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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 24 March 2023, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of <u>New Zealand</u>.

Amendment to the Ministry for Primary Industries (MPI) Import health standard 155.02.06: Importation of Nursery Stock

MPI has amended the import health standard 155.02.06: *Importation of Nursery Stock* effective 22 March 2023. This standard was amended to allow the use of an alternative onshore chemical treatment for the management of the regulated scale *Chrysomphalus aonidum* on all *Dracaena* whole plants and non-dormant cuttings eligible to be imported into New Zealand, in lieu of onshore methyl bromide fumigation.

Additionally, the *Dracaena* onshore treatment requirements have been transferred to the MPI Approved Biosecurity Treatments Standard (ABTRT).

This addendum concerns a:

[]	Modification of final date for comments
[X]	Notification of adoption, publication or entry into force of regulation
[]	Modification of content and/or scope of previously notified draft regulation
[]	Withdrawal of proposed regulation
[]	Change in proposed date of adoption, publication or date of entry into force
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Comment period: (If the addendum extends the scope of the previously notified measure in terms of products and/or potentially affected Members, a new deadline for receipt of comments should be provided, normally of at least 60 calendar days. Under other circumstances, such as extension of originally announced final date for comments, the comment period provided in the addendum may vary.)

[] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the addendum to the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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