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):** Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309) |
| **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) 2024/777 of 5 March 2024 concerning the authorisation of L-lysine base, liquid, L-lysine monohydrochloride, liquid, and L-lysine monohydrochloride produced by *Escherichia coli* NITE BP-02917 as feed additives for all animal species (Text with EEA relevance).**Language(s):** English, French and Spanish. **Number of pages:** 14[https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/EEC/24\_02233\_00\_e.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/EEC/24_02233_00_e.pdf%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/EEC/24_02233_00_f.pdf><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/EEC/24_02233_00_s.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/777 authorizes L-lysine base, liquid, L-lysine monohydrochloride, liquid, and L-lysine monohydrochloride produced by *Escherichia coli* NITE BP-02917 as feed additives in the additive category 'nutritional additives', functional group 'amino acids, their salts and analogues' and in the category 'sensory additives', functional group 'flavouring compounds', subject to certain conditions. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X]****food safety, [****X]****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)*:** 5 March 2024**Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 6 March 2024 |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [****]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** This Regulation entered into force on the twentieth day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.**[****X]** **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: [****X]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:** European CommissionDG Health and Food Safety, Unit A4-Multilateral International RelationsRue Froissart 101B-1049 BrusselsTel: +(32 2) 29 54263E-mail: sps@ec.europa.eu |
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