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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> European Commission <b>Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</b> European Commission, EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: <a href="mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu">grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu</a> Website: Preventing International Trade Barriers   TBT - European Commission
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], 3.2 [ ], 7.2 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> organic products
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Draft Commission implementing Regulation amending and correcting Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/1165 authorising certain products and substances for use in organic production and establishing their lists; (10 page(s), in English), (20 page(s), in English)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This draft Commission implementing Regulation amends in its annexes the lists of products and substances authorised to be used in organic production, in particular: plant protection products, fertilisers, feed material, feed additives and food additives and processing aids. It also includes new specific lists for substances and products authorised for use in organic production in third countries and in the outermost regions of the Union pursuant to Article 45(2) of Regulation (EU) 2018/848.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> The corrections and amendment of the lists of products and substances are based on requests for new uses and correction of specifications and listing in line with horizontal rules. By amending its annexes, this draft Commission implementing Regulation aims to contribute to consumer confidence and protection, as well as to ensure that production processes do not harm the environment, human health, plant health or animal health and welfare; Quality requirements

<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> Commission Implementing Regulation 2021/1165 (OJ 253 16.07.2021 p.13) ELI: <a href="http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/1165/oj">http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/1165/oj</a> Regulation (EU) 2018/848 of the European Parliament and of the Council on organic production and labelling of organic products and repealing Council Regulation (EC) 834/2007: ELI: <a href="http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2018/848/oj">http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2018/848/oj</a> .
<b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> Second trimester of 2025 <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Second trimester of 2025
<b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification
<b>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b> European Commission, EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: <a href="mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu">grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu</a> The text is available on the EU-TBT Website : <a href="https://technical-barriers-trade.ec.europa.eu/en/home">https://technical-barriers-trade.ec.europa.eu/en/home</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/EEC/25_01275_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/EEC/25_01275_00_e.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/EEC/25_01275_01_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/EEC/25_01275_01_e.pdf</a>