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ISPM 15 COUNTRY UPDATES (Note Australia and New Zealand are still Bark Free)

Countries with Implementation changes since last update:



Israel: June 23, 2009



Indonesia: September 1, 2009

Argentina: June 1, 2006

Australia: September 1, 2004
(Variations: Bark-free + packing declaration for ISPM-15 compliant WPM).

Bolivia: July 23, 2005

Brazil: June 1, 2005

Bulgaria: January 24, 2006

Canada: September 16, 2005
(The date to end the US-Canada agreement has not been set)

Chile: June 1, 2005

China: January 1, 2006

Colombia: September 16, 2005

Costa Rica: March 19, 2006

Croatia: January 1, 2007

Cuba: October 1, 2008

Dominican Republic: July 1, 2006

Ecuador: September 20, 2005

Egypt: October 1, 2005

European Union¹: March 1, 2005

Guatemala: September 16, 2005

Honduras: February 25, 2006

India: November 1, 2004

Japan: April 1, 2007

Jordan: November 17, 2005

Kenya: January 1, 2006

Lebanon: March 26, 2006

Mexico: September 16, 2005

New Zealand: April 16, 2003
(Variation: Bark-free WPM)

Nicaragua: February 16, 2006

Nigeria: September 30, 2004

¹ The European Union is composed of: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, and the United Kingdom.

Norway: July 1, 2008

Oman: December 2006

Paraguay: June 28, 2005

Peru: March 1, 2005

Philippines: June 1, 2005

Seychelles: March 1, 2006

South Africa: January 1, 2005

South Korea: June 1, 2005

Sri Lanka: March 1, 2004

Switzerland: March 1, 2005

Syria: April 1, 2006

Taiwan: January 1, 2009

Trinidad & Tobago: September 15, 2005

Turkey: January 1, 2006

Ukraine: October 1, 2005

Venezuela: June 1, 2005

Vietnam: June 5, 2005