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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>ECUADOR</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: <i>Agencia de Regulación y Control Fito y Zoosanitario, AGROCALIDAD</i> (Agency for Phytosanitary and Animal Health Regulation and Control)
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): Apples (<i>Malus domestica</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: Portugal
5.	Title of the notified document: <i>Resolución 0005, que actualiza los requisitos fitosanitarios de cumplimiento obligatorio para la importación de fruta de manzana (Malus domestica) para consumo originaria de Portugal</i> (Resolution No. 0005 updating the mandatory phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of apples (<i>Malus domestica</i>) for consumption originating in Portugal) Language(s): Spanish Number of pages: 5 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/ECU/22_1375_00_s.pdf
6.	Description of content: The notified Resolution updates the mandatory phytosanitary requirements governing the importation of apples (<i>Malus domestica</i>) for consumption originating in Portugal.
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 No.): ISPM Nos. 2, 11 and 21 <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.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 17 January 2022 Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 17 January 2022
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 17 January 2022 [X] Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 8 April 2022 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and email address (if available) of other body:
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