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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 16 April 2025, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of United Arab Emirates, Kingdom of Bahrain, the State of Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Yemen.

The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Maximum limits of pesticide residues in agricultural and food products"

This draft technical regulation is concerned with the Requirements to be met in (maximum limits of pesticide residues in agricultural and food products) ready for human consumption.

In 1 April 2019, Saudi Arabia notified WTO (SPS) about this Technical Regulation ([G/SPS/N/SAU/394](#)). The updated draft includes modifications in some of maximum limits of pesticide residues as the following:

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/SAU/25_02921_00_e.pdf

This addendum concerns a:

- ☐ Modification of final date for comments
- ☐ Notification of adoption, publication or entry into force of regulation
- ☒ Modification of content and/or scope of previously notified draft regulation
- ☐ Withdrawal of proposed regulation
- ☐ Change in proposed date of adoption, publication or date of entry into force
- ☐ Other:

Comment period: (If the addendum extends the scope of the previously notified measure in terms of products and/or potentially affected Members, a new deadline for receipt of comments should be provided, normally of at least 60 calendar days. Under other circumstances, such as extension of originally announced final date for comments, the comment period provided in the addendum may vary.)

- ☒ Sixty days from the date of circulation of the addendum to the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 15 June 2025

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