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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>MEXICO</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Rural Development
3.	Products covered (tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Cut flowers and fresh foliage
4.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard NOM-009-FITO-1995 Establishing the Phytosanitary Requirements and Specifications for the Import of Cut Flowers and Fresh Foliage
5.	Description of content: The Standard establishes the phytosanitary requirements for the import of cut flowers and fresh foliage, applicable to cut flowers and fresh foliage and to the plant products and by-products used as packing or packaging material for them.
6.	Objective and rationale: Plant health
7.	An international standard, guideline or recommendation does not exist [X]. If an international standard, guideline or recommendation exists, whenever possible, identify deviations:
8.	Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 16 August 1995
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: On the day following publication in the Official Journal
10.	Final date for comments: 16 November 1995
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: