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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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## 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): Novel food Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: 4. All trading partners [X] [] Specific regions or countries: 5. Title of the notified document: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/760 of 13 May 2019 authorising the placing on the market of Yarrowia lipolytica yeast biomass as a novel food under Regulation (EU) 2015/2283 of the European Parliament and of the Council and amending Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/2470 (Text with EEA relevance.). Language(s): English, French and Spanish. Number of pages: 3 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/EEC/19 3291 00 e.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/EEC/19 3291 00 f.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/EEC/19 3291 00 s.pdf 6. Description of content: The measure concerns authorizing the placing on the market of Yarrowia lipolytica yeast biomass as a novel food for use in food supplements. 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. 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: [] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic [] Animal Health Code, chapter number): [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): [X] None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? []Yes []No If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

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9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 13 May 2019 10. Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 14 May 2019 Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, 11. and/or (dd/mm/yy): 20 days after 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: **European Commission** DG Health and Food Safety, Unit D2-Multilateral International Relations Rue Froissart 101 B-1049 Brussels Tel: +(32 2) 29 54263 Fax: +(32 2) 29 98090 E-mail: sps@ec.europa.eu 13. Text(s) available from: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: European Commission DG Health and Food Safety, Unit D2-Multilateral International Relations Rue Froissart 101 B-1049 Brussels Tel: +(32 2) 29 54263

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