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Specific Issues of Interest to the CCB:

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- On May 5, South Korea [notified the WTO](#) that the Animal and Plant Quarantine Agency (APQA) of the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (MAFRA) has amended the country's quarantine pest list by adding [23 quarantine pest species](#).
- Of the 23 added species, 1 species is a prohibited pest (*Dacus ciliatus*) and all others are controlled pests.
- The amendments will take effect from July 2023. Comments can be sent to the U.S. SPS Inquiry Point at us.spsenquiry@fas.usda.gov. The WTO comment deadline is July 3, 2023.

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