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Agenda Item: 6.2 CRD 19

JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME CODEX COMMITTEE ON RESIDUES OF VETERINARY DRUGS IN FOODS

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Comments Submitted by: HealthforAnimals

Agenda Item 6.2: PROPOSED DRAFT MRLS FOR LUFENURON (SALMON AND TROUT FILLET) AND MONEPANTEL (CATTLE FAT, KIDNEY, LIVER, MUSCLE) AT STEP 3

Summary:

The proposed draft MRLs at Step 3 were recommended by the 85th JECFA (2017) following evaluation. The 85th JECFA full report is available via the WHO website (WHO Technical Report Series No. 1008).

The proposed draft MRLs are for:

- Lufenuron in salmon and trout fillet; and
- Monepantel in cattle far, kidney, liver, and muscle.

HealthforAnimals Position:

HealthforAnimals supports advancing the proposed draft MRLs for lufenuron and monepantel to Step 5/8. These are important medicines for aquaculture and cattle and meet all of the Codex requirements for advancing to Step 5/8. HealthforAnimals respectfully requests delegations support the advancement of the proposed MRLs to Step 5/8.