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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>COLOMBIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: <i>Instituto Colombiano Agropecuario, ICA</i> (Colombian Agricultural Institute)
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): Bananas, including plantains, fresh or dried (HS code: 080300)
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: <i>Proyecto de Resolución Por la cual se adopta el "Plan Nacional de Prevención, Vigilancia y control de Fusarium oxysporum f.sp. cubense Raza 4 Tropical - Foc R4T (Sinonimia: Fusarium odoratissimum) en todo el territorio nacional"</i> (Draft Resolution adopting the National Plan for the Prevention, Monitoring and Control of <i>Fusarium oxysporum</i> f. sp. <i>cubense</i> tropical race 4 (Foc TR4) (also known as <i>Fusarium odoratissimum</i>) throughout the national territory) Language(s): Spanish Number of pages: 20 https://www.sucop.gov.co/busqueda?k=instituto%20colombiano%20agropecuario https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/COL/23_13253_00_s.pdf
6. Description of content: National Plan for the Prevention, Monitoring and Control of <i>Fusarium oxysporum</i> f. sp. <i>cubense</i> tropical race 4 (Foc TR4) (also known as <i>Fusarium odoratissimum</i>) throughout the national territory
7. Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests Article 1.- Purpose. Adopt the National Plan for the Prevention, Monitoring and Control of <i>Fusarium oxysporum</i> f. sp. <i>cubense</i> tropical race 4 (Foc TR4) (also known as <i>Fusarium odoratissimum</i>) throughout the national territory
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): <input type="checkbox"/> World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM No.): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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.	<p>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. This is a draft resolution with no date of adoption until the procedure for international comments has taken place.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. This is a draft resolution with no set date of publication until the procedure for international comments has taken place.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. This is a draft resolution.</p> <p>[] Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 1 January 2024</p> <p>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:</p> <p>Aurora Villalobos Diaz <i>Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo</i> (Ministry of Trade, Industry and Tourism) <i>Dirección de Regulación</i> (Regulation Department) Calle 28 # 13 A 15 piso 3, Bogotá, DC Tel.: (+571) 606 7676, Ext. 2223 Email: avillalobos@mincit.gov.co Website: http://www.mincit.gov.co</p> <p>Hernán Alonso Zuñiga <i>Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo</i> (Ministry of Trade, Industry and Tourism) <i>Dirección de Regulación</i> (Regulation Department) <i>Director de Regulación MinCIT</i> (MINCIT Director of Regulation) Calle 28 # 13 A 15 piso 3, Bogotá, DC Tel.: (+571) 606 7676 Email: puntocontacto@mincit.gov.co Website: http://www.mincit.gov.co</p>
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