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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): Spice group 26, and Stalk and stem vegetable subgroup 22A 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: "Spinetoram;" Pesticide Tolerances. Final Rule. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 4 https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2023-09-05/html/2023-19012.htm 6. Description of content: This regulation establishes tolerances for residues of spinetoram in or on Spice group 26, and Stalk and stem vegetable subgroup 22A. 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): None [X] 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: There are currently no established Codex MRLs for residues of spinetoram in or on Stalk and stem vegetable subgroup 22A or Spice Group 26. 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2023-01-03/html/2022-28524.htm (available in English)

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  - [] 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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