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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

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| 1. | <b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u><br><b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>  |
| 2. | <b>Agency responsible:</b> European Commission, Health and Food Safety Directorate-General  |
| 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> Novel food   |
| 4. | <b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners<br><input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:  |
| 5. | <b>Title of the notified document:</b> Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2025/2245 of 7 November 2025 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/2470 as regards the conditions of use of the novel food <i>Schizochytrium</i> sp. (ATCC PTA-9695) oil (Text with EEA relevance). <b>Language(s):</b> English, French and Spanish. <b>Number of pages:</b> 5<br><a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/EEC/25_09119_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/EEC/25_09119_00_e.pdf</a><br><a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/EEC/25_09119_00_f.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/EEC/25_09119_00_f.pdf</a><br><a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/EEC/25_09119_00_s.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/EEC/25_09119_00_s.pdf</a> |
| 6. | <b>Description of content:</b> The measure concerns an amendment of the conditions of use of the novel food <i>Schizochytrium</i> sp. (ATCC PTA-9695) oil. In particular, it concerns an increase of the maximum level of DHA in food supplements as defined in Directive 2002/46/EC from a maximum of 250 mg DHA/day for the general population and 450 mg DHA/day for pregnant and lactating women to a maximum of 1 g DHA/day for the general population above three years of age, including pregnant and lactating women, while maintaining 250 mg DHA/day in food supplements for children below three years of age.   |
| 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><br><input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):<br><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):<br><input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None<br><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No  |

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|            | <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>   |
| <b>10.</b> | <b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> 7 November 2025<br><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> 10 November 2025  |
| <b>11.</b> | <b>Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> This Regulation shall enter into force on the twentieth day following that of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.<br><br><b>[X] 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> Not applicable<br><br><b>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:</b><br><br>European Commission<br>DG Health and Food Safety, Unit A4-Multilateral International Relations<br>Rue Froissart 101<br>B-1049 Brussels<br>Tel: +(32 2) 29 54263<br>E-mail: <a href="mailto:sps@ec.europa.eu">sps@ec.europa.eu</a> |
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