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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

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| 1. | <b>Notifying Member:</b> CANADA<br><b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>   |
| 2. | <b>Agency responsible:</b> Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), Health Canada  |
| 3. | <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 spiromesifen in or on oranges and citrus oil (ICS codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.080, 67.200)   |
| 4. | <b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners<br><input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:  |
| 5. | <b>Title of the notified document:</b> Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Spiromesifen (PMRL2024-20). <b>Language(s):</b> English and French. <b>Number of pages:</b> 7 and 8  |
| 6. | <b>Description of content:</b> The objective of the notified document PMRL2024-20 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limits (MRLs) for spiromesifen that have been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).<br><u>MRL (ppm)<sup>1</sup> Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity</u><br>30 Citrus oil<br>0.15 Oranges<br>1 ppm = parts per million   |
| 7. | <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.   |
| 8. | <b>Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): (294 Spiromesifen)<br><input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):<br><input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):<br><input type="checkbox"/> None<br><b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No<br><b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b> Table 2 of the PMRL document compares the MRLs proposed for spiromesifen in Canada with corresponding Codex MRLs. |

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| 9.  | <b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b><br>Health Canada website:<br><a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html">https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html</a> (English)<br><a href="https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations.html">https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations.html</a> (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.<br><br><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.<br><br><b>[ ] Trade facilitating measure</b>  |
| 12. | <b>Final date for comments: [ ] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 10 December 2024<br><br><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><br><br>The electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:<br><a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2024/spiromesifen/document.html">https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2024/spiromesifen/document.html</a> (English)<br><a href="https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales-residus-proposees/2024/spiromesifene/document.html">https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales-residus-proposees/2024/spiromesifene/document.html</a> (French)<br><br>Or requested at:<br>Canada's Notification Authority and Enquiry Point<br>Technical Barriers and Regulations Division<br>Global Affairs Canada<br>111 Sussex Drive<br>Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0G2<br>Canada<br>Tel: +(343) 203 4273<br>Fax: +(613) 943 0346<br>E-mail: <a href="mailto:enquiry@international.gc.ca">enquiry@international.gc.ca</a> |