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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> European Commission, Health and Food Safety Directorate-General
<b>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):</b> Fenpyrazamine (pesticide active substance)
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>All trading partners</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Specific regions or countries:</b>
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> Draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 as regards the conditions of approval of the active substance fenpyrazamine. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 6 <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_5498_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_5498_00_e.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_5498_01_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_5498_01_e.pdf</a>
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This draft Commission Implementing Regulation provides that the approval of the active substance fenpyrazamine is amended in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009. EU Member States shall review authorisations for plant protection products containing fenpyrazamine as an active substance, where relevant. The amendment of the conditions of approval is based on the evaluation to clarify the technical specification proposed in the approval of fenpyrazamine for use as a pesticide active substance in the EU under Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009.  This decision only concerns the placing on the market of this substance and plant protection products containing it and does not affect the Maximum Residue Levels (MRLs) for residues of the concerned pesticide; the impurity was considered not to be new in the commercial produced batches.  This draft Commission Implementing Regulation was also notified under the TBT Agreement in notice G/TBT/N/EU/TBT/735.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>food safety, [X] animal health, [X] plant protection, [X] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [X] protect territory from other damage from pests.</b>

<p><b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>None</b></p> <p><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b></p>
<p><b>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 October 2009 concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market and repealing Council Directives 79/117/EEC and 91/414/EEC: <a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/AUTO/?uri=CELEX:32009R1107&amp;qid=1590756186915&amp;rid=1">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/AUTO/?uri=CELEX:32009R1107&amp;qid=1590756186915&amp;rid=1</a></li> <li>- Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 of 25 May 2011 implementing Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of approved active substances (OJ L 153, 11.6.2011, p. 1-186) <a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/AUTO/?uri=CELEX:32011R0540&amp;qid=1590756246146&amp;rid=1">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/AUTO/?uri=CELEX:32011R0540&amp;qid=1590756246146&amp;rid=1</a></li> <li>- Outcome of the consultation on the pesticide risk assessment of confirmatory data for the active substance fenpyrazamine. EFSA Journal (2012) 10(1):2496. doi:10.2903/j.efsa.2012.2496. <a href="http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/supporting/pub/en-630">http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/supporting/pub/en-630</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> Fourth quarter 2020.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> Fourth quarter 2020.</p>
<p><b>11. Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 20 days following publication in the Official Journal of the EU</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Trade facilitating measure</b></p>
<p><b>12. Final date for comments: <input type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> Not applicable. Comments are only to be addressed to the TBT Enquiry Point on notice G/TBT/N/EU/735.</p> <p><b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b></p> <p>European Commission EU-TBT Enquiry Point Fax: +(322) 299 8043 E-mail: <a href="mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu">grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu</a></p>

**13. Text(s) available from:  National Notification Authority,  National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:**

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