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Forwarding of the observations of a Member State (Spain) (article 5, paragraph 2, of Directive (EU) 2015/1535). These observations do not have the effect of extending the standstill period.

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4. 2025/0137/BE - C00A - AGRICULTURE, FISHING AND FOODSTUFFS

5. article 5, paragraph 2, of Directive (EU) 2015/1535

6. Within the framework of Directive 2015/1535, on 13 March 2025 the Belgian Government notified the draft 'Ministerial Decree amending the Ministerial Decree of 8 November 2021 implementing the Decree of the Flemish Government of 29 October 2021 on organic production and labelling of organic products as regards production rules for specific animal species'.

Examination of the draft has led the Spanish authorities to issue the comments set out below pursuant to Article 5(2) of the aforementioned Directive.

The Belgian Government is requested to:

- include a mutual recognition clause in the body of the draft legislation, thus preventing it from becoming an unnecessary obstacle to intra-Community trade in the foods concerned.

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