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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 19 October 2020, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of <u>Canada</u>.

Established Maximum Residue Limit: Glufosinate-Ammonium

The proposed maximum residue limit (PMRL) document for glufosinate-ammonium notified in G/SPS/N/CAN/1316 (dated 20 July 2020) was adopted 13 October 2020. The proposed MRLs were established via entry into the Maximum Residue Limits Database and are provided directly below:

MRL (ppm)1Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity0.5Tree nuts (crop group 14-11)2; olives30.3Stone fruits (crop group 12-09)40.05Carrot roots

¹ppm = parts per million

² Replaces the currently established MRL of 0.1 ppm for tree nuts (crop group 14-11).

³ Replaces the currently established MRL of 0.1 ppm for olives.

⁴ Replaces the currently established MRL of 0.2 ppm for stone fruits (crop group 12-09). The MRL of 0.25 ppm for dried prune plums has been removed as residues are covered under the 0.3 ppm MRL for stone fruits (crop group 12-09).

An MRL is established for each commodity included in the listed crop groupings in accordance with the *Residue Chemistry Crop Groups* webpage (<u>https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/residue-chemistry-crop-groups.html</u>) in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of the Canada.ca website.

MRLs established in Canada may be found using Health Canada's *Maximum Residue Limit Database* (<u>http://pr-rp.hc-sc.gc.ca/mrl-Irm/index-eng.php</u>) on the *Maximum Residue Limits for Pesticides* webpage (<u>https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/maximum-residue-limits-pesticides.html</u>). The database allows users to search for pesticides or for food commodities.

This addendum concerns a:

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The specified MRLs have been provided above and are also accessible from the MRL webpage as indicated below:

<u>https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-</u> <u>management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/maximum-residue-limits-</u> <u>pesticides.html</u> (English)

<u>https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/proteger-votre-sante-environnement/pesticides-aliments/limites-maximales-residus-pesticides.html</u> (French)

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