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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: European Commission EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu Website: https://technical-barriers-trade.ec.europa.eu/en/home
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], Other:
4. Products covered (HS codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): 27.190 - Biofuels produced from food and feed crops
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/807 to introduce a trajectory to gradually decrease the contribution of high indirect land-use change-risk biofuels, bioliquids and biomass fuels to renewable energy targets; (6 page(s), in English), (2 page(s), in English) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/TBT/EEC/26_02027_00_e.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/TBT/EEC/26_02027_01_e.pdf European Commission EU-TBT Enquiry Point Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43 E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu The text is available on the Website: https://technical-barriers-trade.ec.europa.eu/en/home
6. Description of content: Directive (EU) 2018/2001 sets out a specific limit to biofuels, bioliquids and biomass fuels produced from food and feed crops with high ILUC-risk and for which a significant expansion of their feedstock production area into land with high carbon stock is observed. The Commission has set out the criteria for determining the high indirect land-use change-risk feedstock for which a significant expansion of the production area into land with high-carbon stock is observed in Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/807. This delegated act updates the methodology as well as the data for determining the high indirect land-use change-risk feedstock for which a significant expansion of the production area into land with high-carbon stock is observed and sets a trajectory to gradually decrease the contribution of high indirect land-use change-risk biofuels, bioliquids and

<p>biomass fuels produced from feedstock for which a significant expansion of the production into land with high-carbon stock is observed to the targets for renewable energy.</p>
<p>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The proposal is made pursuant to Article 26(2) of Directive (EU) 2018/2001, which empowers the Commission to adopt a delegated act setting out the criteria for certification of low indirect land-use change-risk biofuels, bioliquids and biomass fuels and for determining the high indirect land-use change-risk feedstock for which a significant expansion of the production area into land with high-carbon stock is observed and to supplement that Directive by including a trajectory to gradually decrease the contribution of high indirect land-use change-risk biofuels, bioliquids and biomass fuels produced from feedstock for which a significant expansion of the production into land with high-carbon stock is observed.; Protection of the environment</p>
<p>8. Relevant documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directive (EU) 2018/2001 • Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/807
<p>9. Proposed date of adoption: 13 April 2026</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: 13/06/2026 (2 months scrutiny period Council and Parliament, possibility to add 2 more months)</p>
<p>10. Provision of comments</p> <p>Final date for comments: 4 May 2026 (20 days from notification)</p> <p>[] 60 days from notification</p> <p>Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:</p> <p>European Commission, EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu</p>