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EUROPEAN UNION BARK RESTRICTION UPDATE

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SUBJ: EU DEBARKING

We have just received unofficial notice that the EU will implement its "debarking" requirement on July 1, 2009. Debarking will be defined based upon the proposed amendment to ISPM 15 (up to 3 cm wide unlimited in length; if over 3 cm wide, credit card size).

Facilities should be notified so that WPM destined for the EU can be compliant.

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