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**Agenda Item: 6.1**

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**JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME**  
**CODEX COMMITTEE ON RESIDUES OF VETERINARY DRUGS IN FOODS**  
**Twenty-fourth Session**  
**Comments Submitted by: Egypt**

Agenda Item 6.1: Proposed draft MRLs for zilpaterol hydrochloride (cattle fat, kidney, liver, muscle) (81st JECFA) at Step 4

Egypt would like to raise a concern about the recorded Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) and Risk Management Recommendations (RMRs) for zilpaterol and recommends that zilpaterol should not be used for any food producing animals in order to protect consumer's health in application of these veterinary drugs .

Egypt has reservation on establishing MRLs for zilpaterol hydrochloride in (cattle fat, kidney, liver, muscle