

**Predpisy notifikované v Dohode o uplatňovaní sanitárnych a fyto-sanitárnych opatrení (SPS WTO)
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Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/SPS/N/IND/269 08/10/21	India	<i>Food</i> Draft Food Safety and Standards (Health Supplements, Nutraceuticals, Food for Special Dietary Use, Food for Special Medical Purpose, Functional food and Novel food) Amendment Regulations, 2021 G/SPS/N/IND/269 The Draft Food Safety and Standards (Health Supplements, Nutraceuticals, Food for Special Dietary Use, Food for Special Medical Purpose, Functional food and Novel food) amendment Regulations, 2021 relates to: - the inclusion of category 'Food for Special Diagnostic Purposes' under Food for Special Medical purpose; - the revision of Schedule II;- the inclusion/review of ingredients and additives: (6S)-5-methyltetrahydrofolic acid, glucosamine salt, Calcium from algae including red seaweed, Polysorbates (Tweens), Magnesium alumina metasilicate, Bacillus indicus and Guar gum derivative (partially hydrolysed guar gum).	07/12/21
G/SPS/N/CHL/699 12/10/21	Chile	<i>Frutos frescos de limón tahiti (Citrus latifolia)</i> Establece requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación a Chile de frutos frescos de limón tahiti (Citrus latifolia) producidos en Brasil excepto los Estados de Pará, Amapá y Roraima G/SPS/N/CHL/699 De acuerdo con la revisión de antecedentes científicos, los frutos frescos de Citrus latifolia corresponden a un hospedante condicional de plagas cuarentenarias. Por ello, y según el Análisis de Riesgo de Plagas (ARP) realizado por el SAG, para frutos frescos de Citrus latifolia origen Brasil, es necesario establecer medidas fitosanitarias para las plagas Cryptoblabes gnidiella, Dysmicoccus brevipipes, Ecdytolopha aurantiana, Ferrisia virgata, Maconellicoccus hirsutus, Nipaecoccus nipae, Brevipalpus californicus y Brevipalpus phoenicis, las que poseen asociación con ese producto, cuentan con estatus de cuarentenarias ausentes para Chile y están presentes en Brasil. Para mayor detalle revisar el documento adjunto a esta notificación.	12/11/21
G/SPS/N/NZL/660 12/10/21	New Zealand	<i>Aquatic animal products for any use other than as bait or feed for aquatic animals</i> Import Health Standard: Aquatic Animal Products G/SPS/N/NZL/660 The Import Health Standard: Aquatic Animal Products contains New Zealand's specific biosecurity import requirements for products derived from fish, aquatic crustaceans, aquatic molluscs, echinoderms, cnidarians, and tunicates imported from all countries for all uses other than for use as bait and feed for aquatic animals. Products that comply with the requirements of the standard will meet New Zealand's appropriate level of biosecurity protection.	07/12/21

G/SPS/N/RUS/240 12/10/21	Russian Federation	<p><i>Goods (products) subject to sanitary-epidemiological supervision (control)</i></p> <p>Eurasian Economic Commission Collegium Draft Decision on amendments to the Section 1 of the Chapter II of the Common sanitary-epidemiological and hygienic requirements for products subject to sanitary-epidemiological supervision (control) G/SPS/N/RUS/240 The draft provides for the establishment in the Common sanitary-epidemiological and hygienic requirements for products subject to sanitary-epidemiological supervision (control) of the standards for veterinary medicinal preparations in foodstuffs of animal origin. The standards have been developed on the basis of the residue limits of veterinary medicinal preparations established in the international standard of the Codex Alimentarius Commission – CX/MRL 2-2018 and the regional standard of the European Commission – Regulation No 37/2010 of 22 December 2009 on pharmacologically active substances and their classification regarding maximum residue limits in foodstuffs of animal origin.</p>	06/12/21
G/SPS/N/ARM/34 13/10/21	Armenia	<p><i>Goods (products) subject to sanitary-epidemiological supervision (control)</i></p> <p>Eurasian Economic Commission Collegium Draft Decision on amendments to the Section 1 of the Chapter II of the Common sanitary-epidemiological and hygienic requirements for products subject to sanitary-epidemiological supervision (control) G/SPS/N/ARM/34 The draft provides for the establishment in the Common sanitary-epidemiological and hygienic requirements for products subject to sanitary-epidemiological supervision (control) of the standards for veterinary medicinal preparations in foodstuffs of animal origin. The standards have been developed on the basis of the residue limits of veterinary medicinal preparations established in the international standard of the Codex Alimentarius Commission – CX/MRL 2-2018 and the regional standard of the European Commission – Regulation No 37/2010 of 22 December 2009 on pharmacologically active substances and their classification regarding maximum residue limits in foodstuffs of animal origin.</p>	
G/SPS/N/EU/511 13/10/21	European Union	<p><i>Food supplements</i></p> <p>Draft Commission Regulation (EU) amending Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards green tea extract containing (-)-epigallocatechin-3-gallate (Text with EEA relevance) G/SPS/N/EU/511 This draft Commission Regulation concerns the inclusion of green tea catechins in Annex III of Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 ('the Regulation'). In its opinion, adopted on 14 March 2018, EFSA concluded that while catechins from green tea infusions prepared in a traditional way were considered safe for use, catechins taken as a food supplement, at and above 800mg of (-)-epigallocatechin-3-gallate, had been shown to cause elevated serum transaminases, which is indicative of</p>	12/12/21

liver injury. Therefore, pursuant to the procedure of Article 8 of the Regulation, this substance should be included in Annex III (Part B) to the Regulation. Furthermore, as EFSA could not identify a safe dietary intake of green tea catechins, and therefore, there is still the possibility of harmful effects on health but scientific uncertainty persists in this regard, this substance should be placed under Union scrutiny (Part C of Annex III to the Regulation).

<p>G/SPS/N/EU/512 13/10/21</p>	<p>European Union</p>	<p><i>Food products</i> Draft Commission Regulation amending Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the food additive titanium dioxide (E 171) (Text with EEA relevance) G/SPS/N/EU/512 The text removes the authorisation to use titanium dioxide (E 171) in foods based on the recent scientific opinion of the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) concluding that titanium dioxide can no longer be considered as safe when used as a food additive. The text also includes a commitment to review the necessity to maintain titanium dioxide (E 171) or otherwise delete it from the Union list of food additives for exclusive use as a colour in medicinal products within three years after the date of entering into force of this Regulation. In order to allow for a smooth transition, the text lays down that foods that contain titanium dioxide (E 171) used in accordance with the rules applicable before the date of entry into force of the Regulation may be placed on the market until six months after that date. Those foods may then continue to be marketed until their date of minimum durability or 'use by' date.</p>	<p>12/12/21</p>
<p>G/SPS/N/ARG/252 15/10/21</p>	<p>Argentina</p>	<p><i>Semillas (destinadas a la propagación) de arroz (Oryza sativa)</i> Requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de semillas (destinadas a la propagación) de arroz (Oryza sativa), provenientes de Australia, hacia la República Argentina G/SPS/N/ARG/252 Requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de semillas (destinadas a la propagación) de arroz (Oryza sativa), provenientes de Australia, hacia la República Argentina.</p>	
<p>G/SPS/N/ARG/253 15/10/21</p>	<p>Argentina</p>	<p><i>Todos los productos vegetales y sus derivados que requieran como Declaración Adicional del Certificado Fitosanitario la certificación de plagas por Análisis de Laboratorio</i> Modificación de la Declaración Adicional de los Requisitos Fitosanitarios para envíos que deban certificarse mediante análisis de laboratorio G/SPS/N/ARG/253 Se comunica la modificación de la Declaración Adicional de los requisitos fitosanitarios para todos los envíos que deban certificarse mediante análisis de laboratorio. Se retira la declaración de la fecha del análisis oficial de laboratorio que respalde la Certificación Fitosanitaria del envío. Esta Declaración Adicional quedará expresada de la siguiente manera: "El envío se encuentra libre de acuerdo con el resultado del análisis oficial de laboratorio N° (.....)"</p>	

G/SPS/N/CAN/1417 15/10/21	Canada	<p><i>Glutaminase from Bacillus licheniformis SJ13263 in various foods (ICS Code: 67.220.20) ICS codes: 67.220.20 (Food additives);</i></p> <p>Notice of Modification to the List of Permitted Food Enzymes to enable the use of Glutaminase from Bacillus licheniformis SJ13263 in various foods</p>	17/12/21
<p>G/SPS/N/CAN/1417 Health Canada's Food Directorate completed a premarket safety assessment of a food additive submission seeking approval for the use of glutaminase from Bacillus licheniformis SJ13263 in bread; dairy-based flavouring preparation; flour; hydrolyzed animal, milk and vegetable protein; pasta; unstandardized bakery products; whole wheat flour; and yeast. Glutaminase from another microbial source is already permitted for use in certain foods requested by the petitioner. Although B. licheniformis and numerous other strains of this bacterium are permitted sources for several food enzymes other than glutaminase in Canada, B. licheniformis SJ13263 was not already a permitted source for any food enzyme. The results of the premarket assessment support the safety of glutaminase from B. licheniformis SJ13263 for its requested uses. Consequently, Health Canada has enabled the use of glutaminase from B. licheniformis SJ13263 described in the information document by modifying the List of Permitted Food Enzymes, effective 4 October 2021. The purpose of this communication is to publically 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.</p>			
G/SPS/N/TPKM/577 15/10/21	Chinese Taipei	<p><i>Stem (including rhizome) of Anthurium spp., Philodendron spp., Monstera spp.; and above-ground portion of Anubias spp., Bucephalandra spp., and Cyperus spp.</i></p>	Emergency measure
<p>The amendment of Subparagraph 3, Paragraph 1 of Part A of the "Quarantine Requirements for the Importation of Plants or Plant Products" G/SPS/N/TPKM/577 The emergency phytosanitary measures for hosts of burrowing nematode and relevant regulated plant parts are amended to mitigate the biosecurity risk posed by burrowing nematodes. The stem (including rhizome) of Anthurium spp., Philodendron spp., Monstera spp. and above-ground portion of Anubias spp., Bucephalandra spp., and Cyperus spp. are added to the host list of burrowing nematodes.</p>			
G/SPS/N/NZL/661 15/10/21	New Zealand	<p><i>Fresh lime (Citrus aurantiifolia), lemon (Citrus limon), grapefruit (Citrus paradisi), mandarin/tangerine (Citrus reticulata) and orange (Citrus sinensis)</i></p>	19/12/21
<p>Ministry for Primary Industries Standard 152.02: Importation and Clearance of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables into New Zealand G/SPS/N/NZL/661 MPI is seeking targeted consultation from 5 October to 19 October 2021 on the following changes to the import health standard for fresh citrus exports from Australia: Removal of the requirement and additional</p>			

declaration on phytosanitary certificates for fresh citrus to be sourced from an area free (verified by an official detection survey) from *Xanthomonas citri* subsp. *citri*; Removal of the Targeted Measure pest *Xanthomonas citri* subsp. *citri* (citrus canker) from the pest list for Australia for citrus species.

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New Zealand

Celery (Apium graveolens), Broccoflower, Broccoli, Brussel Sprouts, Cabbage, Cauliflower (Brassica oleracea), Lettuce (Lactuca sativa), Basil (Ocimum basilicum), Parsley (Petroselinum crispum), Pea, green/snow/sugar snap (Pisum sativum)

Emergency
measure

Import Health Standard 152.02: Importation and Clearance of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables into New Zealand

G/SPS/N/NZL/662 MPI is intending to urgently amend the fresh produce Import Health Standard 152.02: Importation and Clearance of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables into New Zealand to reflect the proposed phytosanitary measures for the management of *Liriomyza huidobrensis* and *Liriomyza trifolii* on fresh celery, broccoflower/broccoli/brussel sprouts/cabbage/cauliflower, lettuce, basil, parsley and peas from Australia.