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Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed Section *Phytopharmaceuticals – Pesticide Residues*

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SUMMARY REPORT

B.01 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Regulation amending Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for prochloraz in or on certain products.

The Commission introduced the draft Regulation and recalled the previous technical discussion in the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed, Section Phytopharmaceuticals - Pesticides Residues of 26-27 September 2019. For procedural reasons the vote had been postponed at that meeting.

One Member State voted against due to concerns over potential endocrine disrupting properties of the substance and a diverging outcome of the risk assessment conducted by them. Two other Member States abstained (one also due to a diverging outcome of the risk assessment conducted by them).

Vote taken: Favourable opinion.