



COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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COMMISSION DECISION ...

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(Text with EEA relevance)

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 91/414/EEC of 15 July 1991 concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market¹, and in particular the fourth subparagraph of Article 8(2) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 8(2) of Directive 91/414/EEC provides that a Member State may, during a period of 12 years following the notification of that Directive, authorise the placing on the market of plant protection products containing active substances not listed in Annex I of that Directive that are already on the market two years after the date of notification, while those substances are gradually being examined within the framework of a programme of work.
- (2) Commission Regulations (EC) No 451/2000² and (EC) No 703/2001³ lay down the detailed rules for the implementation of the second stage of the programme of work referred to in Article 8(2) of Directive 91/414/EEC. For the active substance triazamate the notifier informed the Commission on 7 July 2004 that it no longer wished to seek the inclusion of that substance in Annex I to Directive 91/414/EEC. Consequently, that active substance should not be included in that Annex and Member States should withdraw all authorisations for plant protection products containing triazamate.
- (3) A period of grace for disposal, storage, placing on the market and use of existing stocks should be provided to allow those stocks to be used in one further growing season.

¹OJ L 230, 19.8.1991, p. 1. Directive as last amended by Commission Directive xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx (OJ L xxx, xx.xx.2004, p.).

²OJ L 55, 29.2.2000, p. 25. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1044/2003 (OJ L 151, 19.6.2003, p.32).

³OJ L 98, 7.4.2001, p. 6.

- (4) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Triazamate shall not be included as an active substance in Annex I to Directive 91/414/EEC.

Article 2

Member States shall ensure that:

1. authorisations for plant protection products containing triazamate are withdrawn by [...*INSERT DATE 6 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF ADOPTION OF THIS DECISION*];
2. no authorisations for plant protection products containing triazamate are granted or renewed from the date of publication.

Article 3

Any period of grace granted by Member States under Article 4(6) of Directive 91/414/EEC, for the disposal, storage, placing on the market and use of existing stocks shall be as short as possible and shall expire on [*INSERT DATE 18 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF ADOPTION OF THIS DECISION*]at the latest.

Article 4

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, [...]

For the Commission

[...]

Member of the Commission