

**S.I. No. 418/2012 — European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) (Amendment) (No.4) Regulations 2012.**

*Notice of the making of this Statutory Instrument was published in  
“Iris Oifigiúil” of 2nd November, 2012.*

I, SIMON COVENEY, Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972), for the purpose of giving full effect to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No. 889/2012 of 27 September 2012<sup>1</sup>, hereby make the following regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) (Amendment) (No.4) Regulations 2012.

2. The European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) Regulations 2011 ( S.I. No. 426 of 2011 ) are amended by substituting in Regulation 2(1) for the definition of “Commission Regulation 669/2009” the following—

“ ‘Commission Regulation 669/2009’ means Commission Regulation (EC) No. 669/2009 of 24 July 2009<sup>2</sup> as amended by Commission Regulation (EU) No. 212/2010 of 12 March 2010<sup>3</sup> and Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 889/2012 of 27 September 2012;”.

3. The European Communities (Official Controls on the Import of Food of Non-Animal Origin for Pesticide Residues) (Amendment) (No.3) Regulations 2012 ( S.I. No.245 of 2012 ) are revoked.



GIVEN under my Official Seal,

25 October 2012.

SIMON COVENEY,

Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine.

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)*

These regulations revise controls on the import of certain food of non-animal origin from specific third countries with regard to pesticide residues.

1 OJ L 263, 28.9.2012, p. 26

2 OJ L 194, 25.7.2009, p. 11

3 OJ L 65, 13.3.2010, p. 16