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INFORMATION NOTE

To each importer of certain foods of non-animal origin (FNAO) from certain third countries subject to Import Control Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/286, which amends Implementing Regulation 2019/1793 with respect to residues of pesticides

See attached amended Annexes 1 and 2 for list of commodities subject to **Import Controls** from <u>6th February 2024</u> which are regulated by the Department of Agriculture, Food and Marine (DAFM).

It is mandatory to declare and process documents for the importation of certain food of nonanimal origin (FNAO) using an on-line system, TRACES NT.

- In order to use TRACES NT, importers/agents must first create an EU login at <u>https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/tracesnt/login</u> by selecting the link 'Sign up for TRACES'.
- Once an EU login has been created, the importer/agent applies for a TRACES NT account.
- Within TRACES NT, the importer/agent creates a CHED-D (Common Health Entry Document).
- All documentation required to accompany each consignment must be submitted to the <u>DAFM Importer Portal</u> at least 24 hours prior to the estimated date of arrival.
- Consignments cannot be released by Customs until DAFM officials have carried out the required checks.
- If you need assistance with creating an EU or TRACES NT login, please contact phbipport@agriculture.gov.ie

All consignments of FNAO subject to (EU) Import Controls Regulations 2024/286 for pesticide residues must be imported through:

- 1 Dublin Airport (Identification of Border Control Post = BCP/IEDUB4-PCD)
- 2 Dublin Port (Identification of Border Control Post = BCP/IEDUB1-PCD)
- **3** Rosslare Port (Identification of Border Control Post = BCP/IEROS1-PCD)

<u>Annex I of Regulation 2024/286:</u> Consignments of these commodities shall be accompanied by appropriate documentation *viz.*:

- Single Administrative Document (SAD);
- o Airway Bill/Bill of Lading (not required for Roll on-Roll off consignments);
- Invoice;
- Phytosanitary Certificate (where relevant);
- EU Movement Cert (where relevant).

<u>Annex II of Regulation 2024/286:</u> Consignments of these commodities shall be accompanied by documentation listed above and must also present copies of:

- Health Certificate
- Results of pesticide residues analyses

<u>Reminder: Annex II (a) of Regulation 2020/625:</u> Entry of foodstuffs consisting of dried beans from Nigeria into EU has been suspended due to continued presence of dichlorvos. This remains in force.

All other commodities subject to Import Control set out in Implementing Regulation 2024/286, amending Implementing Regulation 2019/1793 (which are not listed here) are controlled by the Feedstuffs, Fertilisers, Grain and Poultry Division of the DAFM (feedimports@agriculture.gov.ie) and/or the Health Service Executive (HSE Port Health - importcontroldublin@hse.ie).

Examination (sampling and analysis) will be carried out on <u>some</u> consignments.

Frequency of sampling and analysis is indicated in Annex I and II.

Fees

Fees associated with Import Controls for pesticide residues are detailed below.

Sampling Frequency (%)	Dublin Port Fee (€)	Dublin Airport Fee (€)
10 (or less)	95	75
20	135	100
50	265	175

Annex I.

Commodities subject to Import Control regulations – 6 February 2024

Food and feed of non-animal origin from certain third countries subject to a temporary increase of official controls at border control posts and control points

Row	Country of Food and feed origin (intended use)		CN code (¹)	TARIC sub- division	Hazard	Frequency of identity and physical checks (%)
2	Bangladesh (BD)	Seem beans, helmet beans (<i>Lablab purpureus</i>) (Food)	ex 0708 90 90	ex 0708 90 90 30 Pesticide residues (3)		20
3	 Shell Groundnuts (peanuts), shelled Peanut butter Groundnuts (peanuts), otherwise prepared or preserved Brazil (BR) Oilcake and other solid residues, whether or not ground or in the form of pellets, resulting from the extraction of groundnut oil Groundnut flours and meals Groundnuts paste 		1202 41 00 1202 42 00 2008 11 10 2008 11 91; 2008 11 96; 2008 11 98 2305 00 00 ex 1208 90 00 ex 2007 10 10; ex 2007 10 99; ex 2007 99 39	20 80 50 07; 08	Pesticide residues (3)	30
5	China (CN)	Tea, whether or not flavoured (Food)	0902		Pesticide residues (3)(5)	20
6	Colombia (CO)	Granadilla and passion fruit (<i>Passiflora ligularis</i> and <i>Passiflora edulis</i>) (Food)	ex 0810 90 20 40 ex 0810 90 20 50		Pesticide residues (3)	10
7	Dominican Republic (DO)	- Sweet peppers (<i>Capsicum</i> annuum) Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (<i>Food – fresh, chilled or</i> <i>frozen)</i>		20 20	Pesticide residues (3)(17)	50

8	(Capsicum annuum) Egypt (EG) Peppers of the genus Capsicum (other than sweet) (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)		0709 60 10; 0710 80 51 ex 0709 60 99; ex 0710 80 59	20 20	Pesticide residues (3)(6)	30
	Oranges (<i>Food – fresh or dried)</i>		0805 10		Pesticide residues (3)	30
		Sugar apple (<i>Annona</i> squamosa) (Food – fresh or dried)	ex 0810 90 75	20	Pesticide residues (3)	20
		Vine leaves (Food)	ex 2008 99 99 ex 2008 99 99	11 19	Pesticide residues (3)	20
11	Israel (IL) (16)	Basil (<i>Ocimum basilicum</i>) (Food)	ex 12 11 90 86	20	Pesticide residues (3)	10
		Okra (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 99 90 ex 0710 80 95	20 30	Pesticide residues (3)(7)(13)	20
12		Drumsticks (<i>Moringa oleifera</i>) (Food– fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 99 90 ex 0710 80 95	10 75	Pesticide residues (3)	20
		Rice (Food)	1006		Pesticide residues (3)	10
		Yardlong beans (<i>Vigna unguiculata</i> ssp. sesquipedalis, <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> ssp. <i>unguiculata</i>) (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen vegetables)	ex 0708 20 00 ex 0710 22 00	10 10	Pesticide residues (3)	30

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		Guava (<i>Psidium guajava</i>) (Food)	ex 0804 50 00	30	Pesticide residues (3)	30
		 Locust beans (carob) Locust beans seeds, not decorticated, crushed or ground 	1212 92 00 1212 99 41			
		 Mucilages and thickeners, whether or not modified, derived from locust beans or locust beans seeds 	1302 32 10		Pesticide residues (13)	20
		(Food and feed)				
		Guar gum (Food and feed)	1302 32 90		Pesticide residues (13)	20
		(,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			Pentachlorophenol and dioxins	30
		- Cumin seeds -	0909 31 00		Pesticide residues (3)	20
		 Cumin seeds crushed or ground 	0909 32 00			
		(Food)				
		Beans (<i>Vigna</i> spp., <i>Phaseolus</i> spp.) (Food – fresh or chilled)	0708 20		Pesticide residues (3)	10
13	Kenya (KE)	Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet)	ex 0709 60 99;	20	Destiside residues	
		(Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0710 80 59	20	Pesticide residues (3)	20
14	South Korea (KR)	Instant noodles containing spices/seasonings or sauces	ex 1902 30 10	30	Pesticide residues (13)	10
		(Food)				
		Gotukola (<i>Centella</i> asiatica)				
15	Sri Lanka (LK)	(Food)	ex 1211 90 86	60	Pesticide residues (3)	50
		Mukunuwenna (Alternanthera sessilis)	ex 0709 99 90	35	Pesticide residues (3)	50
		(Food)		l		

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		Yardlong beans (Vigna unguiculata ssp. sesquipedalis, Vigna unguiculata ssp. unguiculata) (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen vegetables)	ex 0708 20 00 ex 0710 22 00	10 10	Pesticide residues (3)	20
16	Madagascar (MG)	Black eyed beans (<i>Vigna</i> <i>unguiculata</i>) (Food)	0713 35 00		Pesticide residues (3)	30
17	Mexico (MX)	Green papaya (<i>Carica</i> <i>papaya</i>) (Food – fresh and chilled)	0807 20 00		Pesticide residues (3)	20
18	Malaysia (MY)	Jackfruit (<i>Artocarpus</i> heterophyllus) (Food – fresh)	ex 0810 90 20	20	Pesticide residues (3)	50
19	Pakistan	Rice (Food)	1006		Pesticide residues (3)	10
19	(РК)	Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food–fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99 ex 0710 80 59	20 20	Pesticide residues (3)	20
20	(RW)	Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food–fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99 ex 0710 80 59	20 20	Pesticide residues (3)	20
	Thailand	Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food–fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99 ex 0710 80 59		Pesticide residues (3)(8)	30
23	(TH)	Granadilla and passion fruit (<i>Passiflora ligularis</i> and <i>Passiflora edulis</i>) (Food - fresh)	ex 0810 90 20 ex 0810 90 20	40 50	Pesticide residues (3)	10
24	Türkiye (TR)	Lemons (Citrus limon, Citrus limonum) (Food – fresh, chilled or dried)	0805 50 10	<u> </u>	Pesticide residues (3)	30

		Grapefruits (Food)	0805 40 00		Pesticide residues (3)	30
		Pomegranates (Food – fresh or chilled)	ex 0810 90 75	30	Pesticide residues (3)(9)	30
		Sweet peppers (<i>Capsicum</i> annuum)	0709 60 10 0710 80 51	20	Pesticide residues	20
		Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99 ex 0710 80 59	20 20	(3)(10)	20
		Locust beans (carob)	1212 92 00			
		Locust beans seeds, not decorticated, crushed or ground	1212 99 41		Pesticide residues	20
		Mucilages and thickeners, whether or not modified, derived from locust beans or locust beans seeds	1302 32 10		(13)	20
		(Food and feed)				
25	Uganda (UG)	Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99 ex 0710 80 59	20 20	Pesticide residues (3)	50
		Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food-fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99; ex 0710 80 59	20 20	Pesticide residues (3)(12)	50
27	Vietnam (VN)	Instant noodles containing spices/seasonings or sauces (<i>Food</i>)	ex 1902 30 10	30	Pesticide residues (13)	20
		Durian (<i>Durio zibethinus</i>) (Food – fresh or chilled)	0810 60 00		Pesticide residues (13)	10

(1) Where only certain products under any CN code are required to be examined, the CN code is marked 'ex'.

(3) Residues of at least those pesticides listed in the control programme adopted in accordance with Article 29(2) of Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 February 2005on maximum residue levels of pesticides in or on food and feed of plant and animal origin and amending Council Directive 91/414/EEC (OJ L 70, 16.3.2005, p. 1) that can be analysed with multi-residue methods based on GC-MS and LC-MS (pesticides to be monitored in/on products of plant origin only).

(5) Residues of Tolfenpyrad.

(6) Residues of Dicofol (sum of p, p' and o,p' isomers), Dinotefuran, Folpet, Prochloraz (sum of prochloraz and its metabolites containing the 2,4,6-trichlorophenol moiety expressed as prochloraz), Thiophanate-methyl and Triforine.

(7) Residues of Diafenthiuron.

(8) Residues of Formetanate (sum of formetanate and its salts expressed as formetanate (hydrochloride)), Prothiofos and Triforine.

(9) Residues of Prochloraz.

(10) Residues of Diafenthiuron, Formetanate (sum of formetanate and its salts expressed as formetanate (hydrochloride)) and Thiophanate- methyl.

(12) Residues of Dithiocarbamates (dithiocarbamates expressed as CS2, including maneb, mancozeb, metiram, propineb, thiram and ziram), Phenthoate and Quinalphos.

(13) Residues of Ethylene Oxide (sum of ethylene oxide and 2-chloro-ethanol, expressed as ethylene oxide). In case of food additives, the applicable maximum residue level (MRL) is 0,1 mg/kg (limit of quantification (LOQ)). Prohibition of use of Ethylene Oxide provided for in Commission Regulation (EU) No 231/2012 of 9 March 2012laying down specifications for food additives listed in Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 83, 22.3.2012, p. 1).

(15) Both finished products and raw materials containing any botanicals intended for the production of food supplements declared under CN codes mentioned in column 'CN code'.

(16) Hereinafter understood as the State of Israel, excluding the territories under the administration of the State of Israel after 5 June 1967, namely the Golan Heights, the Gaza Strip, East Jerusalem and the rest of the West Bank.

(17) Residues of Acephate.

Annex II.

The following commodities are subject to further requirements, i.e. the documentation to accompany each consignment must also contain a <u>Health Certificate</u> relevant to the hazard concerned and a copy of the <u>Pesticide Residues Analyses</u> – see below.

Food and feed of non-animal origin referred to in Article 1, point (1)(b)(i)

Row	Country of origin	Food and feed (intended use)	CN code (1)	TARIC sub- division	Hazard	Frequency of identity and physical checks (%)	Health Cert.	Analysis Result
4	China (CN)	Xanthan gum (Food and feed)	ex 3913 90 00	40	Pesticide residues (26)	20	\checkmark	λ
		Aubergines (Solanum melongena) (Food – fresh or chilled)	0709 30 00		Pesticide residues (20)	50	\checkmark	\checkmark
5	Republic	Yardlong beans (Vigna unguiculata ssp. sesqui- pedalis, Vigna unguicu- lata ssp. unguiculata) (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0708 20 00; ex 0710 22 00	10 10	Pesticide residues (20)(28)	30		V

0	India (IN)	Curry leaves (Bergera/Murraya koenigii) (Food– fresh, chilled frozen or dried)	ex 1211 90 86	10	Pesticide residues (20)(29)	50	\checkmark	
		Peppers of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> (other than sweet) (Food-fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 60 99 ex 0710 80 59	20 20	Pesticide residues (20)(21)	30	V	\checkmark
		Sesamum seeds (Food and feed)	1207 40 90 ex 2008 19 19 ex 2008 19 99	40 40	Pesticide residues (26)	30	V	\checkmark
		Mixtures of food additives containing locust bean gum or guar gum (Food)	ex 2106 90 92 ex 2106 90 98 ex 3824 99 93 ex 3824 99 96		Pesticide residues (26)	20	\checkmark	\checkmark
		Pepper of the genus Piper, dried or crushed or ground fruit of the genus Capsicum or of the genus Pimenta (Food -dried spices)	0904					
		Vanilla <i>(Food – dried spices)</i> Cinnamon and	0905					
		cinnamon-tree flowers (Food – dried spices	0906		Pesticide residues	20	\checkmark	
		Cloves (whole fruit, cloves and stems) (Food – dried spices	0907		(26)			
		Nutmeg, mace and cardamoms	0908					
		(Food – dried spices Seeds of anise, badian, fennel, coriander, cumin or caraway; juniper berries	0909					
		(Food – dried spices						

		Ginger, saffron, turmeric (curcuma), thyme, bay leaves, curry and other spices (Food – dried spices)	0910					
		Sauces and preparations thereof; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings; mustard flours and meals and prepared mustard (Food)	2103		Pesticide residues (26)	20	V	N
		Calcium carbonate (Food and feed)	ex 2106 90 92 ex 2106 90 98 ex 2530 90 70 2836 50 00	55 60 10	Pesticide residues (26)	30	\checkmark	
		Food supplements containing botanicals (30) (Food)	ex 1302 ex 2106		Pesticide residues (26)	20	V	\checkmark
14	Malaysia (MY)	Mixtures of food additives containing locust bean gum (<i>Food</i>)	ex 2106 90 92 ex 2106 90 98 ex 3824 99 93 ex 3824 99 96		Pesticide residues (26)	20	V	\checkmark
		Vine leaves (Food)	ex 2008 99 99 ex 2008 99 99	11 19	Pesticide residues (20)(23)	50		\checkmark
17	Turkey (TR)	Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and similar citrus hybrids	0805 21; 0805 22 00; 0805 29 00		Pesticide residues (20)	20	V	\checkmark
.,	Turkey (TK)	(Food – fresh or dried) Oranges (Food – fresh or dried)	0805 10		Pesticide residues (20)	30	√	\checkmark
		Mixtures of food additives containing locust bean gum (Food)	ex 2106 90 92 ex 2106 90 98 ex 3824 99 93		Pesticide residues (26)	20	V	V
			ex 3824 99 96					

	United States (US)	Vanilla extract (Food)	1302 19 05		Pesticide residues (26)	20	\checkmark	
20	Vietnam (VN)	Okra (Food – fresh, chilled or frozen)	ex 0709 99 90 ex 0710 80 95	20 30	Pesticide residues (20) (24)	50	\checkmark	\checkmark
		Pitahaya (dragon fruit) (Food – fresh or chilled)	ex 0810 90 20	10	Pesticide residues (20) (24)	20	\checkmark	

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(21) Residues of Carbofuran.

(23) Residues of Dithiocarbamates (dithiocarbamates expressed as CS2, including maneb, mancozeb, metiram, propineb, thiram and ziram) and Metrafenone.

(24) Residues of Dithiocarbamates (dithiocarbamates expressed as CS2, including maneb, mancozeb, metiram, propineb, thiram and ziram), Phenthoate and Quinalphos.

(26) Residues of Ethylene Oxide (sum of ethylene oxide and 2-chloro-ethanol, expressed as ethylene oxide). In case of food additives, the applicable MRL is 0,1 mg/kg (LOQ). Prohibition of use of Ethylene Oxide provided for in Regulation (EU) No 231/2012 of 9 March 2012laying down specifications for food additives listed in Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 83, 22.3.2012, p. 1).

(28) Residues of Amitraz (amitraz including the metabolites containing the 2,4-dimethylaniline moiety expressed as amitraz), Diafenthiuron, Dicofol (sum of p, p' and o,p' isomers) and Dithiocarbamates (dithiocarbamates expressed as CS2, including maneb, mancozeb, metiram, propineb, thiram and ziram).

(29) Residues of Acephate.

(30) Both finished products and raw materials containing any botanicals intended for the production of food supplements declared under CN codes mentioned in column 'CN code'.