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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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## NOTIFICATION

### *Addendum*

The following communication, dated 23 February 2017, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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TITLE: National Organic Program (NOP); Sunset 2017 Amendments to the National List

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA

ACTION: Extension of comment period

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the comment period for the proposed rule published in the Federal Register on 18 January 2017, is extended until 19 April 2017. The rule invited comments on recommendations submitted to the Secretary of Agriculture (Secretary) by the National Organic Standards Board (NOSB) following their October 2015 meeting. The proposed rule would remove eleven substances from the National List of Allowed and Prohibited Substances (National List) for use in organic production and handling.

DATES: Comments must be received by 19 April 2017.

[https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/TBT/USA/17\\_1052\\_00\\_e.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/TBT/USA/17_1052_00_e.pdf)

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