



MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND SUPPLY

SECRETARIAT OF ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH

NORMATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 16, OF 8 MAY 2008

THE SECRETARY OF ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH, OF THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND SUPPLY, in the exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Articles 9º and 42, Annex I, of Decree No. 5,351, of 21 January 2005, in view of the provisions of Decree No. 24,548, of 3 July 1934, Decree No. 5,741, of 30 March 2006, and the contents of Case No. 21000.002627/2008-31, hereby resolves:

Art. 1º Establishes the National Apiculture Health Programme (PNSAp) within the scope of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply.

§1º The PNSAp aims to strengthen the apiculture production chain through animal health surveillance and protection measures.

§2º The coordination of the PNSAp shall be carried out by a representative of the Department of Animal Health (DSA).

§3º In order to prevent, diagnose, control and eradicate diseases and pests that may cause damage to the beekeeping production chain, the PNSAp shall promote the following activities:

I - health education;

II - epidemiological studies;

III - transit control;

IV - registration, inspection and health certification; and

V - immediate intervention when there is suspicion or occurrence of a notifiable disease or pest.

Art. 2º This Normative Instruction shall enter into force on the date of its publication.

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