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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

Original: Spanish

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>CHILE</u>
	If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: Servicio Agrícola y Ganadero, SAG (Agriculture and Livestock
- Service)
- 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): Feathers, bristles, horsehair and animal hair
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:

[X] All trading partners

[] Specific regions or countries:

5. Title of the notified document: Proyecto de resolución que fija exigencias para la internación de plumas, cerdas, crines y pelos de animales y deroga resolución que indica (Draft Resolution establishing entry requirements for feathers, bristles, horsehair and animal hair, and repealing the Resolution indicated) Language(s): Spanish Number of pages: 4

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/CHL/22 5193 00 s.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** The notified draft measure establishes the following sanitary requirements for the entry into Chile of feathers, bristles, horsehair and animal hair:
 - 1. For feathers and down from poultry, the health status of the animals' place of provenance must be taken into consideration, in accordance with World Organisation for Animal Health recommendations. This health status must be approved by the Agriculture and Livestock Service (SAG); alternatively, feathers and down must have undergone one of the specified treatments.
 - 2. For hair and bristles from swine, the health status of the animals' place of provenance must be taken into consideration. The place of provenance must be recognized as free from classical swine fever by the World Organisation for Animal Health and must meet World Organisation for Animal Health recommendations for African swine fever. In both cases, SAG must approve this status; alternatively hair and bristles from swine must have undergone one of the specified treatments.
 - 3. For horsehair and hair from animals other than swine, the required treatments are those specified.
 - 4. Certain requirements are indicated concerning packaged goods and the information to be displayed on packaging.
 - 5. Regarding transport, goods must be transported in such a way as to ensure that sanitary conditions are maintained. This will prevent goods from coming into contact with any source of the pathogens referred to in the measure.
 - 6. The measure specifies the information to be included on official certificates, which must be issued by the relevant health authority.
 - 7. The measure also refers to the checks that products may be required to undergo upon arrival.

Further details can be found in the document attached to this notification.

Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:

Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [X] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from

Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex [] standard or related text): [X] World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): Chapters 8.8, 10.4, 10.9, 15.1 and 15.2. of the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health. International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM No.): [] [] 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: 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): Upon publication in the Official Journal Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): Approximately 80 days from the date of circulation of the notification 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 60 days after the date of publication in the Official Journal [] Trade facilitating measure 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 7 October 2022 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:

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