NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** AUSTRALIA  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry |
| **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):** Fresh grapes (HS code(s): 08061000) |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[ ] All trading partners**  **[X] Specific regions or countries:** Japan |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Fresh table grapes for human consumption from Japan. **Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** 1  <https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/ImportConditions/Questions/EvaluateCaseByPK?elementPk=2226069> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Australia has published import conditions for fresh table grapes from Japan, for human consumption. The final report for table grapes from Japan was published in 2014, however trade did not occur. |
| **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 2 and ISPM 11  **[ ] 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:** <https://www.agriculture.gov.au/sites/default/files/sitecollectiondocuments/ba/reviews/final-plant/table-grapes-japan/final-report-non-regulated-analysis-table-grapes-japan.pdf>  (available in English) |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 2 September 2024  **Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 2 September 2024 |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** 1 September 2024  **[X] Trade facilitating measure** |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [ ] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Not applicable  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:**  The Australian SPS Notification Authority  GPO Box 858  Canberra ACT 2601  Australia  E-mail: [sps.contact@aff.gov.au](mailto:sps.contact@aff.gov.au) |
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