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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>JORDAN</u>
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture
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): Wood packaging materials
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: All trading partners
5.	Title, language and number of pages of the notified document: Directive No. (Z/4) Year 2005 "Instructions on Treatment of the Wood Packaging Materials used in Preparation of Consignments" – Issued pursuant to provisions of paragraph (A) of the Agricultural Provisional By-Law No. (44) for year 2002.
6.	Description of content: Regulation on the marking of wood packaging material in accordance with the International Standard of Phytosanitary Measures No. 15.
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.	International standard, guideline or recommendation:
	[] Codex Alimentarius Commission, [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), [X] International Plant Protection Convention, [] None
	If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations:
9.	Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Available in Arabic
10.	Proposed date of adoption:
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: 17 November 2005
12.	Final date for comments:
	Agency or authority designated to handle comments: $[\]$ National notification authority, $[\ X\]$ National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:

13. Texts available from: [X] National notification authority, [X] National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:

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