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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

1.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b> United States of America
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> US Environmental Protection Agency
3.	<b>Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Residues of chlorpyrifos, except for those associated with the use of chlorpyrifos on the following crops: alfalfa, apple, asparagus, tart cherry, citrus, cotton, peach, soybean, strawberry, sugar beet, and spring and winter wheat.
4.	<b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>All trading partners</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Specific regions or countries:</b>
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> Chlorpyrifos; Tolerance Revocation. Proposed rule. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 23 <a href="https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2024-12-10/html/2024-28332.htm">https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2024-12-10/html/2024-28332.htm</a>
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> EPA is proposing to revoke all tolerances for residues of chlorpyrifos, except for those associated with the use of chlorpyrifos on the following crops: alfalfa, apple, asparagus, tart cherry, citrus, cotton, peach, soybean, strawberry, sugar beet, and spring and winter wheat. This proposal also addresses the request to revoke all chlorpyrifos tolerances contained in the 12 September 2007, petition.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	<b>Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>None</b> <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>

<b>9.</b>	<b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b> EPA's webpage on chlorpyrifos: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/ingredients-used-pesticide-products/chlorpyrifos">https://www.epa.gov/ingredients-used-pesticide-products/chlorpyrifos</a> . Frequently Asked Questions about the Current Status of Chlorpyrifos and Anticipated Path Forward: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/ingredients-used-pesticide-products/frequently-asked-questions-about-current-status-chlorpyrifos">https://www.epa.gov/ingredients-used-pesticide-products/frequently-asked-questions-about-current-status-chlorpyrifos</a> . Docket: <a href="https://www.regulations.gov/search/docket?filter=EPA-HQ-OPP-2024-0431">https://www.regulations.gov/search/docket?filter=EPA-HQ-OPP-2024-0431</a> . (available in English)
<b>10.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> 10 December 2024 <b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> 10 December 2024
<b>11.</b>	<b>Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 10 December 2024 <b>[ ] Trade facilitating measure</b>
<b>12.</b>	<b>Final date for comments: [ ] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 10 February 2025 <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ] National Notification Authority, [ ] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b> Comments should be submitted to the US Environmental Protection Agency's WTO SPS team at <a href="mailto:EPAWTOSPS@epa.gov">EPAWTOSPS@epa.gov</a> .
<b>13.</b>	<b>Text(s) available from: [ ] National Notification Authority, [ ] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b> <a href="https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2024-12-10/html/2024-28332.htm">https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2024-12-10/html/2024-28332.htm</a>