additive category ‘nutritional additives’ and to the functional group ‘compounds of trace elements’, for ruminants with a functional rumen, equidae and lagomorphs.</p>	
G/SPS/N/NZL/754 06/11/2023	New Zealand	<p><i>Foods sold in New Zealand (both imported and domestically produced)</i></p> <p>Approval report for Application A1268 – Steviol glycosides produced by bioconversion using new enzymes produced by GM Escherichia coli. and Supporting Document 1 Risk and Safety Assessment</p> <p>FSANZ has approved amendments to the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code (the Code) to permit the bioconversion method of producing specific steviol glycosides, rebaudioside M and rebaudioside I. The use of three genetically modified enzymes as processing aids are permitted for this specific purpose. The bioconversion method of production is consistent with Codex standards. The enzymes used and their sources are very similar but not identical to those listed in the Joint FAO/WHO Expert</p>	

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G/SPS/N/BRA/2224s 07/11/2023	Brazil	<i>Environment. Health protection. Safety (ICS codes: 13)</i> Draft Resolution 1215, 26 October 2023 This draft resolution proposes monographs changes 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).	29/12/2023
G/SPS/N/BRA/2225 07/11/2023	Brazil	<i>In vitro seedlings of Angelonia (Angelonia angustifolia)</i> Ordinance SDA/MAPA No. 906, of 24 October 2023. Establishes phytosanitary requirements for the import of in vitro seedlings of Angelonia (Angelonia angustifolia) from USA https://www.in.gov.br/web/dou/-/portaria-sda/mapa-n-906-de-24-de-outubro-de-2023-519092777	
G/SPS/N/BRA/2226 07/11/2023	Brazil	<i>Animal product</i> ORDINANCE SDA/MAPA No. 909, of 18 October 2023. Submits to public consultation, for a period of 75 (seventy-five) days, the draft Ordinance that approves the guidelines of the National Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy Program for the application of official prevention and surveillance measures and for maintaining the classification of insignificant risk of Encephalopathy Bovine spongiforme in the country Submits to public consultation, the draft Ordinance that approves the guidelines of the National Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy Program for the application of official prevention and surveillance measures and for maintaining the classification of insignificant risk of Encephalopathy Bovine spongiforme in the country.	06/01/2023
G/SPS/N/EU/692 07/11/2023	European Union	<i>Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)</i> Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/1709 of 7 September 2023 concerning the authorisation of a preparation of Lactobacillus diolivorans DSM 33625 as a feed additive for all animal species (Text with EEA relevance) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/1709 authorises Lactobacillus diolivorans DSM 33625 as a feed additive belonging to the additive category 'technological additives' and in the functional group 'silage additives, for all animal species.	
G/SPS/N/CAN/1537 08/11/2023	Canada	<i>Food products in general (ICS: 67.040)</i> Regulations Amending Certain Regulations Concerning Food Additives and Compositional Standards, Microbiological Criteria and Methods of Analysis for Food The proposed regulations would amend Part B of the Food and Drug Regulations (FDR), along with targeted amendments to Parts A and D of the FDR. In particular, the proposed amendments include introducing modernized frameworks for setting, and updating the regulations for food compositional standards, microbiological criteria and methods of analysis, as	02/02/2023

well as continuing the modernization of the food additives framework that was initiated in 2012. Consequential amendments would also be made to certain regulations under the Cannabis Act, Excise Act, 2001, Pest Control Products Act, and Safe Food for Canadians Act.

[G/SPS/N/MEX/433](#)
08/11/2023

Mexico

Diversos productos hospederos de Epiphyas postvittana, mismos que se enlistan en el documento anexo. 07/01/2024

Modificación de los requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de diversos productos, hospederos de Epiphyas postvittana, originarios y procedentes de Estados Unidos de América, debido a su reclasificación de condición fitosanitaria en ese país como plaga no cuarentenaria

La Dirección General de Sanidad Vegetal (DGSV) es la encargada de la protección fitosanitaria en México, para lo cual, establece las medidas fitosanitarias que mitiguen el riesgo de introducción o diseminación de plagas reglamentadas de los vegetales, sus productos y subproductos. Fundamentación Artículos 2, 3, 6, 7 fracciones XIII, XVIII, XIX, XXII, 8, 19 fracciones I inciso e) y IV de la Ley Federal de Sanidad Vegetal; Artículos 1, 54, 55 y 56 del Reglamento de la Ley Federal de Sanidad Vegetal; 1, 14 fracción III, 15 fracciones I, X, XV, y XIX del Reglamento Interior del Senasica; Artículos 1, 2, 3, 4 y 7 del 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 (SADER) en materia de sanidad vegetal; Artículos 1, 5, 6 y 16 del Acuerdo por el que se dan a conocer los criterios generales aplicados por México para el establecimiento y modificación de requisitos en materia de sanidad e inocuidad animal, vegetal, acuícola y pesquera para la importación de mercancías reguladas por la SADER, a través del Senasica se establecen las medidas fitosanitarias que deben cumplirse para la importación de vegetales, sus productos y subproductos. Motivación Derivado de la reclasificación de la condición fitosanitaria de la palomilla marrón de la manzana (*Epiphyas postvittana*), como plaga no cuarentenaria para Estados Unidos de América (EUA) declarada por Organización Nacional de Protección Fitosanitaria (ONPF) de dicho país, la DGSV llevó a cabo una negociación de las medidas fitosanitarias aplicables; como resultado de dicha gestión, ambas ONPF acordaron modificar los requisitos fitosanitarios establecidos para la importación a México, de productos hospederos provenientes de EUA, los cuales se enlistan en el Anexo 1. Se determina: Modificar el apartado de regulación para *E. postvittana* de los requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación a México de los productos hospederos de dicha plaga, originarios y procedentes de EUA señalados en el Anexo 1, para quedar como sigue: El Certificado Fitosanitario emitido por la autoridad fitosanitaria de Estados Unidos de América, debe señalar en el apartado de declaratoria adicional lo siguiente: "El producto fue inspeccionado y encontrado libre de cualquier estado biológico de *Epiphyas postvittana*

[G/SPS/N/CHL/772](#)
09/11/2023

Chile

*Plantas y esquejes de pitahaya (*Hylocereus costaricensis* e *Hylocereus undatus*)* 08/01/2024

Establece requisitos fitosanitarios de importación para plantas y esquejes de pitahaya (*Hylocereus costaricensis* e *Hylocereus undatus*) procedentes Sudáfrica

Se establecen requisitos fitosanitarios de importación para plantas y esquejes con y sin raíz de *Hylocereus costaricensis* e *Hylocereus undatus* procedentes de Sudáfrica, para ser utilizados como material de propagación. El envío debe haber sido sometido a un tratamiento de desinfección por inmersión o aspersión, para el control de insectos y ácaros, con productos autorizados en el país de origen, señalando en el certificado fitosanitario, en la sección correspondiente a tratamiento, la fecha del tratamiento, el ingrediente activo del producto, tipo de aplicación (inmersión o aspersión) y dosis utilizada. Los requisitos serán verificados durante la inspección fitosanitaria en el punto de ingreso. Para mayor detalle revisar el documento adjunto a esta notificación.

[G/SPS/N/TPKM/620](#)
09/11/2023

Chinese
Taipei

Dog and cat

08/01/2024

The draft amendment of the “Quarantine Requirements for the Importation of Dogs and Cats” in relation to Article 8 (Annex 6) of the "Regulations for the Importation of Objects Subject to Animal Quarantine"

The 7-days post-entry quarantine for dogs/cats from a country (zone) not recognized as being free from rabies is still maintained. However, in the draft amendment, this measure may be waived when the waiting period between blood sampled date of rabies antibody test to the exporting date are extended from 90 days to 180 days and one of the following requirements is complied with: The applicant submits the application for the import quarantine permit at least 120 days prior to entering; or The test report is recognized by the veterinarians of the animal quarantine authority of the exporting country (endorsed, a declaration issued of the test result, etc.); or The test report is sent directly by a reference or designated laboratory to the import/export animal quarantine authority stationed at the port of entry (mail, email, fax, shown on its website, etc.).

[G/SPS/N/KAZ/149](#)
09/11/2023

Kazakhstan

Live poultry and hatching eggs, down and feathers, poultry meat and all types of poultry products, feed and feed additives for birds, hunting trophies, used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and butchering birds

Letter of the Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of Kazakhstan on the introduction of temporary restrictions on the importation to the territory of Kazakhstan from Norway of live poultry and hatching eggs, down and feathers, poultry meat and all types of poultry products, feed and feed additives for birds, hunting trophies, used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and butchering birds susceptible to highly pathogenic avian influenza virus (HPAI), as well as transit through the territory of Kazakhstan of live birds

The Committee for Veterinary Control and Surveillance of the Ministry of Agriculture of Kazakhstan reports that on the basis of the official notification of the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH), an outbreak of highly pathogenic avian influenza virus (HPAI) was registered in Norway. In this regard, since 20 October 2023, temporary restrictions have been introduced on the importation to the territory of Kazakhstan from Norway of live poultry and hatching eggs,

down and feathers, poultry meat and all types of poultry products that have not undergone heat treatment (at least 70 °C), feed and feed additives for birds (except for feed additives of chemical and microbiological synthesis), hunting trophies that have not undergone taxidermic treatment (feathered game), the former used equipment for keeping, slaughtering and butchering birds susceptible to highly pathogenic avian influenza virus (HPAI), as well as transit through the territory of Kazakhstan of live birds.

[G/SPS/N/USA/3430](#)
09/11/2023

United
States of
America

Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured, and other non-alcoholic beverages (excluding fruit, nut or vegetable juices and milk) (HS code(s): 2202)

Revocation of Authorization for Use of Brominated Vegetable Oil in Food; Proposed Rule

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA or we) is proposing to amend our regulations to revoke the authorization for the use of brominated vegetable oil (BVO) in food. This action is being taken because there is no longer a reasonable certainty of no harm from the continued use of BVO in food. Specifically, the proposed rule would revoke the authorization for the use of BVO as a food ingredient intended to stabilize flavoring oils in fruit-flavored beverages. There are no authorizations for other uses of BVO in food.

[G/SPS/N/BGD/7](#)
10/11/2023

Bangladesh

Food

09/01/2024

Draft Food Safety (Determination and Control of Microbiological Contaminants) Regulations, 2023

The draft regulation on Determination and Control of Microbiological Contaminants describes the maximum allowable limit of microbial contaminants in different food stuffs with some general provisions regarding tolerable levels of microbial contaminants in food, use of specifications and restrictions, stages of the appliance of the Microbiological Criteria, general guideline for sampling, testing of food samples, sampling plan and interpretation. These regulations contain nine schedules where schedule 1 to 8 elaborates schedule containing the name of the food, the scientific name of the microorganism, the number of food samples, the number of acceptable samples based on the presence or level of the microorganism, the tolerable level of the specific microorganism present in the sample and the test method for determining the presence or tolerance level of a specific microorganism in meat and meat products, fruits vegetables and their products, spices and herbs, egg and egg products, ready to eat food, fish and fishery products, milk and milk products, potable water respectively. Additionally, schedule 9 describes the reference test methods.

[G/SPS/N/RUS/274](#)
10/11/2023

Russian
Federation

Goods (products) subject to phytosanitary control

Letter of the Federal Service for the Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance (Rosselkhoznadzor) No. FS-SA-3/25735 of 24 October 2023

The letter introduces a temporary restriction on imports of all goods (products) subject to phytosanitary control from Denmark and originating in Denmark due to the detection of *Ambrosia artemisiifolia* L.

[G/SPS/N/RUS/275](#)
10/11/2023

Russian
Federation

Live bovine animals (HS code(s): 0102); Live animals (excluding horses, asses, mules, hinnies, bovine animals, swine, sheep, goats, poultry, fish, crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, and microorganic cultures etc.) (HS code(s): 0106); A

Letter of the Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance No. FS-ARe 7/5547-5 as of 2 November 2023

This letter introduces temporary restrictions on the import of products mentioned in the point 3 from Korea to the territory of the Russian Federation and transit of live bovine animals and other susceptible animals due to the detection of Dermatitis Nodularis