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I, SIMON COVENEY, Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972), for the purpose of giving effect to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/1607 of 24 September 2015<sup>1</sup> hereby make the following regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) (Amendment) (No.4) Regulations 2015.

2. The European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 426 of 2011) are amended by substituting in Regulation 2(1) for the definition of “Commission Regulation 669/2009” the following—

“ ‘Commission Regulation 669/2009’ means Commission Regulation (EC) No 669/2009 of 24 July 2009<sup>2</sup>(as amended by Commission Regulation (EU) No 212/2010 of 12 March 2010<sup>3</sup>, Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 323/2014 of 28 March 2014<sup>4</sup>, Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 718/2014 of 27 June 2014<sup>5</sup> and Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/1607 of 24 September 2015) and Commission Regulation (EU) No 885/2014 of 13 August 2014<sup>6</sup>, and Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/943 of 18 June 2015<sup>7</sup>;”.

<sup>1</sup>OJ L 249, 25.09.2015, p.7

<sup>2</sup>OJ L 194, 25.7.2009, p. 11

<sup>3</sup>OJ L 65, 13.3.2010, p. 16

<sup>4</sup>OJ L 95, 29.03.2014, p.12

<sup>5</sup>OJ L 190, 26.06.2014, p.55

<sup>6</sup>OJ L 242, 14.08.2014, p.20

<sup>7</sup>OJ L 154, 19.06.2015, p.8

*Notice of the making of this Statutory Instrument was published in  
“Iris Oifigiúil” of 13th October, 2015.*

3. The European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2015 (S.I. No. 311 of 2015) are revoked.



GIVEN under my Official Seal,  
6 October 2015.

SIMON COVENEY,  
Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)*

These Regulations revise controls on the import of certain food and feed of non-animal origin from specific third countries with regard to pesticide residues.

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