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DECISION

For publishing the list of regulated articles subject to pest risk analysis before importing into Vietnam

MINISTER OF MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Pursuant to Decree No 86/2003/ND-CP on 18th July 2003 of Government stipulating

mission, power and structure for Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development

Pursuant to Ordinance on Plant Protection and Quarantine in 2001;

Referring to Decree No 02/2007/NĐ-CP on 05th January 2007 of Government on Plant Quarantine

At the proposal of the Director General of Plant Protection Department.

DECIDES:

Article 1. Publish the list of regulated articles subject to pest risk analysis (PRA) before importing into Vietnam, including:

1. Plants and Plant Products

- a. Plant seeds and plant materials for propagation;
- b. Fresh fruits.

2. Living organisms subject to plant protection area

- a. Biological control agents
- b. Other living organisms

3. Other articles exposed high risk of carrying harmful organisms shall be identified and supplemented in the period of time.

Article 2. All the above subjects shall only implement a new PRA or revise previous PRA results if regulated articles imported into Vietnam in each of situations as below:

- 1. New commodity;
- 2. New origin;

3. To outbreak regulated pests of Vietnam with scientific and practical evidence in exporting country

4. Regulated pests of Vietnam were detected on importing regulated articles .

Article 3. This decision will come in to force 15 days since the date published in the Official Gazette. In period of time, this decision shall be amended, supplemented in accordance with actual situation of importing regulated articles;

Article 4. The Head of Ministry Office, Director General of Plant Protection Department and head of agencies concerned shall take responsibility to implement this decision./.

FOR MINISTER VICE MINISTER Signed

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