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COMMENTS OF EGYPT

Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) and Risk Management Recommendations (RMRs) for the following Veterinary Drugs and insecticides (Cyhalothrin, Cyfluthrin, Cypermethrin, Alpha-Cypermethrin)

Egypt would like to point to its concern regarding the recorded Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) and Risk Management Recommendations (RMRs) for the above Veterinary Drugs and insecticides.

This concern is based on respect of bad animal husbandry practice in Egypt in application of veterinary drugs or insecticides. Consequently, Egypt proposes the following (MRLs):

The name of insecticide	MRLs ($\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$) (Egypt's proposal)
CYFLUTHRIN	10 in (muscle, liver, kidney) of cattle 50 in fat of the cattle 20 in milk of the cattle
CYHALOTHRIN	10 in (muscle, liver, kidney) of cattle
CYPERMETHRIN AND ALPHA-CYPERMETHRIN	10 in (muscle, liver, kidney) of cattle 50 in fat of the cattle 20 in milk of the cattle 10 in (muscle, Liver, kidney, fat) of sheep

Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) and Risk Management Recommendations (RMRs) for the following Veterinary Drugs (Estradiol-17beta, Melengestrol Acetate, Ractopamine, Testosterone, Trenbolone Acetate)

Egypt would like to point to its concern on the recorded Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) and Risk Management Recommendations (RMRs) for (Estradiol-17beta, Melengestrol Acetate, Ractopamine, Testosterone, Trenbolone Acetate).

In this respect, Egypt recommends that Estradiol-17beta, Melengestrol Acetate, Ractopamine Testosterone and Trenbolone Acetate should not be used for any food producing animals in order to protect consumer's health and respect of bad animal husbandry practice in application of these veterinary drugs and some of which are accused of being genotoxic and carcinogenic.