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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>EUROPEAN UNION</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: European Commission 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: European Commission, EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu Website: http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/tbt/en/
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Biocidal products and treated articles treated with or incorporating biocidal products
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Commission Implementing Decision on the non-approval of certain active substances for use in biocidal products in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council; (3 page(s), in English), (2 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: This draft Commission Implementing Decision does not approve certain active substances in biocidal products pursuant to Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council. For these active substance/product-type combinations included in the review programme of existing active substances listed in Annex II to Regulation (EU) No 1062/2014, all the participants have withdrawn or are considered to have withdrawn their support. For these active substances either the role of participant had previously been taken over or not. For those that the role of participant had not previously been taken over, no notification has been submitted to the European Chemicals Agency. Therefore, all these active substance/product-type combinations should not be approved for use in biocidal products.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Harmonisation of the EU market on biocidal products; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of the environment

8. Relevant documents:

Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2012 concerning the making available on the market and use of biocidal products (OJ L 167, 27.6.2012, p. 1.). Available in all EU languages.

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9. Proposed date of adoption: March 2024

Proposed date of entry into force: 20 days from publication in the Official Journal of the EU (Application 12 months after adoption)

10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification**11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**

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EU-TBT Enquiry Point,
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The text is available on the EU-TBT Website : <http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/tbt/en/>

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/EEC/23_13908_00_e.pdf

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