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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

1.	Notifying Member: <u>CHILE</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: <i>Servicio Agrícola y Ganadero</i> (Agriculture and Livestock Service)
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): Goods of animal origin
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: Paraguay
5.	Title of the notified document: <i>Suspende en forma transitoria, la internación a Chile de mercancías de origen animal, que puedan portar el virus de fiebre aftosa, procedentes de la República de Paraguay</i> (Temporary suspension of the importation into Chile from the Republic of Paraguay of goods of animal origin that may carry the foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) virus). Language(s): Spanish Number of pages: 1 http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2011/sps/CHL/11_3152_00_s.pdf
6.	Description of content: Temporary suspension, as a preventive measure, of the importation into Chile from Paraguay of goods of animal origin that may carry the foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) virus.
7.	Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input 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.	Nature of the urgent problem(s) and reason for urgent action: Preventive measure to safeguard against the introduction of foot-and-mouth disease into Chile.
9.	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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number) <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number) <input type="checkbox"/> None

<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>	
10.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
11.	<p>Date of entry into force (dd/mm/yy)/period of application (as applicable): 19 September 2011</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>E-mail: sps.chile@sag.gob.cl</p>
13.	<p>Texts available from: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>E-mail: sps.chile@sag.gob.cl</p>