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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 27 June 2019, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Morocco.

List of pesticide MRLs applicable to tea imported into Morocco

In accordance with Joint Order No. 156-14 establishing maximum limits for pesticide residues on foodstuffs, and in light of the amount of tea consumed in Morocco and in order to protect consumer health, it was deemed necessary to establish MRLs for active substances approved for use on imported tea. For active substances not authorized for use on tea plants, the limit of 0.01 mg/kg or the limit of quantification (LOQ) is applicable.

The expected date of entry into force is 1 October 2019.

The modification of content relates to the Members affected and to the list of MRLs for tea: The measure now affects all trading partners and the list of MRLs has been modified, as indicated at:

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/MAR/19_3647_00_f.pdf

This addendum concerns a:

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