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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

- 1. Notifying Member: EUROPEAN UNION
 - If applicable, name of local government involved:
- **2. Agency responsible:** European Commission, Health and Food Safety Directorate-General
- 3. 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): Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309)
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
 - [X] All trading partners
 - [] Specific regions or countries:
- **Title of the notified document:** Draft Commission Implementing Regulation concerning the authorisation of eucalyptus tincture from *Eucalyptus globulus* Labill. as a feed additive for certain animal species. (Text with EEA relevance). **Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** 5+3

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6. **Description of content:** The draft act concerns the authorisation as "flavouring compound" of a tincture from the plant *Eucalyptus globulus* Labill. within the scope of the EU legislation on feed additives, i.e. Regulation (EC) No. 1831/2003. The measure aims at authorising this additive for turkeys for fattening, chickens for fattening and minor poultry for fattening, pigs for fattening, pigs for fattening of minor *Suidae*, calves for fattening, sheep and goats for fattening, cattle for fattening and other ruminants for fattening, *Camelidae* for fattening, rabbits for fattening, salmonids (except brood stock) and minor finfish (except brood stock), and to withdraw the placing on the market of the additive for the rest of the animals.

It is proposed to provide transitional periods for the different types of feeds: 12 months for existing stocks of the additive eucalyptus tincture from *Eucalyptus globulus* Labill., 15 months for stocks of premixtures produced with the above mentioned additive and 24 months for compound feed and feed materials produced with the feed additive and premixtures mentioned before.

- 7. Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.
- 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
 - [X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): Code of practice on Good Animal Feeding CAC/RCP 54-2004
 - [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):

	 [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): [] None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[X] Yes [] No If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: EFSA opinion on the Safety and efficacy of a feed additive consisting of a tincture derived from the leaves of <i>Eucalyptus globulus</i> Labill. (eucalyptus tincture) for all animal species: https://efsa.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/epdf/10.2903/j.efsa.2024.8801 (available in English)
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): October 2025
	Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): October 2025
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): This Regulation shall enter into force on the twentieth day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.
	[] Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 22 July 2025
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