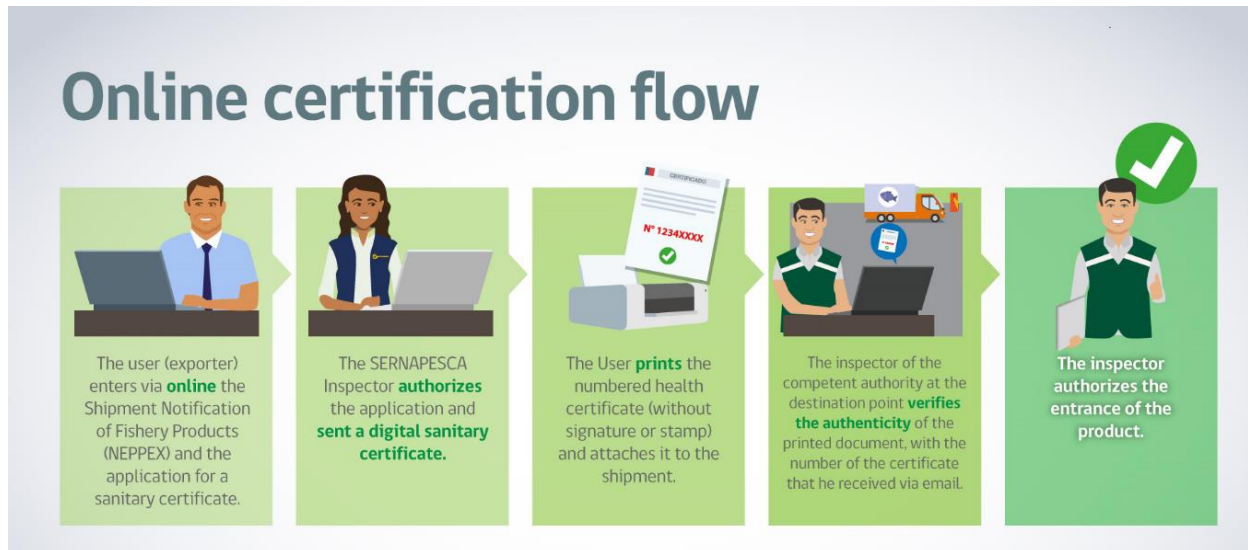


China joins online certification for Chilean exports

The Chinese Customs Authority (GACC) has accepted SERNAPESCA's proposal for the authorization and online certification of exports of fishery and aquaculture products. Thus, starting this week, the health certificates of the products destined for that market will be validated through the online platform, according to the following flow:



1. The exporter notifies the shipment and requests a health certificate through an online system.
2. The SERNAPESCA Inspector verify compliance of requirements and authorizes the issuance of the health certificate on-line.
3. The exporter prints the numbered and authorized health certificate (which does not contain a signature or stamp).
4. Upon arrival at the port, the GACC Inspector verifies the authenticity of the document by entering the official website, thru the certificate number, using a username and password.
5. If everything is in order, the inspector would authorize the entry of the product.

The request, approval and disposition of electronic certificates is carried out through the SICEX-SISCOMEX platform and the Certificate Management module (SGC).

The implementation of this procedure, which shows the recognition and trust of the Chinese authority in SERNAPESCA's safety control and certification systems, represents a facilitation of great impact for exports to that market, particularly the air shipment of fresh salmon, since it will allow the issuance of certificates on a continuous basis, including holidays and weekends, without the need to adjust to office hours.

Online authorization and certification for exports of fishery and aquaculture products is one of the measures implemented by SERNAPESCA in the face of an emergency COVID-19, to

reduce face-to-face procedures, thus taking care of the health of its users and officials. It is part of the strategy of facilitation and digitization of procedures that the Service is developing, to improve the response to its users.