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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

- Notifying Member: <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u>
 If applicable, name of local government involved:

 Agency responsible: European Commission, Health and Food Safety Directorate-General

 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): 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

(HS Code: 2309)

- [] Specific regions or countries:
- **5. Title of the notified document:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/58 of 14 December 2016 concerning the authorisation of alpha-terpineol, nerolidol, 2-(4-methylphenyl) propan-2-ol, terpineol and linally acetate as feed additives for all animal species (Text with EEA relevance). **Language(s):** English, French and Spanish. **Number of pages:** 8

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- **Description of content:** This regulatory measure authorises the commercialisation of three substances as feed additives in the category of "sensory additives" subsequent to the re-evaluation by the European Food Safety Agency (EFSA) ex Article 10(2) of Regulation (EC)1831/2003. Transitional measures for exhaustion of stocks are established, no Maximum Residues Level recommended.
- 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): 14 December 2016Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 17 January 2017
- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 6 February 2017
 - [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

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