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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party to Agreement notifying: UNITED STATES

2. Agency responsible: Environmental Protection Agency (244)

3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [ ], 2.6.1 [x], 7.3.2 [ ], 7.4.1 [ ], Other:

4. Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   Ethylene dibromide on mangoes (CCCN Chapter 8)

5. Title: Tolerance for Ethylene Dibromide on Mangoes Proposed Extension of Expiration Date

6. Description of content: This notice proposes that the tolerance for residues of ethylene dibromide (EDB) per se of .03 parts per million (30 parts per billion) in the edible pulp of mangoes that have been fumigated after harvest with the insecticide ethylene dibromide (EDB) in accordance with the Mediterranean Fruit Fly Control Program or the Quarantine Program of the United States Department of Agriculture be extended from its expiration date of 30 September 1986 for an additional year to 30 September 1987.

7. Objective and rationale: Health, safety and environmental protection

8. Relevant documents: 51FR28603, 8 August 1986 = 40 CFR. Will appear in the Federal Register when adopted.

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force:

10. Final date for comments: 8 September 1986

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [x] or address of other body: