NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** EUROPEAN UNION**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** European Commission, Health and Food Safety Directorate-General |
| **3.** | **Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable):** Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (HS code(s): 2309) |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:****[****X]** **All trading partners** **[****]** **Specific regions or countries:**  |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/8 of 3 January 2023 concerning the renewal of the authorisation of preparations of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* DSM 21762, of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* NCIMB 30236 and of *Lactococcus lactis* NCIMB 30117 as feed additives for all animal species and repealing Implementing Regulations (EU) No 868/2011, (EU) No 1111/2011 and (EU) No 227/2012 of (Text with EEA relevance).**Language(s):** English, French and Spanish. **Number of pages:** 6[https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/EEC/23\_1741\_00\_e.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/EEC/23_1741_00_e.pdf%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/EEC/23_1741_00_f.pdf><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/SPS/EEC/23_1741_00_s.pdf> |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The preparations of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* DSM 21762, previously taxonomically identified as *Lactobacillus plantarum* (DSM 21762), of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* NCIMB 30236, previously taxonomically identified as *Lactobacillus plantarum* (NCIMB 30236) and of *Lactococcus lactis* NCIMB 30117 were authorised for a period of 10 years as feed additives for all animal species by Commission Implementing Regulations (EU) No 868/2011, (EU) No 1111/2011 and (EU) No 227/2012, respectively. In accordance with Article 14 of Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003, applications were submitted for the renewal of the authorisation of the preparations of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* DSM 21762, of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* NCIMB 30236 and of *Lactococcus lactis* NCIMB 30117 as feed additives for all animal species, requesting the additives to be classified in the additive category 'technological additives'. Those applications were accompanied by the particulars and documents required under that Article. The assessment of the preparations of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* DSM 21762, of *Lactiplantibacillus plantarum* NCIMB 30236 and of *Lactococcus lactis* NCIMB 30117 shows that the conditions for authorisation, as provided for in Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003, are satisfied. Accordingly, the authorisation of those additives should be renewed. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X]****food safety, [****]****animal health, [****]****plant protection, [****]****protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [****]****protect territory from other damage from pests.**  |
| **8.** | **Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:****[****X]** **Codex Alimentarius Commission *(e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)*:** Code of practice on Good Animal Feeding CAC/RCP 54-2004**[****]** **World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:** **[****]** **International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM number)*:** **[****]** **None****Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?** **[****X]** **Yes [****]** **No****If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:**  |
| **9.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:**   |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 3 January 2023**Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 4 January 2023 |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [****]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** This Regulation entered into force on the twentieth day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.**[****X]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [****]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** Not applicable**Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****X]****National Notification Authority, [****X]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:** European CommissionDG Health and Food Safety, Unit A4-Multilateral International RelationsRue Froissart 101B-1049 BrusselsTel: +(32 2) 29 54263Fax: +(32 2) 29 98090E-mail: sps@ec.europa.eu |
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