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**Article 26c of Directive (EU) 2015/412; Maize 59122**


Dear Madam,  
Dear Sir,

Referring to the transitional measures of Article 26c of Directive (EU) 2015/412 of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2001/18/EC as regards the possibility for the Member States to restrict or prohibit the cultivation of genetically modified organisms (GMOs) in their territory, Austria hereby asks that the geographical scope of the application of maize 59122 (EFSA-GMO-NL-2005-23, of 13<sup>th</sup> October 2005) be adjusted to the effect that all of the Austrian territory is to be excluded from cultivation.

Sincerely yours

For the Minister:  
Hon.-Prof. Dr. Gerhard Aigner

Enclosure: 0

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