NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** EUROPEAN UNION  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  European Commission  **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:**  European Commission,  EU-TBT Enquiry Point,  Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43,  E-mail: [grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu](mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu)  Website: <http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/tbt/en/> |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****], 3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Biocidal products |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Commission Implementing Decision not approving cyanamide as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-types 3 and 18 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council; (5 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This draft Commission Implementing Decision does not approve cyanamide as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-types 3 and 18.  Due to uncertainties associated with the endocrine disrupting properties of cyanamide, it is not possible to conclude whether risks for both human health and the environment for the representative product used for product-type 3 (for the disinfection by professional users against *Brachyspira hyodysenteriae* of the liquid manure stored underneath the slatted floor in pig stables in order to protect fattening pigs against the pig disease dysenteria) and product-type 18 (for the control by professional users of *Musca domestica* in liquid manure in pig stables) are acceptable or not. Therefore it has ultimately not been demonstrated based on the data available in the application submitted for the approval that the representative biocidal product containing cyanamide for product-types 3 and 18 may be expected to not have unacceptable effects itself, or as a result of its residues, on human and animal health, and on the environment.  It is therefore appropriate not to approve cyanamide for use in biocidal products of product-types 3 and 18.  The opinions of the European Chemicals Agency can be found on its website (<http://echa.europa.eu/regulations/biocidal-products-regulation/approval-of-active-substances/bpc-opinions-on-active-substance-approval>). |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Harmonisation of the EU market on biocidal products; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of the environment |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2012 concerning the making available on the market and use of biocidal products (OJ L 167, 27.6.2012, p. 1.). Available in all EU languages  [EUR-Lex - 32012R0528 - EN - EUR-Lex (europa.eu)](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A32012R0528&qid=1653319893936) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** November 2022  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 20 days from publication in the Official Journal of the EU (Application 12 months after adoption) |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  European Commission,  EU-TBT Enquiry Point,  Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43,  E-mail: [grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu](mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu)  The text is available on the EU-TBT Website : <http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/tbt/en/>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/EEC/22_6425_00_e.pdf> |