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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 2 April 2001, has been received from the United States.

Premarket Notice Concerning Bioengineered Foods; Extension of Comment Period

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is extending to 3 May 2001, the comment period for a proposed rule published in the Federal Register of 18 January 2001 (notified to the WTO as G/SPS/N/USA/384). The proposed rule would require the submission to the agency of data and information regarding plant-derived bioengineered foods that would be consumed by humans or animals. This action is being taken in response to a request for more time to submit comments to FDA.

The full text of this addendum, which includes instructions for commenting, is available from the US SPS Enquiry Point/Notification Authority.

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