NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 31 January 2023, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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**Title:** California and Imported Kiwifruit; Handling Regulations

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| **Reason for Addendum:** |
| [ ] | Comment period changed - date:  |
| [ ] | Notified measure adopted - date:  |
| [X] | Notified measure published - date: 30 January 2023 |
| [X] | Notified measure enters into force - date: 1 March 2023 |
| [X] | Text of final measure available from[[1]](#footnote-1): <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2023-01-30/html/2023-01701.htm><https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2023-01-30/pdf/2023-01701.pdf><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/USA/final_measure/23_0790_00_e.pdf> |
| [ ] | Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date: Relevant symbol if measure re-notified:  |
| [ ] | Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from1: New deadline for comments (if applicable):  |
| [ ] | Interpretive guidance issued and text available from1:  |
| [ ] | Other:  |

**Description:** TITLE: California and Imported Kiwifruit; Handling Regulations

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture (USDA)

ACTION: Final rule

SUMMARY: This rule implements a recommendation from the Kiwifruit Administrative Committee (Committee) to modify the handling regulations prescribed under the Federal [marketing order for kiwifruit grown in California](https://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/moa/920-kiwifruit). This action revises the size and uniformity requirements for all varieties of Actinidia chinensis species kiwifruit, which is commonly known as golden kiwifruit, regulated under the marketing order. A corresponding change is also made to the [kiwifruit import regulation](https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-7/subtitle-B/chapter-IX/part-944/section-944.550) as required under [section 8e](https://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/section8e) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937.

DATES: Effective 1 March 2023.

This final rule and the proposed rule notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/1879](https://eping.wto.org/en/Search?domainIds=1&documentSymbol=usa%2F1879) are identified by Docket Number AMS-SC-21-0098. The Docket Folder is available from Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/AMS-SC-21-0098/document> and provides access to primary documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov/) by searching the Docket Number.

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1. This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)