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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 26 October 2026, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Türkiye.

Regulation on Plant Quarantine

It has been announced that the Regulation on Plant Quarantine, revised through the SPS notification circulated under symbol G/SPS/N/TUR/23/Rev.1/Add.2, was published on 6 May 2026.

Furthermore, the English version of the Plant Quarantine Regulation, published on 6 May 2026 and entering into force on 4 August 2026, was notified through the SPS notification circulated under symbol G/SPS/N/TUR/23/Rev.1/Add.4.

An update has been made to the implementation of the provisions concerning the importation into Türkiye of plants and plant products covered by Article 14 of the list entitled "Special Requirements for the Import of Plants and Plant Products" set out in Annex 4 to the Regulation on Plant Quarantine, as specified below.

No.	Plants, plant products and other objects	Origin	Special requirements
14.	Deciduous trees and shrubs intended for planting, other than seeds and plants in tissue culture	All countries other than Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Canary Islands, Egypt, the Faeroe Islands, Georgia, Iceland, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Liechtenstein, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, North Macedonia, Norway, Russia (only the following regions: Central Federal District (Tsentralny Federalny Okrug), Northwestern Federal District (Severo-Zapadny Federalny Okrug), Southern Federal District (Yuzhny Federalny Okrug), North Caucasian Federal District (Severo-Kavkazsky Federalny Okrug), and Volga Federal District (Privolzhsky Federalny Okrug)), San Marino, Serbia, Switzerland, Syria, Tunisia, the European Union, Ukraine, and the United Kingdom (excluding Northern Ireland)	It must be stated in the Phytosanitary Certificate that the plants are dormant and free from leaves.

In this context, it is important to ensure that the country-specific conditions and phytosanitary requirements set out in the table are met when importing deciduous trees and shrubs intended for planting, excluding seeds and tissue culture plants.

This addendum concerns a:

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[**X**] Other: Update to the List in Annex 4 of the Regulation on Plant Quarantine

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