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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

Notifying Member: EUROPEAN UNION

NOTIFICATION

- 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:
- 5. Title of the notified document: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2025/2186 of 29 October 2025 concerning the renewal of the authorisation of propionic acid, sodium propionate and ammonium propionate as feed additives for all terrestrial animal species and repealing Implementing Regulations (EU) No 1222/2013 and (EU) No 305/2014 (Text with EEA relevance). Language(s): English, French and Spanish. Number of pages: 9

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- 6. **Description of content:** The substances covered by the Act were authorised for a period of 10 years as feed additives for all terrestrial animal species in the additive category 'technological additives' and in the functional group 'silage additives'. Applications were submitted for the renewal of the authorisation of these substances in accordance with article 14 of Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003. Based on the favourable conclusions of scientific assessments of the dossiers submitted by the applicants, conducted by the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), the authorisation of these substances as feed additives for all terrestrial animal species is renewed under certain conditions detailed in the Annex to the Act. A transitional period is included for the interested parties to meet the new authorisation's requirements.
- 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:

Scientific Opinions:

- Assessment of the feed additive consisting of sodium propionate for all terrestrial animal species for the renewal of its authorisation (BASF SE)
 EFSA Journal, 22(8), e8938. https://doi.org/10.2903/j.efsa.2024.8938
- Assessment of the feed additive consisting of ammonium propionate for all terrestrial animal species for the renewal of its authorisation (BASF SE, Taminco Finland Oy) EFSA Journal, 22(10), e9068. https://doi.org/10.2903/j.efsa.2024.9068
- Assessment of the feed additive consisting of propionic acid for all terrestrial animal species for the renewal of its authorisation (Eastman Chemical B.V., Perstorp AB, Dow Europe GmbH, BASF SE)

EFSA Journal, 22(10), e9020. https://doi.org/10.2903/j.efsa.2024.9020 (available in English)

10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 29 October 2025

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 30 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 that of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.
 - [X] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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