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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

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7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The SSAFO Regulations were introduced with the aim of reducing the high number of water pollution incidents in the agricultural sector. The Regulations establish containment and construction standards for silage-making and storage, slurry storage systems and agricultural fuel oil stores.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

These Regulations were originally made in 1991 (and amended in 1997), but we have become aware that they were not notified under Directive 98/34/EC at the time. We are therefore proposing to re-make the Regulations to ensure they are fully enforceable. This is important as the Nitrate Pollution Prevention Regulations 2008 (the "Nitrates Regulations") include provisions relating to slurry storage and rely on the technical provisions of the SSAFO Regulations to ensure that storage is appropriate and soundly constructed.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

a) Basic Text Attached.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No



14. Fiscal measures
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No

15. Impact assessment

Impact assessment not available.

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT Aspect

No

The draft does not have a significant effect on international trade.

SPS Aspect

No

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