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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1.	Notifying Member: <u>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) 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: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) P.O. Box 2166 Abu Dhabi United Arab Emirates Tel.: (+971) 2 403 2613 Fax: (+971) 2 671 0999 Email: esma@esma.ae Website: http://www.esma.ae
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Foodstuffs: Maximum limits of pesticides residues and contaminants in organic food. Pesticides and other agrochemicals (ICS: 65.100), Food products in general (ICS: 67.040)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Technical Regulation for "Maximum Limits of Pesticides Residues and Contaminants in Organic Food" (4 pages, in English; 6 pages, in Arabic)
6.	Description of content: This draft technical regulation is provides maximum residue limits of pesticides and contaminants are allowed in organic food.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements.
8.	Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• CAC Standard 193-1995, General Standard for Contaminates and Toxins• Egyptian Standard No (7333/2011), Organic Products Maximum Limits of Pesticides Residues and Heavy Metals
9.	Proposed date of adoption: - Proposed date of entry into force: -
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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