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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>BRAZIL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Secretariat of Animal and Plant Health and Inspection (SDA), of Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (MAPA), Brazilian Institute of Environment and Renewable Natural Resources (IBAMA) and Brazilian Health Regulatory Agency (ANVISA)
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): Phytosanitary treatment with methyl bromide for quarantine purposes
4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5. Title of the notified document: "Instrução Normativa Conjunta" Nº 02 from 14 December 2015 Language(s): Portuguese Number of pages: 3 http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_00_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_01_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_02_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_03_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_04_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_05_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_06_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_07_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_08_x.pdf http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/SPS/BRA/15_5094_09_x.pdf
6. Description of content: This is to inform that the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (MAPA), along with the Brazilian Institute of Environment and Renewable Natural Resources (IBAMA) and the Brazilian Health Regulatory Agency (ANVISA), issued "Instrução Normativa Conjunta" Nº 2, from 14 December 2015, to authorize the phytosanitary treatment with methyl bromide for quarantine purposes on import and export operations. It revokes "Instrução Normativa Conjunta" Nº 1, from 10 September 2002, and "Instrução Normativa Conjunta" Nº. 1, from 14 February 2003.
7. Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)

<p><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (<i>e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number</i>)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (<i>e.g. ISPM number</i>) ISPM N° 15, 28</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p>
<p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Official Journal N° 243 of 21 December 2015, section 1, page 38 to 40 (available in Portuguese)</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): 21 December 2015</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): 21 December 2015</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): 21 December 2015</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): Not applicable</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p>
<p>13. Text(s) available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p>