Tritosulfuron: non-renewal of approval

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Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/2777 concerning the non-renewal of approval of the active substance tritosulfuron

What is changing and why?

The European Commission has decided not to renew its approval for the pesticide tritosulfuron. This is because the manufacturer has withdrawn its application for renewal of the approval.

This decision should have no impact on exports to the EU as the EU maximum residue levels (MRLs) for tritosulfuron are already set at the limit of determination (LOD – the lowest level that can be detected using the most modern and reliable analytical methods). Suppliers exporting to the EU may only continue to use tritosulfuron provided residues do not exceed these existing MRLs (0.01–0.05 mg/kg).

Timeline

Date of entry into force: **7 November 2024**.

Existing EU Member State authorisations of products containing tritosulfuron will have to be withdrawn within 6 months after the Regulation enters into force.

EU producers will be permitted to use stocks of products containing this substance up to 7 November 2025.

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