NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 17 May 2021, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of the United States of America.

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| Importation of Fresh Avocado Fruit From Continental Ecuador Into the Continental United States; Reopening of Comment Period [Docket No. APHIS-2016-0099] |
| We are reopening the comment period for a proposed rule to allow the importation of commercial avocados from continental Ecuador into the continental United States after taking a new pest into consideration and including additional phytosanitary measures. We are also notifying the public of the availability of a revised pest risk assessment and revised risk management document associated with this notice. This action will allow interested persons additional time to prepare and submit comments. (Federal Register Vol. 86, No. 72, Friday 16 April 2021, pp. 20037-20038). |
| **This addendum concerns a:** |
| [**X**] Modification of final date for comments |
| [ ] 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 |
| [ ] Other:  |
| **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)*: 17 May 2021 |
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| <https://www.regulations.gov/document/APHIS-2016-0099-0016> |

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