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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 20 March 2025, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of New Zealand.

Issuance of amended import health standard for seeds for sowing

This addendum concerns the amendment of the previously notified document, the Ministry for Primary Industries (MPI) Import Health Standard: Seeds for Sowing (155.02.05). The amendment to this import health standard was notified in G/SPS/N/NZL/776 dated 28 November 2024.

Consultation on these changes has closed and the Ministry for Primary Industries issued the amended Import Health Standard: Seeds for Sowing (155.02.05) on 14 March 2025. The issued standard is on this link - <https://www.mpi.govt.nz/dmsdocument/1151-Seeds-for-Sowing-Import-Health-Standard>

All the changes to the Import Health Standard: Seeds for Sowing (155.02.05) proposed in G/SPS/N/NZL/776 were adopted, published, and entered into force on 14 March 2025.

Adoption date of regulation – 14 March 2025

<https://www.mpi.govt.nz/dmsdocument/1151-Seeds-for-Sowing-Import-Health-Standard>
https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/NZL/25_02348_00_e.pdf

This addendum concerns a:

- ☐ Modification of final date for comments
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- ☐ Withdrawal of proposed regulation
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- ☐ Other:

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- ☐ Sixty days from the date of circulation of the addendum to the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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