NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** New Zealand  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Ministry for Primary Industries |
| **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):** *Rosa* nursery stock (whole plants, cuttings [dormant and/non-dormant] and tissue cultures) - known host of *Grapevine Pinot gris virus* |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:**  **[****X] All trading partners**  **[ ]** **Specific regions or countries:** |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Import Health Standard 155.02.06: Importation of Nursery Stock. **Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** 397 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The standard describes the import specifications and entry conditions for nursery stock imported into New Zealand. |
| **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.** | **Nature of the urgent problem(s) and reason for urgent action:** The host range of *Grapevine Pinot Gris virus* has extended. *Rosa* nursery stock is now considered a host.  To prevent the introduction of this virus into New Zealand on *Rosa* nursery stock, an urgent amendment has been made to the nursery stock import health standard.  Emergency measures have been implemented for the pathogen while a Pest Risk Analysis is being completed.  The proposed measures will apply to all countries and are detailed in the *Rosa* schedule of the nursery stock import health standard.  Measures for *Grapevine Pinot gris virus* on *Rosa* nursery stock consist of sourcing Rosa nursery stock from a Pest free area or Pest free place of production free from Grapevine Pinot gris virus and having one of the following declarations endorsed on the phytosanitary certificate by the NPPO of the exporting country:  Conditions for Grapevine *Pinot gris virus*  Additional declaration: "The *Rosa* plants in this consignment were produced in a "pest free area" for *Grapevine Pinot gris virus*".  OR  Additional declaration: "The *Rosa* plants in this consignment were produced in a "pest free place of production" for *Grapevine Pinot gris virus*".  These measures can be found on page 313 of the Importation of Nursery stock, Import Health Standard (155.02.06)  <https://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/dmsdocument/1152/loggedIn> |
| **9.** | **Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:**  **[ ]** **Codex Alimentarius Commission *(e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)*:**  **[ ]** **World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:**  **[****X] International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM number)*:**ISPMs 4 and 10  **[ ]** **None**  **Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?**  **[****X] Yes [ ]** **No**  **If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:** |
| **10.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:** |
| **11.** | **Date of entry into force (*dd/mm/yy*)/period of application (as applicable):** 14 February 2019  **[ ]** **Trade facilitating measure** |
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