

We contribute to guarantee the supply of rice in Mexico

We speed up health procedures to provide Mexicans with healthy and safe food



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Health agencies of Mexico and Pakistan will sign a Work Plan with the purpose of opening the Mexican market to the Asian country's polished rice and thereby expanding the availability of grain to domestic consumers at reasonable prices.

The negotiation is part of the measures operated by the SENASICA to speed up procedures with Mexico's trading partners, in order to reduce import costs of healthy and safe food to supply Mexicans with high-demand products.

The work plan with Pakistan consists mainly of eight risk mitigation measures to guarantee the phytosanitary condition of the product and prevent the entry of quarantine pests into national territory, such as the Khapra weevil (*Trogoderma granarium*).

One important measure is that Asian exporters must clean containers before being loaded and place specific traps for Khapra weevil inside, speeding up inspection at the point of entry, and ensuring that in case of the pest presence, the officer performing the verification will locate it immediately.

For more information, please visit: [The Secretariat of Agriculture undertakes import of polished rice from Pakistan, in favor of Mexican consumers](#)