NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** European Union  **If applicable, name of local government involved:** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** European Commission, Health and Food Safety Directorate-General |
| **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):** HS Code 2309 preparation of a kind use in animal nutrition. |
| **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:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/229 of 19 February 2020 concerning the authorisation of L-tryptophan as a feed additive for all animal species (Text with EEA relevance).**Language(s):** English, French, Spanish. **Number of pages:** 4  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_6086_00_e.pdf>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_6086_00_f.pdf>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/EEC/20_6086_00_s.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003 provides for the authorisation of additives for use in animal nutrition and for the grounds and procedures for granting such authorisation.  (2) In accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003 applications were submitted for the authorisation of L-tryptophan produced by Escherichia coli KCCM 80135, Escherichia coli KCCM 80152, Escherichia coli CGMCC 7.248 or Corynebacterium glutamicum KCCM 80176. These applications were accompanied by the particulars and documents required under Article 7(3) of that Regulation (EC).  (3) The applications concern the authorisation of L-tryptophan produced by Escherichia coli KCCM 80135, Escherichia coli KCCM 80152, Escherichia coli CGMCC 7.248 or Corynebacterium glutamicum KCCM 80176 as a feed additive for all animal species, to be classified in the additive category 'nutritional additives'. |
| **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)*:** Code of practice on Good Animal Feeding CAC/RCP 54-2004  **[ ]****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?**  **[****X]** **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)*:** 19 February 2020  **Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 20 February 2020 |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [ ]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** 16 March 2020  **[****X]** **Trade facilitating measure** |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [ ]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:**  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****X]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:**  European Commission  DG Health and Food Safety, Unit D2-Multilateral International Relations  Rue Froissart 101  B-1049 Brussels  Tel: +(322) 295 4263  Fax: +(322) 299 8090  E-mail: [sps@ec.europa.eu](mailto:sps@ec.europa.eu) |
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