The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party and Agency: United States: Environmental Protection Agency (80)

2. Provision of the Agreement: Proposed technical regulation (Article 2.5.2)

3. Product(s) covered, CCCN Heading (National Tariff Heading where applicable): Apricots, cantaloupes, cherries, cucumbers, eggplant, nectarines, bell peppers, plums, fresh prunes, strawberries and watermelon.

4. Title of project: Proposed exemption from the requirement of a tolerance.

5. Description: Proposes amending Section 180.1047 by establishing exemption from the requirement to tolerances for residues of the pesticide chemical n-methylpyrrolidone in or on raw agricultural commodities listed above.

6. Objective and rationale: Human health

7. Relevant document(s): 46 fr 12763, 18 February 1981, 40 cfr part 180

8. Where published, when adopted: Federal Register

9. Final date for submission of comments: 2 March 1981

10. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: To be determined.