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**Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

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Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/567 1 February 2018	All trading partners	Food in general	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	2 April 2018
Malaysia G/SPS/N/MYS/41 1 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code: 4014.90.1000 - Teats for feeding bottles and similar articles	Contaminants; Food safety; Human health;	2 April 2018
Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of G/SPS/N/SAU/273/Add.1 1 February 2018	All trading partners	Imported food	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1126/Add.1 2 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide tioxazafen in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060, 67.100, 67.120, 67.200)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1146/Add.1 2 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide bicyclopyrone in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060, 67.120)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1147/Add.1 2 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide Clethodim in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.080, 67.220)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1148/Add.1 2 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide spirotetramat in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.080)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable

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Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/553/Add.2 2 February 2018	All trading partners		Change in date of adoption/publication/entry into force;	Not applicable.
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/266/Add.1 2 February 2018	All trading partners		Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable.
Dominican Republic G/SPS/N/DOM/71/Add.1 2 February 2018	All trading partners		Extension of final date for comments;	3 April 2018

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/553 5 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">&gt;-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) &lt;br /&gt;-Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;-Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;-Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14) &lt;br /&gt;-Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) &lt;br /&gt;-Coffee, tea, mate and spices (HS Codes: 09.03, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10) &lt;br /&gt;-Cereals (HS Codes: 10.01, 10.05 and 10.06) &lt;br /&gt;- Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.04, 12.05, 12.06, 12.07 and 12.12)&lt;br /&gt;- Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06) &lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	6 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/554 5 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">-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) &lt;br /&gt;-Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS Codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04) &lt;br /&gt;-Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;-Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;-Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14) &lt;br /&gt;-Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.02, 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10 and 08.14) &lt;br /&gt;-Coffee, 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) &lt;br /&gt;-Cereals (HS Codes: 10.01, 10.02, 10.03, 10.04, 10.05, 10.06, 10.07 and 10.08) &lt;br /&gt;-Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.05 and 12.12) &lt;br /&gt;-Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)&lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	6 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/555 5 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">&gt;-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) &lt;br /&gt;-Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;-Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;-Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.03, 07.07, 07.09 and 07.10) &lt;br /&gt;-Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) &lt;br /&gt;-Coffee, tea, mate and spices (HS Codes: 09.02, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10) &lt;br /&gt;-Cereals (HS Codes: 10.01, 10.02 and 10.03) &lt;br /&gt;-Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.05, 12.06 and 12.12)&lt;br /&gt;-Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06) &lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	6 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/556 5 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">-Meat and edible meat offal (HS Codes: 02.03, 02.06, 02.07 and 02.09) &lt;br /&gt;-Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS Codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04) &lt;br /&gt;-Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04)&lt;br /&gt;-Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Code: 15.01) &lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Veterinary drugs; Human health;	6 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles in attached annexes).
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/557 5 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">-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) &lt;br /&gt;-Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS Codes: 03.02, 03.03, 03.04, 03.06 and 03.07) &lt;br /&gt;-Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;-Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;-Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)&lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Veterinary drugs; Human health;	6 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).
United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2977 5 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Tea, dried; and vegetable, fruiting, group 8-10&lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable

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United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2978 5 February 2018	All trading partners	Brassica, leafy greens, subgroup 4-16B; Cranberry; Fruit, small, vine climbing, except fuzzy kiwifruit, subgroup 13-07F; Guave; Kohlrabi; Papaya; and Vegetable, Brassica, head and stem, group 5-16	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable
United Arab Emirates G/SPS/N/ARE/142 7 February 2018	All trading partners	Plant products	Pests; Territory protection; Plant health;	8 April 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1358 7 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 08; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	28 February 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1359 7 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 08; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	28 February 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1360 7 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 07, 08; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	28 February 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1361 7 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 08; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	28 February 2018



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Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1362 7 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 06; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides; Plant health;	28 February 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1363 7 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 06; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides; Plant health;	28 February 2018
Costa Rica G/SPS/N/CRI/191/Add.1 7 February 2018	All trading partners		Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable.
Chinese Taipei G/SPS/N/TPKM/453 7 February 2018	All trading partners	Imported foods and related products	Food safety; Certification, control and inspection; Human health;	8 April 2018
United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2979 7 February 2018	All trading partners	Meat	Food safety; Human health;	2 April 2018
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1129/Add.1 12 February 2018	All trading partners	Patulin in apple juice and unfermented apple cider (ICS Code: 67.160.20)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1130/Add.1 12 February 2018	All trading partners	Total glycoalkaloids (TGA) in potato tubers (ICS Code: 67.080)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable

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Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1155 12 February 2018	All trading partners	Pectinase (ICS Code: 67.220.20)	Food safety; Food additives; Human health;	16 April 2018
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/171/Add.2 12 February 2018	All trading partners		Withdrawal of the measure;	Not applicable.
Spain G/SPS/N/ESP/5 12 February 2018	All trading partners	Live animals (HS code 01.06; ICS numbers 13.020.99 and 65.020.030)	Animal diseases; Animal health;	13 April 2018

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/558 12 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14) Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) Coffee, 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 Code: 10.05) Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.04, 12.05, 12.06, 12.07, 12.10 and 12.12) Waters (HS Code:22.01)</p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	13 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles in attached annexes).

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/559 12 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Meat and edible meat offal (HS Codes: 02.01, 02.02, 02.03, 02.04, 02.05, 02.06 and 02.08)</p> <p>Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Code: 04.01)</p> <p>Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04)</p> <p>Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14)</p> <p>Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14)</p> <p>Coffee, 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)</p> <p>Cereals (HS Codes: 10.05 and 10.08)</p> <p>Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.07 and 12.12)</p> <p>Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)</p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	13 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/560 12 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS Codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04) &lt;br /&gt;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 07.14) &lt;br /&gt;Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) &lt;br /&gt;Coffee, 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) &lt;br /&gt;Cereals (HS Code: 10.05) &lt;br /&gt;Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Code: 12.01)&lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	13 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes)

<p>Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/561 12 February 2018</p>	<p>All trading partners</p>	<p>&lt;p style="margin:2px !important;"&gt;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) &lt;br /&gt;Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS Codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04) &lt;br /&gt;Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14) &lt;br /&gt;Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) &lt;br /&gt;Coffee, tea, mate and spices (HS Codes: 09.01, 09.02, 09.03, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10) &lt;br /&gt;Cereals (HS Codes: 10.01, 10.02, 10.03, 10.04, 10.05, 10.06, 10.07 and 10.08) &lt;br /&gt;Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.04, 12.05, 12.06, 12.07, 12.10 and 12.12) &lt;br /&gt;Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)&lt;br /&gt;Cacao and</p>	<p>Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Veterinary drugs; Human health; Pesticides;</p>	<p>13 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).</p>
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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/562 12 February 2018	All trading partners	cacao preparations (HS Code: 18.01)</p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Veterinary drugs; Human health;	13 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles in attached annexes).

<p>Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/563 12 February 2018</p>	<p>All trading partners</p>	<p>&lt;p style="margin:2px !important;"&gt;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) &lt;br /&gt;Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates (HS Codes: 03.02, 03.03 and 03.04) &lt;br /&gt;Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14) &lt;br /&gt;Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11 and 08.14) &lt;br /&gt;Coffee, tea, mate and spices (HS Codes: 09.01, 09.02, 09.03, 09.04, 09.05, 09.06, 09.07, 09.08, 09.09 and 09.10) &lt;br /&gt;Cereals (HS Codes: 10.01, 10.02, 10.03, 10.04, 10.05, 10.06, 10.07 and 10.08) &lt;br /&gt;Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.04, 12.05, 12.06, 12.07, 12.10 and 12.12) &lt;br /&gt;Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06)&lt;br /&gt;Cacao and</p>	<p>Food safety; Veterinary drugs; Human health; Pesticides;</p> <p>13 April 2018</p> <p>Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles in attached annexes).</p>
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		cacao preparations (HS Code: 18.01)</p>		
Nicaragua G/SPS/N/NIC/13/Add.2 12 February 2018	All trading partners		Modification of content/scope of regulation;	13 April 2018
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1141/Add.1 13 February 2018	All trading partners	Nisin (ICS Code: 67.220.20)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable
Russian Federation G/SPS/N/RUS/147 13 February 2018	All trading partners	Goods (products) subject to veterinary control	Animal diseases; Animal health;	14 April 2018
Uruguay PROVISIONAL180842 13 February 2018	All trading partners		Animal health;	14 April 2018
Uruguay PROVISIONAL180843 13 February 2018	All trading partners		Animal diseases; Animal health;	14 April 2018
Uruguay PROVISIONAL180844 13 February 2018	All trading partners		Animal health;	14 April 2018
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/62/Add.2 14 February 2018	All trading partners	Beverages	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	15 April 2018

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Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/84 14 February 2018	All trading partners	Spices and condiments	Food safety; Human health;	15 April 2018
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/85 14 February 2018	All trading partners	Vegetables and derived products	Food safety; Human health;	15 April 2018
Egypt G/SPS/N/EGY/86 14 February 2018	All trading partners	Water of natural resources	Beverages; Food safety; Human health;	15 April 2018
Guatemala G/SPS/N/GTM/66 14 February 2018	All trading partners	HS code 67.100.01: Milk and milk products in general	Food safety; Human health;	15 April 2018
Korea, Republic of G/SPS/N/KOR/593 14 February 2018	All trading partners	Foods	Food safety; Human health;	15 April 2018
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/569 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Plant material as in vitro tissue cultures of the species <i>Prunus pseudocerasus</i>	Pests; Plant health;	20 April 2018
Chile G/SPS/N/CHL/570 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Used goods that could carry <i>Halyomorpha halys</i> (Hemiptera: Pentatomidae)	Pests; Plant health;	Not applicable.

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China G/SPS/N/CHN/1065 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Foods	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	20 April 2018
Costa Rica G/SPS/N/CRI/197 19 February 2018	All trading partners	HS code 67.100.01: Milk and milk products in general	Food safety; Human health;	20 April 2018
Honduras G/SPS/N/HND/54 19 February 2018	All trading partners	HS code 67.100.01. Dairy products. Matured cheese. Specifications.	Food safety; Human health;	20 April 2018
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/32 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Coconut oil	Food safety; Human health;	20 April 2018
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/33 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Nuts	Food safety; Human health;	17 March 2018
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/34 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Fruits	Food safety; Human health;	17 March 2018
Kenya G/SPS/N/KEN/35 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Cheese	Food safety; Human health;	22 March 2018

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Nicaragua G/SPS/N/NIC/102 19 February 2018	All trading partners	ICS number: 67.100.01	Food safety; Human health;	20 April 2018
Panama G/SPS/N/PAN/61 19 February 2018	All trading partners	HS code 67.100.01: Milk and dairy products in general	Food safety; Human health;	20 April 2018
El Salvador G/SPS/N/SLV/127 19 February 2018	All trading partners	ICS number: 67.100.01	Food safety; Human health;	20 April 2018
United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2980 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Almond hulls, apple, the bushberry subgroup 13-07B, the tree nut group 14-12, and the small vine climbing fruit (except fuzzy kiwifruit) subgroup 13-07F	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable
United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2981 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Berry, low growing, subgroup 13-07G; Vegetable, legume, group 6; Vegetable, tuberous and corm, subgroup 1C	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable
United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2982 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Cherry subgroup 12-12A; Hop, dried cones; Vegetable, cucurbit, group 9; Vegetable, fruiting, group 8-10	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable
United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2983 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Banana	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable

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United States of America G/SPS/N/USA/2984 19 February 2018	All trading partners	Berry, low growing, except strawberry, subgroup 13- 07H; Fruit, citrus, group 10- 10; Fruit, pome, group 11- 10; Fruit, small, vine climbing, except fuzzy kiwifruit, 0.01 subgroup 13- 07F; Fruit, stone, group 12- 12; Nut, tree, group 14-12; Potato; Vegetable, tuberous and corm, subgroup 1C; Fescue, forage; Fescue, hay; Ryegrass, perennial, forage; Ryegrass, perennial, hay	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	Not applicable
Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/564 20 February 2018	All trading partners	L-carnitine as a feed additive	Feed additives; Food safety; Human health; Animal feed;	Not applicable

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/565 20 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">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) &lt;br /&gt;Dairy produce and birds' eggs (HS Codes: 04.01, 04.07 and 04.08) &lt;br /&gt;Products of animal origin (HS Code: 05.04) &lt;br /&gt;Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers (HS Codes: 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, 07.13 and 07.14) &lt;br /&gt;Edible fruits and nuts, peel of citrus/melons (HS Codes: 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04, 08.05, 08.06, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10 and 08.11) &lt;br /&gt;Coffee, tea, mate and spices (HS Codes: 09.01, 09.02 and 09.03) &lt;br /&gt;Cereals (HS Codes: 10.01, 10.02, 10.03, 10.04, 10.05, 10.06, 10.07 and 10.08) &lt;br /&gt;Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits (HS Codes: 12.01, 12.02, 12.04, 12.05, 12.06, 12.07, 12.10 and 12.12)&lt;br /&gt;Animal or vegetable fats and oils (HS Codes: 15.01, 15.02 and 15.06) &lt;/p&gt; </p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	21 April 2018  Comments only to updated MRLs (marked with black circles and white circles in attached annexes).

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/566 20 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Food additive (Propiconazole)</p>	Food safety; Food additives; Human health;	Not applicable
Thailand G/SPS/N/THA/242/Corr.1 20 February 2018	All trading partners	Food in general (ICS Code: 67.040)	Food safety; Human health;	n/a
European Union G/SPS/N/EU/13/Add.7 22 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Food additives (ICS Code: 67.220.20)</p>	Food safety; Food additives; Human health;	23 April 2018
European Union G/SPS/N/EU/204/Add.1 22 February 2018	All trading partners	Cereals (HS Codes: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008), foodstuffs of animal origin (HS Codes: 0201, 0202, 0203, 0204, 0205, 0206, 0207, 0208, 0209, 0210) and certain products of plant origin, including fruit and vegetables	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable.
European Union G/SPS/N/EU/233 22 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Codes: 3919, 3920, 3923, 3924; ICS Code: 67.250: Materials and articles in contact with food, including catering containers and materials and articles in contact with drinking water	Contaminants; Food safety; Human health; Packaging;	23 April 2018
European Union G/SPS/N/EU/159/Add.3 23 February 2018	All trading partners	Materials and articles in contact with food (HS Codes: 3919, 3920, 3923 and 3924; ICS Code: 67.250)	Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable.

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Japan G/SPS/N/JPN/567 23 February 2018	All trading partners	<p style="margin:2px !important;">Wheat (HS Code: 10.01)</p>	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	24 April 2018
Colombia G/SPS/N/COL/282 26 February 2018	All trading partners	Cultivars	Biotechnology; Genetically modified organisms; Plant health;	27 April 2018
Mexico G/SPS/N/MEX/207/Add.8 26 February 2018	All trading partners		Adoption/Entry into force of new regulation;	Not applicable.
Australia G/SPS/N/AUS/445 27 February 2018	All trading partners	Brassicaceous crop seeds for sowing	Pests; Seeds; Plant health;	19 April 2018
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1156 27 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide mefenpyr-diethyl in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060)	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	7 May 2018
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1157 27 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide prothioconazole in or on annual canarygrass seeds (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060)	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	7 May 2018
Canada G/SPS/N/CAN/1158 27 February 2018	All trading partners	Pesticide tebuconazole in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060)	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	7 May 2018



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Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1364 28 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 06; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	23 March 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1365 28 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 09; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	23 March 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1366 28 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 12; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	23 March 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1367 28 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 07, 52, 12, 08; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	23 March 2018
Brazil G/SPS/N/BRA/1368 28 February 2018	All trading partners	HS Code(s): 10, 07; ICS Code(s): 13, 65	Food safety; Maximum residue limits (MRLs); Human health; Pesticides;	23 March 2018

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