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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>BRAZIL</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Secretariat of Animal and Plant Health and Inspection (SDA) - Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (MAPA)
<b>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):</b> Plant products
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> Normative Instruction (Instrução Normativa) nº 19 of 13 August 2019. <b>Language(s):</b> Portuguese. <b>Number of pages:</b> 2 <a href="http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=13/08/2019&amp;jornal=515&amp;pagina=6&amp;totalArquivos=56">http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=13/08/2019&amp;jornal=515&amp;pagina=6&amp;totalArquivos=56</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/BRA/19_4994_00_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/BRA/19_4994_00_x.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/BRA/19_4994_01_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/BRA/19_4994_01_x.pdf</a>
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Regulation establishes requirements, criteria and procedures for issuing the International Sanitary Certificate for plant products.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
<b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>
<b>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b>

<p><b>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> 11 November 2019 (90 days after the date of its publication).</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> 11 November 2019 (90 days after the date of its publication).</p>
<p><b>11. Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 11 November 2019 (90 days after the date of its publication).</p> <p><b>[X] Trade facilitating measure</b></p>
<p><b>12. Final date for comments: [ ] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> Not applicable</p> <p><b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b></p> <p>Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply Secretariat of Trade and International Relations E-mail: sps@agricultura.gov.br</p>
<p><b>13. Text(s) available from: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b></p> <p>Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply Secretariat of Trade and International Relations E-mail: sps@agricultura.gov.br</p>