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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>REPUBLIC OF CUBA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, National Centre for Plant Health
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): Live trees and other plants; bulbs, roots and the like; cut flowers and ornamental foliage Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers Edible fruits and nuts; peel of fresh citrus fruits or melons Coffee, tea, maté and spices Cereals Products of the milling industry; malt; starches; inulin; wheat gluten Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seed and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder Vegetable plaiting materials and vegetable products Cocoa and cocoa preparations Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastrycooks' products Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: Applicable to all countries where cases of pests which are quarantine objects in Cuba have been reported.
5.	Title, language and number of pages of the notified document: Resolution No. 441/96 (3 pages, in Spanish).
6.	Description of content: This Resolution implements the list of plant quarantine objects of the Republic of Cuba.
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: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission, <input type="checkbox"/> Office International des Epizooties, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention, <input type="checkbox"/> None If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, give the appropriate reference and briefly identify deviations: This Resolution implements Article VII, Point 2(i) of the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC).
9.	Relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Resolution No. 441/96 (available in Spanish).
10.	Proposed date of adoption: Not indicated.
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: Not indicated
12.	Final date for comments: Not indicated. Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National notification authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body:
13.	Texts available from: <input type="checkbox"/> National notification authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National enquiry point, or address, fax number and E-mail address (if available) of other body: National Centre for Plant Health Ayuntamiento #231 e/ San Pedro y Lombillo Plaza de la Revolución Havana, Cuba Tel.: 537 881-5089 537 870-0925 Fax: 537 870-3277 E-mail: internacionales@sanidadvegetal.cu estadistica@sanidadvegetal.cu barrios@sanidadvegetal.cu