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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

- **Notifying Member: CANADA** If applicable, name of local government involved:
- 2. Agency responsible: Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), Health Canada
- 3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, applicable): Pesticide flonicamid in or on various (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060, 67.100, 67.120, 67.200)
- 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: Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Flonicamid (PMRL2018-36). Language(s): English and French. Number of pages: 7
- 6. Description of content: The objective of the notified document PMRL2018-36 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limits (MRLs) for flonicamid that have been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).

Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity

3.0	Dry field peas, dry lentils, dry pigeon peas
1.5	Flaxseeds
$0.4^{2}$	Meat by-products of cattle, goats, horses and sheep
0.15	Eggs; meat of cattle, goats, horses and sheep <sup>3</sup> ; milk <sup>3</sup>
0.08	Meat and meat by-products of hogs
0.07	Meat and meat by-products of poultry
0.05	Fat of poultry
$0.04^{4}$	Fat of cattle, goats, horses and sheep
0.03	Fat of hogs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ppm = parts per million

7. Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [ ] animal health, [ ] plant protection, [ ] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [ ] protect territory from other damage from pests.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This MRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.08 ppm in/on meat by-products of horses, cattle, sheep and goats.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> This MRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.08 ppm in/on meat of horses, cattle, sheep and goats and of 0.03 ppm in/on milk.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This MRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.03 ppm in/on fat of sheep, goats, cattle and horses.

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): 282 Flonicamid
	[]	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?
	[ ] Ye	s [X] No
	intern the pro	, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the ational standard: Currently, there are no Codex MRLs listed for flonicamid in or on aposed food commodities or any edible livestock commodity according to the Codex starius Pesticide Index webpage.
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Health Canada website: <a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html">https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html</a> , PMRL2018-36, posted: 28 August 2018 (available in English and French)	
10.	<b>Proposed date of adoption (</b> <i>dd/mm/yy</i> <b>):</b> Normally within four to five months from the posting of the Proposed MRL document on the Health Canada website.	
	Propo	sed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):
11.	Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): On the date the measure is adopted.	
	[]	Trade facilitating measure
12.	Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 11 November 2018	
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	https://pest-m various https://consor	ectronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:  //www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides- nanagement/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2018/flonicamid- s-commodities/document.html (English)  //www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits- nmation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales- s-proposees/2018/flonicamide-diverses-denrees/document.html (French)
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