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Order relating to placing products on the market and use of fertilisers, growth mediums and their adjuvants

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4. Notification Number

2015/0042/F - C40C

5. Title

Order relating to placing products on the market and use of fertilisers, growth mediums and their adjuvants

6. Products Concerned

The notified provision concerns the regulation and placement on the market of fertilisers, growth mediums and their adjuvants. The parties responsible for placing products on the market are those concerned by the draft text.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

This order provides a clearer legal framework, in the absence of any harmonisation of the legal rules at European level, concerning the placement on the market and use of fertilisers and growth mediums. This draft modernises the provisions laid down by the Rural and Marine Fisheries Code on fertilisers and growth mediums (MFSC) before the draft European Regulation comes into force. Fertiliser adjuvants are added.

The order stipulates the definition of fertilisers, their adjuvants and growth mediums, the conditions under which they can be imported, stored before being placed on the market, sold and distributed free of charge and used, are subject to administrative authorisation and the conditions in which said activities can be carried out may be governed by prohibitions, limitations or regulations.

The order amends Chapter V of Title V of Book II of the legislative part of the Rural and Marine Fisheries Code. The overall objective is to facilitate controls and avoid abuse of the regulation and illegal placement on the market. The draft order simplifies the procedures regarding placement on the market and use of fertilisers and growth mediums.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The draft order is issued following the promulgation of the law on the future of agriculture, food and forest adopted on 13 October 2014. The draft order clarifies the provisions of the Rural and Marine Fisheries Code by more specifically defining the fertilisers and growth mediums and by defining the adjuvants for fertilisers used and marketed, up until now, without authorisation. The draft order gives better visibility of the procedures, applicable rules and terms for placing products on the market and use of fertilisers and growth mediums. The draft order ensures legal security by establishing controls and sanctions in the event of non-compliance with the regulation.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References to basic texts: LAW No. 2014 - 1170 of 13 October 2014 on the future of agriculture, food and forests: Article 55 of the Rural and Marine Fisheries Code: Chapter V of Title V of Book II



11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

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16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

SPS aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

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