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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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# NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

# If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: Environmental Protection Agency
- 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): Asparagus bean, edible podded; Bean (Phaseolus spp.), edible podded; Bean (Vigna spp.), edible podded; Catjang bean, edible podded; Celtuce; Chinese longbean, edible podded; Citrus, dried pulp; Citrus, oil; Cowpea, edible podded; Fennel, Florence, fresh leaves and stalk; French bean, edible podded; Fruit, citrus, group 10-10; Garden bean, edible podded; Goa bean, edible podded; Green bean, edible podded; Guar bean, edible podded; Jackbean, edible podded; Kidney bean, edible podded; Kohlrabi; Lablab bean, edible podded; Leaf petiole vegetable subgroup 22B; Moth bean, edible podded; Mung bean, edible podded; Navy bean, edible podded; Rice bean, edible podded; Scarlet runner bean, edible podded; Snap bean, edible podded; Sword bean, edible podded; Urd bean, edible podded; Vegetable, Brassica, head and stem, group 5-16; Vegetable, leafy, group 4-16; Vegetable soybean, edible podded; Velvet bean, edible podded; Wax bean, edible podded; Winged pea, edible podded; Yardlong bean, edible podded
- 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
  - [X] All trading partners
  - [] Specific regions or countries:
- 5. Title of the notified document: Mandipropamid; Pesticide Tolerances. Final Rule.
  Language(s): English. Number of pages: 5

https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-03-22/html/2019-05406.htm

- **6. Description of content:** This regulation establishes tolerances for residues of mandipropamid in or on multiple commodities which are identified and discussed later in this document.
- Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection,
  [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.
- 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
  - [X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): Codex pesticide number 210: http://www.fao.org/fao-who-codexalimentarius/codextexts/dbs/pestres/pesticide-detail/en/?p\_id=231
  - [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):

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## [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):

### [] None

Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

### []Yes [X]No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard: EPA harmonizes with Codex where possible, but for some of the MRLs (tolerance) in question, the data provided to EPA support a different MRL than Codex. Please refer to the Federal Register Notice for full information regarding which MRLs are harmonized and which are not.

- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: <u>https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2018-07-24/html/2018-15722.htm</u> (available in English)
- 10. Proposed date of adoption (*dd/mm/yy*): 22 March 2019

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 22 March 2019

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): 22 March 2019
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): Not applicable

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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