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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Agency, MOA
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): Plants or plant products
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: The draft amendment of Paragraph 10 of Part B of the "Quarantine Requirements for the Importation of Plants or Plant Products". Language(s): English. Number of pages: 1 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/TPKM/23_13023_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Paragraph 10 of Part B of the "Quarantine Requirements for the Importation of Plants or Plant Products" was revised as follows: 1. The scientific name of <i>Broad bean wilt virus</i> and the abbreviation of <i>Cucurbit chlorotic yellows virus</i> (CCYV) were corrected; 2. <i>Apomyelois ceratoniae</i> , <i>Coscinoptycha improbana</i> and <i>Grapholita dimorpha</i> were added.
7. Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
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 Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): ISPM No. 24 <input type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

9.	<p>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: The draft amendment of Paragraph 10 of Part B of the "Quarantine Requirements for the Importation of Plants or Plant Products" (Ministry of Agriculture Announcement, Nong Shou Fang Zi No. 1121495331A dated 13 September 2023) can be found at:</p> <p>https://www.moa.gov.tw/theme_data.php?theme=publication&id=7146 (available in Chinese)</p>
10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 11 November 2023</p> <p>[] Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 11 November 2023</p> <p>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:</p> <p>Animal and Plant Health Inspection Agency, Ministry of Agriculture 9F, No.100, Sec.2, Heping W. Rd., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City, 100060, Taiwan Tel: +(886) 2 3343 2091 Fax: +(886) 2 2332 2200 Email: wtosps@aphia.gov.tw Website: http://www.aphia.gov.tw/</p>
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