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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

| _  | N. M. I. A.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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| 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): Multiple commodities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 4. | Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|    | [X] All trading partners                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|    | [ ] Specific regions or countries:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 5. | <b>Title of the notified document:</b> Receipt of Several Pesticide Petitions Filed for Residues of Pesticide Chemicals in or on Various Commodities. Notice of filing of petitions and request for comment. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 2 <a href="https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-05-09/html/2019-09491.htm">https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-05-09/html/2019-09491.htm</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| 6. | <b>Description of content:</b> This document announces the Agency's receipt of several initial filings of pesticide petitions requesting the establishment or modification of regulations for residues of pesticide chemicals in or on various commodities.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 7. | 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:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|    | [ ] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|    | [ ] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|    | [ ] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|    | [X] None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|    | Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|    | [] Yes [] No                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|    | If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 9. | Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

- 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 10 June 2019

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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