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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>SENEGAL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: <i>Direction de la Protection des Végétaux au Ministère de l'Agriculture</i> (Plant Protection Department of the Ministry 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): Wood packaging material
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: <i>Projet de règlement technique sur la circulation des matériaux et emballages en bois entrant ou sortant du Sénégal</i> (Draft Technical Regulation on the movement of wood packaging material entering or leaving Senegal) Language: French Number of pages: 7
6.	Description of content: Phytosanitary conformity of wood packaging material, such as wooden pallets, entering or leaving Senegal (see International Standards for Phytosanitary Measures (ISPM) No. 15 of the International Plant Protection Convention, IPPC).
7.	Objective and rationale: <input type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input checked="" 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.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (<i>e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text</i>) <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (<i>e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number</i>) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (<i>e.g. ISPM number</i>) ISPM No. 15: <i>Guidelines for Regulating Wood Packaging Material in International Trade</i> <input type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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: Available in French
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 10 February 2010 Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 12 February 2010
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 15 August 2010 <input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 28 March 2010 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: Direction du Commerce Extérieur Ministère du Commerce 64, Cité SAGEF Ouest Foire Yoff B.P. 4057, Dakar, Sénégal Tel.: +(221) 33 820 44 94 Fax: +(221) 33 820 44 95 Point national d'information sur les SPS Direction de la Protection des Végétaux Ministère de l'Agriculture BP 20054, Thiaroye, Dakar, Sénégal Fax: +(221) 338 342 854 E-mail: dpv1@orange.sn almhanne@yahoo.fr
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