

**PROTOCOL OF PHYTOSANITARY REQUIREMENTS
FOR APPLE EXPORT FROM CHINA TO PERU
BETWEEN THE GENERAL ADMINISTRATION OF QUALITY,
SUPERVISION, INSPECTION AND QUARANTINE OF THE
PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND THE MINISTRY OF
AGRICULTURE OF THE REPUBLIC OF PERU**

In order to safely export apple fruit from China to Peru, the General Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine of the People’s Republic of China (called henceforth “AQSIQ”) and the Ministry of Agriculture through the Animal and Plant Health National Service of the Republic of Peru (called henceforth “SENASA”), through consultations, have agreed the phytosanitary requirements as following.

Article I

The apple fruit (*Malus domestica*) to be exported from China to Peru (called henceforth “apple”) shall be produced from the following provinces in north of China: Shandong, Shaanxi, Shanxi, Henan, Hebei, Liaoning, Gansu, Ningxia and Beijing, which are free areas of *Bactrocera dorsalis*.

Apple shall be come from orchards and packinghouses registered by AQSIQ, and jointly designated by the SENASA and AQSIQ.

Article II

Under the supervision of China Inspection and Quarantine Organization (the branch of AQSIQ, called henceforth “CIQ”), effective monitoring, precaution and Integrated Pest Management (IPM) shall be undertaken to avoid or minimize the occurrence of quarantine pests concern to Peru (Annex 1) and maintain phytosanitary condition of orchards and packinghouses.

The apple shall be conducted fruit bagging measure during its developing period.

Article III

The processing, packing, storage and transportation of apple shall be subject to quarantine supervision by CIQ.

Before packing, the apple shall be selected, sorted and processed to insure the fruits without quarantine pest concerned by Peru side, branches, leaves and soil.

The apple processed shall be stored separately in the chamber to avoid re-infestation.

Article IV

Every packing box of apple shall have marking in English indicate: production place (province), orchard or its' registered number, packinghouses or its' registered number and "Exported to the Republic of Peru" (see Annex 2).

The list of packinghouses for the exportation to Peru, must be sent to SENASA prior to the beginning of the exportation season

Article V

Before apple exported, CIQ shall do a severe inspection and issue phytosanitary certificate for shipment which passed inspection.

If quarantine pest is detected in an export lot, this shipment will be rejected.

During the first two years of the performance of this protocol, CIQ will do 2% sampling inspection. If no phytosanitary problem is found, henceforth, the sampling inspection will be reduced to 1%.

Article VI

Once the apple arrives at the entry port, SENASA will examine relevant documents and marking, and conduct corresponding phytosanitary inspection.

If apple originating from the unrecorded orchards and packinghouses is detected, the shipment will not be allowed entry.

Article VII

Prior to the program initiation, SENASA will send two quarantine inspectors to China to carry out an on site visit in production areas, in cooperation with AQSIQ. The Chinese side will be in charge of visit costs, including transportation, food and accommodation.

This Protocol will enter into force from the date of signature, and have a validity of two years. If neither side gives notice to amend or terminate this Protocol at least two months prior to the expiration date, the protocol will be extended automatically and successively for an additional period of one year.

Subscribed in **** on **January, 2005 in Chinese, Spanish, and English languages, in duplicated copies, each side has a copy of the three texts. All texts are equally authentic. In case of doubt, the English text shall be used for reference.

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the General Administration
of Quality Supervision,
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ANNEX 1

The Quarantine Pest Concerned by Peru

1. *Carposina sasakii*
2. *Grapholita funebrana*
3. *Grapholita inopinata*
4. *Grapholitha molesta*
5. *Tetranychus (Amphitetragchus) viennensis*
6. *Tetranychus kanzawai*
7. *Botryosphaeria ribis*
8. *Monilinia fructigena*

ANNEX 2

Packing Marking

<p>Production place (province)</p> <p>Orchard name or it's registered number</p> <p>Packinghouse name or it's registered number</p> <p>Exported to the Republic of Peru</p>
