NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** CANADA**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), Health Canada |
| **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):** Pesticide tolfenpyrad in or on various commodities (ICS codes: 65.020, 65.100, 67.040, 67.080, 67.200) |
| **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:** Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Tolfenpyrad (PMRL2023-40).**Language(s):** English and French. **Number of pages:** 19 and 20 |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The objective of the notified document PMRL2023-40 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limits (MRLs) for tolfenpyrad that have been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).MRL (ppm)1 Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity40 *Brassica* leafy greens (crop subgroup 4-13B)230 Citrus oil3;bitter lettuce, blackjack, cat's whiskers, cham-chwi, cham-na-mul, Chinese amaranth, Chinese violets, chipilin, buckhorn plantain leaves, cosmos, dang-gwi, dol-nam-mul, ebolo, English primrose, escaroles, fameflowers, feather cockscombs, fresh cilantro leaves, fresh dillweed leaves, good King Henry, huauzontles, Indian asters, jute leave10 Green onions (crop subgroup 3-07B)1.5 Fruiting vegetables (crop group 8-09)1.0 Pome fruits (crop group 11-09, except apples)0.8 Citrus fruits (crop group 10) (revised)40.7 Cottonseeds (crop subgroup 20C) (revised)50.09 Bulb onions (crop subgroup 3-07A)0.01 Tuberous and corm vegetables (crop subgroup 1C)61 ppm = parts per million2 This PMRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 30 ppm for arugula, garland cress and upland cress.3 This PMRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 70 ppm for citrus oil.4 This PMRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 1.5 ppm for citrus fruits.5 This PMRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.7 ppm for undelinted cotton seeds with a single MRL on crop subgroup 20C (revised). This MRL will be applicable to all commodities within crop subgroup 20C (revised).6 This PMRL is proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.01 ppm for potatoes with a single MRL on crop subgroup 1C. This MRL will be applicable to all commodities within crop subgroup 1C.The commodities included in the listed crop groups/subgroups can be found on the *Residue Chemistry Crop Groups* webpage (<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/residue-chemistry-crop-groups.html>) in the Pesticides section of the Canada.ca website. |
| **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:****[****X]** **Codex Alimentarius Commission *(e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)*:** 269 Tolfenpyrad**[****]** **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****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:** Table 3 of the PMRL document compares the MRLs proposed for tolfenpyrad in Canada with corresponding Codex MRLs. |
| **9.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:** Health Canada website: <https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html>, PMRL2023-40, posted: 15 August 2023 (available in English and French) |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Normally within four to five months from the posting of the Proposed MRL document on the Health Canada website.**Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:**  |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [****]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** On the date the measure is adopted.**[****]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [****]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 29 October 2023**Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:**  |
| **13.** | **Text(s) available from: [****]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:** The electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2023/tolfenpyrad/document.html> (English)<https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales-residus-proposees/2023/tolfenpyrade/document.html> (French)Canada's Notification Authority and Enquiry PointTechnical Barriers and Regulations DivisionGlobal Affairs Canada111 Sussex DriveOttawa, Ontario K1A 0G2CanadaTel: +(343) 203 4273Fax: +(613) 943 0346E-mail: enquirypoint@international.gc.ca |