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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>INDONESIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Agency for Agricultural Quarantine, Ministry of Agriculture
3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable): Fresh vegetable bulbs
4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: All countries
5. Title, language and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Decree of the Minister of Agriculture Concerning Plant Quarantine Requirements and Actions for the Importation into the Territory of the Republic of Indonesia of Live Plant Product in the Form of Fresh Vegetable Bulbs (available in English, 7 pages)
6. Description of content: This draft decree of the Minister of Agriculture concerning plant quarantine requirements and actions for the importations into the territory of the Republic of Indonesia of Live Plant Product in the Form of Fresh Vegetable Bulbs is as follows: Plant quarantine requirements : The fresh vegetable bulbs imported into the territory of the Republic of Indonesia, shall be: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. accompanied by a Phytosanitary Certificate from the country of origin and transit country;2. come through the designated point of entry;3. notified and presented to Plant Quarantine Officers at the place of entry for plant quarantine action. Technical requirements : <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Importation into the territory of the Republic of Indonesia of live plant products in the form of fresh vegetable bulbs should derive from production sites free from plant quarantine pest infestation as referenced in the Appendix of this regulation or derive from production sites in the country of origin not free from plant quarantine pest infestation;2. Importation into the territory of the Republic of Indonesia of live plant products in the form of fresh vegetable bulbs deriving from the production sites as referred to in article 5, shall be declared in the Additional Declaration accompanying the Phytosanitary Certificate, devitalized and free from soil particles and/or compost.

	<p>3. Importation into the territory of the Republic of Indonesia of live plant products in the form of fresh vegetable bulbs deriving from a production area which is not free from infestation of destructive organisms on the quarantined plant as referred to in Article 5, shall be treated and free from soil particles and/or compost. The treatment shall be referred to in para. (1), according with the type of live plant product in the form of fresh vegetable bulbs and also the type of destructive plant organism which is to be prevented and shall be declared in the treatment column of the Phytosanitary Certificate attached to the delivery.</p> <p>4. The provisions established in this regulation shall be likewise applicable to plant products in the form of fresh vegetable bulbs moving in passenger's luggage and postal services.</p> <p>5. To know if a production area in the country of origin is free or not free from the destructive organism infestation for the quarantined plant, the production area in the country of origin may be surveyed by the Plant Quarantine Officer and/or by other officials appointed by the Head of the Agricultural Agency. The survey as referred to in para. (1) shall be conducted with consideration of the risk analysis of destructive organisms of plants, especially the Plant Quarantine Pests and shall be performed in accordance with the standard determined by the International Plant Protection Convention Secretariat (IPPC) and other published standards. The Cost of the survey as referred to in para. (1) shall be borne by the budget of the Agricultural Quarantine Agency and or by the owner.</p>
7.	<p>Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests</p>
8.	<p>International standard, guideline or recommendation: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission, <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention, <input type="checkbox"/> None If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:</p>
9.	<p>Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Government Regulation No. 14/2002 concerning Plant Quarantine</p>
10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption: To be determined.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined.</p>

12. Final date for comments: 60 days after publication

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