NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** CHINA  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** General Administration of Customs of the People's Republic of China (GACC) |
| **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):** Plant propagation materials |
| **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:** Measures for the Quarantine Administration of Imported Plant Propagation Materials.**Language(s):** Chinese. **Number of pages:** 6  [https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/CHN/23\_11524\_00\_x.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/CHN/23_11524_00_x.pdf" \t "_blank) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Based on the actual situation of quarantine supervision work in recent years, the management measures have made further detailed regulations on the quarantine approval of imported plant propagation materials, port quarantine, post-entry quarantine and other related matters, but no new requirements have been put forward for overseas related parties. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****]****food safety, [****]****animal health, [****X]****plant protection, [****]****protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [****X]****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)*:** ISPM 36 Integrated measures for plants for planting, ISPM 38 International movement of seeds  **[****]** **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)*:** To be determined.  **Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined. |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [****]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined.  **[****]** **Trade facilitating measure** |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [****X]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 6 October 2023  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:** |
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