NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

Addendum

The following communication, received on 8 December 2023, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Australia.

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| Emergency measures for nursery stock and tissue culture against *Xylella fastidiosa* and related *Xylella* species |
| On 9 November 2015 Australia notified of the implementation of emergency measures for the import of nursery stock, tissue cultures, cuttings, budwood, rooted plants, corms and bulbs against *Xylella fastidiosa* and related *Xylella* species.  Further to notifications G/SPS/N/AUS/376, G/SPS/N/AUS/376/Add.1, G/SPS/N/AUS/376/Add.2, G/SPS/N/AUS/376/Add.3, G/SPS/N/AUS/376/Add.4, G/SPS/N/AUS/538, G/SPS/N/AUS/557 and based on additional information on the host range of *Xylella* bacteria, Australia notifies that emergency measures for *Xylella* will be extended to nursery stock and tissue cultures belonging to the following additional plant family, effective 8 December 2023: Simaroubaceae.  These additions and current measures are described in the following links:  [www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/import/goods/plant-products/how-to-import-plants/xylella/notification-amended-emergency-quarantine-measures](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/import/goods/plant-products/how-to-import-plants/xylella/notification-amended-emergency-quarantine-measures)  [www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/import/goods/plant-products/how-to-import-plants/xylella](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/import/goods/plant-products/how-to-import-plants/xylella)  When published, the revised import conditions will be made available in the Biosecurity Import Conditions system (BICON): <https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/> |
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