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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

- Notifying Member: <u>AUSTRALIA</u>

  If applicable, name of local government involved:
- 2. Agency responsible: Australian Government Department of Agriculture
- 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): Containeised cargo, break bulk cargo and vessels
- 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:** Final pest risk analysis for brown marmorated stink bug (*Halyomorpha halys*). **Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** 115
- **6. Description of content:** Final pest risk analysis and recommended measures to achieve Australia's appropriate level of protection for brown marmorated stink bug on at-risk goods from all countries with populations of brown marmorated stink bug. The final report includes:
  - Summary
  - Introduction, including Australia's biosecurity policy framework and this pest risk analysis
  - Method for pest risk analysis
  - Pest information
  - Pest risk assessment
  - Pest risk management
  - Pest categorisation
  - Host plants
  - Summary of recommendations for measures for cargo for the 2018-19 BMSB season
  - Issues raised by stakeholders
  - Timeline of measures applied to manage BMSB risk
- 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. 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)*: ISPM Nos 2 and 11

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Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

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): Already in place.

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 13 December 2019

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): Already in force.
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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Report available (in English) from the Department of Agriculture website:  $\underline{\text{http://agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity/risk-analysis/plant/brown-marmorated-stink-bug}.$