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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

Notifying Member: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 1. If applicable, name of local government involved: 2. Agency responsible: Environmental Protection Agency 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): Dill, seed; Dillweed; Dillweed, dried leaves; Grain, aspirated fractions; Rosemary, dried leaves; Rosemary, fresh leaves; Soybean, meal; Soybean, seed 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: S-metolachlor; Pesticide Tolerances. Final Rule.. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 4 https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2020-07-06/html/2020-14393.htm 6. Description of content: This regulation establishes tolerances for residues of Smetolachlor in or on multiple commodities. 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: 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2020-05-08/html/2020-09165.htm (available

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