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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 6 July 2021, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Switzerland.

Ordinance on Genetically Modified Foodstuffs (GMFO)

The modification concerns annex 3 of the GMFO. This annex contains a list of GMO products that may be put on the Swiss market without a specific authorisation by the Federal Food Safety and Veterinary Office. There will be two new entries into that list: Endo-1,4- β -xylanase (EC3.2.1.8) and Phospholipase A2 (EC3.1.1.41).

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/CHE/21_4508_00_f.pdf

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