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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

- Notifying Member: NEW ZEALAND
 If applicable, name of local government involved:
 Agency responsible: Ministry for Primary Industries
 - 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): Basic import requirements on "Importation of Nursery Stock" (alternative chemical treatment for plant feeding mites)
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
 - [X] All trading partners
 - [] Specific regions or countries:
- Title of the notified document: Import Health Standard 155.02.06: Importation of Nursery Stock . Language(s): English. Number of pages: 404

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- **6. Description of content:** This standard describes the import specifications and entry conditions for nursery stock imported into New Zealand.
- 7. Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [] animal health, [X] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.
- 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
 - [] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):
 - [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
 - [X] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
 Various ISPMs as listed in the IHS:
 - ISPM 4: Requirements for the establishment of pest free areas
 - ISPM 5: Glossary of phytosanitary terms
 - ISPM 7: Phytosanitary certification system
 - ISPM 8: Determination of pest status in an area
 - ISPM 10: Requirements for the establishment of pest free places of production and pest free production sites
 - ISPM 12: Phytosanitary certificates
 - ISPM 23: Guidelines for Inspection
 - ISPM 24: Guidelines for the determination and recognition of equivalence of phytosanitary measures
 - ISPM 27. Diagnostic protocols for regulated pests. Rome, IPPC, FAO

- ISPM 36: Integrated measures for plants for planting.
- ISPM 43: Requirements for the use of fumigation as a phytosanitary measure

[] None

Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

[X] Yes [] No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Risk management proposal "Review of chemical treatment to manage regulated plant mites on whole plants and cuttings Section 2.2.1.6 Import Health Standard 155.02.06: Importation of Nursery Stock' (available in English)
- **10.** Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 27 February 2020

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 20 May 2020

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 20 May 2020
 - [X] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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