NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** CHILE**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):** Seeds of ornamental species and of fruit and vegetable crops and aromatic and medicinal plant species |
| **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:** *Resolución Nº 2.557/2021:* "*Modifica resoluciones n° 3.333 de 2007 que establece requisitos fitosanitarios de ingreso de semillas de especies ornamentales y n° 7.675 de 2016 que establece requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de semillas de especies hortícolas, chacras, aromáticas y medicinales, procedentes de todo origen"* (Resolution No. 2.557/2021: Amendment to Resolutions No. 3.333 of 2007 establishing phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of seeds of ornamental species and No. 7.675 of 2016 establishing phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of seeds, of any origin, of fruit and vegetable crops and aromatic and medicinal plant species) **Language(s):** Spanish **Number of pages:** 3<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/CHL/21_3222_00_s.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** In view of Chile's need to revise and correct the double regulation of species of the genus *Salvia* spp. and of the fact that the majority of species of this genus are ornamental, with only the species *Salvia officinalis* being considered as an aromatic and medicinal plant species, the Agriculture and Livestock Service (SAG) has decided to amend Resolution No. 3.333 of 2007 establishing phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of seeds of ornamental species.The notified text also amends SAG Resolution No. 7.675 of 2016 establishing phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of seeds, of any origin, of fruit and vegetable crops and aromatic and medicinal plant species.Further details can be found in the document attached to this notification. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [ ] food safety, [ ] animal health, [X] plant protection, [ ] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [ ] 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 Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:****[X] International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM No.)*:*** ISPM No. 1: Phytosanitary principles for the protection of plants and the application of phytosanitary measures in international trade (FAO, 2006), IPPC.
* ISPM No. 20: Guidelines for a phytosanitary import regulatory system (FAO, 2004), IPPC.

**[ ] 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:** *Resolución N° 3.333 de 2007, Que establece requisitos fitosanitarios de ingreso de semillas de especies ornamentales; Resolución N° 7.675 de 2016 Que establece requisitos fitosanitarios para la importación de semillas de especies hortícolas, chacras, aromáticas y medicinales, procedentes de todo origen* (available in Spanish) |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Upon publication in the Official Journal**Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 5 May 2021 |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Upon publication in the Official Journal**[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, [ ] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:**Email: sps.chile@sag.gob.cl |
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