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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>SENEGAL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: <i>Direction de la Protection des Végétaux au Ministère de l'Agriculture</i> (Plant Protection Department of the 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): Tomatoes originating in and coming from areas infested with the tomato leaf miner <i>Tuta absoluta</i>
4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries: Countries infested with <i>Tuta absoluta</i>
5. Title of the notified document: <i>Arrêté portant interdiction temporaire d'importation de tomates d'origine et de provenance des zones infestées par la chenille mineuse, Tutta absoluta</i> (Order temporarily prohibiting the importation of tomatoes originating in and coming from areas infested with the tomato leaf miner <i>Tuta absoluta</i>) Language: French Number of pages: 2
6. Description of content: In the context of the protection of Senegal's crops and native plant life against threats of the introduction of the quarantine pest <i>Tuta absoluta</i> , commonly known as the tomato leaf miner, imports of fresh tomatoes and tomato plant material originating in or coming from infested areas are temporarily prohibited throughout the national territory.
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 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 Organisation 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) Arrêté (Order) No. 00919 of 3 February 2010

<p><input type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</p>
<p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: French</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption(dd/mm/yy): 3 February 2010 Proposed date of publication(dd/mm/yy): 3 February 2010</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): Already in force on account of its quarantine status. <input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Direction de la Protection des Végétaux Ministère de l'Agriculture BP 20054, Thiaroye, Dakar, Senegal Tel.: +(221) 33 8 34 03 97 Fax: +(221) 33 8 53 22 52 or +(221) 33 8 34 28 54 E-mail: dpv1@orange.sn</p>
<p>13. Texts available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Direction de la Protection des Végétaux Ministère de l'Agriculture BP 20054, Thiaroye, Dakar, Senegal Tel.: +(221) 33 8 34 03 97 or +(221) 77 6 40 75 17 Fax: +(221) 33 8 53 22 52 or +(221) 33 8 34 28 54 E-mail: dpv1@orange.sn or almhanne@yahoo.fr</p>