



**NOTIFICATION**

<p><b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>CANADA</u>  <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b></p>																				
<p><b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), Health Canada</p>																				
<p><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> Pesticide flonicamid in or on various commodities (ICS Codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.060, 67.100, 67.120, 67.200)</p>																				
<p><b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners  <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:</p>																				
<p><b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Flonicamid (PMRL2018-36). <b>Language(s):</b> English and French. <b>Number of pages:</b> 7</p>																				
<p><b>6. Description of content:</b> The objective of the notified document PMRL2018-36 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limits (MRLs) for flonicamid that have been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).</p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;"><u>MRL (ppm)<sup>1</sup></u></th> <th style="text-align: left;"><u>Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>3.0</td> <td>Dry field peas, dry lentils, dry pigeon peas</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1.5</td> <td>Flaxseeds</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.4<sup>2</sup></td> <td>Meat by-products of cattle, goats, horses and sheep</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.15</td> <td>Eggs; meat of cattle, goats, horses and sheep<sup>3</sup>; milk<sup>3</sup></td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.08</td> <td>Meat and meat by-products of hogs</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.07</td> <td>Meat and meat by-products of poultry</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.05</td> <td>Fat of poultry</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.04<sup>4</sup></td> <td>Fat of cattle, goats, horses and sheep</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.03</td> <td>Fat of hogs</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><sup>1</sup> ppm = parts per million  <sup>2</sup> This MRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.08 ppm in/on meat by-products of horses, cattle, sheep and goats.  <sup>3</sup> This MRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.08 ppm in/on meat of horses, cattle, sheep and goats and of 0.03 ppm in/on milk.  <sup>4</sup> This MRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.03 ppm in/on fat of sheep, goats, cattle and horses.</p>	<u>MRL (ppm)<sup>1</sup></u>	<u>Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity</u>	3.0	Dry field peas, dry lentils, dry pigeon peas	1.5	Flaxseeds	0.4 <sup>2</sup>	Meat by-products of cattle, goats, horses and sheep	0.15	Eggs; meat of cattle, goats, horses and sheep <sup>3</sup> ; milk <sup>3</sup>	0.08	Meat and meat by-products of hogs	0.07	Meat and meat by-products of poultry	0.05	Fat of poultry	0.04 <sup>4</sup>	Fat of cattle, goats, horses and sheep	0.03	Fat of hogs
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<p><b>7. 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>																				

<p><b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</b> 282 Flonicamid</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 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 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 flonicamid in or on the proposed food commodities or any edible livestock commodity according to the Codex Alimentarius Pesticide Index webpage.</p>
<p><b>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b> Health Canada website: <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>, PMRL2018-36, posted: 28 August 2018 (available in English and French)</p>
<p><b>10. 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.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b></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> On the date the measure is adopted.</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> 11 November 2018</p> <p><b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input 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><b>13. Text(s) available from: <input 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>The electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:  <a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2018/flonicamid-various-commodities/document.html">https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2018/flonicamid-various-commodities/document.html</a> (English)  <a href="https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/secure-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales-residus-proposees/2018/flonicamide-diverses-denrees/document.html">https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/secure-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales-residus-proposees/2018/flonicamide-diverses-denrees/document.html</a> (French)</p> <p>Canada's SPS and TBT Notification Authority and Enquiry Point          Technical Barriers and Regulations Division          Global Affairs Canada          111 Sussex Drive          Ottawa, Ontario          K1A 0G2          Tel: +(343) 203 4273          Fax: +(613) 943 0346          E-mail: <a href="mailto:enquiry@international.gc.ca">enquiry@international.gc.ca</a></p>