



**NOTIFICATION**

1.	<p><b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>CANADA</u></p> <p><b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b></p>
2.	<p><b>Agency responsible:</b> Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), Health Canada</p>
3.	<p><b>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> Pesticide tebuconazole in or on asparagus (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.080)</p>
4.	<p><b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:</p>
5.	<p><b>Title of the notified document:</b> Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Tebuconazole (PMRL2016-34) <b>Language(s):</b> English and French <b>Number of pages:</b> 5</p>
6.	<p><b>Description of content:</b> The objective of the notified document PMRL2016-34 is to consult on the listed domestic maximum residue limit (MRL) for tebuconazole that has been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).</p> <p><u>MRL (ppm) Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity</u></p> <p>0.05 Asparagus</p> <p>ppm = parts per million</p>
7.	<p><b>Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.</p>
8.	<p><b>Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (<i>e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text</i>) Tebuconazole, 189</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (<i>e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number</i>)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (<i>e.g. ISPM number</i>)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b> Currently, there are no Codex MRLs listed for tebuconazole in or on asparagus according to the Codex Alimentarius Pesticide Residue in Food website.</p>

9.	<b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b> Health Canada website: <a href="http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/consultations/index-eng.php">http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/consultations/index-eng.php</a> , PMRL2016-34, posted: 13 July 2016 (available in English and French)
10.	<b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> Normally within four to five months from the posting of the Proposed MRL document on the Health Canada website.  <b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b>
11.	<b>Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> On the date the measure is adopted.  <input type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure
12.	<b>Final date for comments: [ ] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 26 September 2016  <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b>
13.	<b>Text(s) available from: [ ] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b>  The electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at: <a href="http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/consultations/_pmrl2016-34/index-eng.php">http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/consultations/_pmrl2016-34/index-eng.php</a> (English) <a href="http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/consultations/_pmrl2016-34/index-fra.php">http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/consultations/_pmrl2016-34/index-fra.php</a> (French)