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Welcome to Issue 50 of AGRINFO UPDATE. This issue reports on the EU's decision to partially delay the implementation of new rules on sustainability reporting and sustainability due diligence. Proposals by the European Commission to simplify further aspects of these rules are still under discussion.

This issue also covers new legislation updating the certain public health requirements for animal products and authorising feed additives, as well as an opportunity to send feedback on a proposal concerning veterinary residues in fish. In addition, there is a proposal to clarify the labelling and production rules for low-alcohol wines. See also the latest report on imported consignments that were not compliant with EU plant health rules.

AGRINFO would like to highlight <u>The Zero Deforestation Learning Series</u> offered by the Team Europe Initiative for Deforestation-free Value Chains. We strongly recommend monitoring the site and registering for upcoming events. The next is <u>Building Digital Public Infrastructure for Deforestation-Free Supply Chains</u> on 20 May.

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# **LATEST**

## New Regulations or policies under development



## Due diligence

EU agrees partial delays to implementing:

- Corporate Sustainability <u>Due Diligence Directive</u> (CS3D)
- Corporate Sustainability <u>Reporting Directive</u> (CSRD)



#### Food information

EU to clarify labelling and production rules for marketing of lowalcohol wines – feedback to EU by **2 June** 

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# Changes notified to World Trade Organization

Send feedback via your National SPS/TBT notification authority within the 60-day time limit



### **Veterinary residues**

EU to establish MRL for fluralaner in Salmonidae and other fin fish – feedback by **28 June** 

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# New Regulations coming into force and application dates



## **Public health export requirements**

EU clarifies requirements for certain animal products (dairy products, food additives, collagen casings, gelatine capsules) to enter the European Union – applies from **19 May 2025** 

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#### Feed additives

EU authorises/reauthorises certain feed additives and reintroduces analytical method to determine carbonates in feed

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### Reports



#### Plant health

February 2025 saw 60 interceptions due to harmful organisms involving 21 AGRINFO partner countries, and 536 interceptions due to other non-conformities involving 45 partner countries

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