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ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CODEX SCHEDULES AND PRIORITY LISTS OF PESTICIDES FOR EVALUATION BY JMPR

(prepared by Australia)

A. SCHEDULES AND PRIORITY LISTS 2020-2023

1. Appendix A includes CCPR Schedules and Priority Lists of Pesticides (Tables 1-4) as specified in the "Risk Analysis Principles Applied by the Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues" (Procedural Manual of the Codex Alimentarius Commission).

B. FINALIZING THE 2020 PROPOSED SCHEDULE

2. To assist consideration of scheduling for 2020, the proposed 2020 CCPR Schedule of JMPR Evaluations is extracted from Tables 1 and 2A and appears in three worksheets with the prefix '2020'.
3. The '2020 new cpd' worksheet lists 11 compounds in 2020 new compound proposed schedule. Six of the listed compounds have confirmed national registrations and will now form the 2020 Proposed Schedule of JMPR evaluations. Given the use of ethalfuralin does not give rise to residues, this compound will become the first reserve. Four other compounds have no recorded national registrations and thus will be given reserve status.
4. The '2020 new use – other' worksheet lists 31 nominations for new use & other evaluations. Of the 31 nominations, evidence of product labels / national registration has been provided for 25 compounds. The commodities are listed in upper case text.
 - The quota for new use and other evaluations is 20, therefore 5 of the 25 compounds with product labels / national registrations will need to be given a reserve status. The remaining 6 nominations without product labels will be deferred to 2021.
5. The '2020 periodrev' worksheet lists 8 compounds in the Proposed 2020 Schedule of Periodic Reviews. A maximum of six compounds can be included in the final schedule. The remaining 2 compounds will be given a reserve status.

C. UNSUPPORTED COMPOUNDS DESIGNATED FOR DELETION FROM CCPR PESTICIDE LIST

6. There are several compounds from the 2018 and 2019 schedules of periodic reviews which were not evaluated by JMPR. The compounds are amitraz, bromopropylate, phosalone, fenarimol, dicloran and azinphos-methyl. The six compounds do not appear to be supported by a manufacturer and are the subject of public health concerns lodged by the European Union (EU).
7. A decision relating to ongoing retention on the CCPR List of Pesticides and maintenance of existing CXLs will be made in regard to these unsupported compounds at this meeting. Further discussion concerning the management of unsupported compounds may assist CCPR to reach a decision regarding these compounds.

D. PUBLIC HEALTH CONCERNS

8. In accordance with the nomination process described in the "Risk Analysis Principles applied by the Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues", Members and Observers may lodge public health concerns for any compound in the CCPR Pesticide List including those already listed in Table 2A and 2B. In lodging a public health concern, the nominator must provide supporting scientific data.

9. During 2018, public health concern forms were lodged for four compounds; buprofezin, diflubenzuron, iprodione and picoxystrobin. For these four compounds and all others in Table 2A for which PHC have been raised, discussions are required to determine the best mechanism to prioritise. This may include a preliminary assessment by the JMPR of the PHC claims.

E PERIODIC REVIEWS (UNSUPPORTED COMPOUNDS)

10. Member countries and Observers are strongly encouraged to review Tables 2A and 2B and if wishing to support the compound, should provide advice on availability of data packages:

F COMPOUNDS TO BE REFERRED TO CCRVDF

11. With reference to paragraph 152 of REP19-PR, a review was undertaken of compounds with only external animal uses which could be referred to JECFA for evaluation and consideration of CCRVDF. Only the compound Flumethrin met the requisite criteria.