Amendment 1 Angélique Delahaye on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

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Motion for a resolution Recital A

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A. whereas the systemic herbicide glyphosate currently has the highest global production volume of all herbicides; whereas its global use has increased dramatically, by a factor of 260, in the last 40 years (from 3 200 tonnes in 1974 to 825 000 tonnes in 2014)⁴;

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Or. en

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Motion for a resolution Recital D

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D. whereas glyphosate and/or its residues have been detected in water, soil, food and drinks and non-comestible goods, as well as in the human body (e.g. in urine *and maternal milk*);

Amendment

D. whereas, according to the Bundesinstitut für Risikobewertung (BfR), the concentrations of glyphosate and/or its residues that have been detected in water, soil, food and drinks and noncomestible goods, as well as in the human body (e.g. in urine) are strictly below legal thresholds and are neither surprising nor alarming;

Or. en

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Motion for a resolution Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas the general population is exposed *primarily through residence near sprayed areas, through home use, and through diet*; whereas exposure to glyphosate is on the rise owing to the *dramatic* increase in the total volume of glyphosate used; *whereas* the impact of glyphosate on human health must *not be underestimated*:

Amendment

E. whereas the general population is exposed; whereas exposure to glyphosate is on the rise owing to the increase in the total volume of glyphosate used; *whereas* the impact of glyphosate *and its most common co-formulants* on human health must *be regularly monitored*;

Or. en

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Motion for a resolution Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) .../... of XXX renewing the approval of the active substance glyphosate in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (hereinafter the 'draft implementing regulation') proposes to authorise glyphosate until 30 June 2031, i.e. for the maximum period possible, for any use, without any restrictions (except for one out of over 500 co formulants), without any legally binding conditions on its use, and subject only to confirmatory

information on endocrine-disrupting

properties;

Amendment

J. whereas Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) .../... of XXX renewing the approval of the active substance glyphosate in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (hereinafter the 'draft implementing regulation'), based on an extensive scientific evaluation conducted both by the BfR and EFSA, proposes to authorise glyphosate until 30 June 2031, i.e. for the maximum period possible, for any use, with a restriction for one of the co-formulants and the establishment by Member States of a list of co-formulants not accepted for inclusion in plant protection products, without any legally binding conditions on its use, and subject only to confirmatory information on endocrine-disrupting properties;

Or. en

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Motion for a resolution Recital O

Motion for a resolution

O. whereas the conditions of recourse to the precautionary principle as laid down in Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 are clearly fulfilled in light of the ongoing controversy about the carcinogenic properties of glyphosate;

Amendment

O. whereas, in its peer review of November 2015, EFSA takes into account the ongoing controversy about the carcinogenic properties of glyphosate in light of the IARC report of March 2015;

Or. en

Amendment 6
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Motion for a resolution Recital R

Motion for a resolution

R. whereas the draft implementing regulation does not, however, contain any legally binding risk mitigation measures, despite a high long-term risk found for almost all uses of glyphosate for non-target terrestrial vertebrates, including mammals and birds; whereas use of the non-selective herbicide glyphosate kills not only unwanted weeds, but all plants, as well as algae, bacteria and fungi, thereby having an unacceptable impact on biodiversity and the ecosystem; whereas as such, glyphosate fails to comply with point (e)(iii) of Article 4(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009;

Amendment

R. whereas the draft implementing regulation does not, however, contain any legally binding risk mitigation measures;

Or. en

Amendment 7
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Motion for a resolution Recital U

Motion for a resolution

U. whereas the head of EFSA's Pesticides Unit, which was in charge of the assessment, described certain studies not assessed by the IARC as 'key' and 'pivotal'; whereas EFSA has so far refused to make these studies publicly available, as the applicants have claimed that disclosure would harm their commercial interests; whereas *non-publication of studies makes independent scientific scrutiny impossible; whereas* EFSA did not provide verifiable proof that disclosure would harm the industry in accordance with its legal obligation under Article 63 of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009;

Amendment

U. whereas the head of EFSA's Pesticides Unit, which was in charge of the assessment, described certain studies not assessed by the IARC as 'key' and 'pivotal'; whereas EFSA has so far refused to make these studies publicly available, as the applicants have claimed that disclosure would harm their commercial interests; whereas EFSA did not provide verifiable proof that disclosure would harm the industry in accordance with its legal obligation under Article 63 of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009;

Or. en

Amendment 8
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Motion for a resolution Recital W

Motion for a resolution

W. whereas there are not only serious concerns about the carcinogenicity of glyphosate, but also doubts as regards a possible mode of action in relation to its endocrine-disruptive properties; whereas glyphosate-based formulations have been found to be endocrine disruptors in human cell lines and, in the absence of the proper scientific horizontal criteria, an endocrine-mediated mode of action cannot be ruled out:

Amendment

W. whereas there are not only serious concerns about the carcinogenicity of glyphosate, but also doubts as regards a possible mode of action in relation to its endocrine-disruptive properties; whereas glyphosate-based formulations have been found to be endocrine disruptors in human cell lines and, in the absence of the proper scientific horizontal criteria, an endocrine-mediated mode of action cannot be ruled out; whereas the Commission will provide standards for defining endocrine disruptors by August 2016;

Or. en

Amendment 9
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Considers that the Commission's draft implementing regulation fails to ensure a high level of protection of both human and animal health and the environment, fails to apply the precautionary principle, and exceeds the implementing powers provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009;

Amendment

1. Considers that the Commission's draft implementing regulation exceeds the implementing powers provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009;

Or. en

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Calls on the Commission to *withdraw its*

draft implementing regulation and to submit a new draft to the committee;

Amendment

2. Calls on the Commission to submit a new draft implementing regulation in order to better address the sustainable use of herbicides containing glyphosate; calls on the Commission to recommend that Member States in particular limit or prohibit the sale of glyphosate for nonprofessional users and ask for an assessment by the Commission, together with experts from Member States, to evaluate the use of plant protection products for non-professionals and make proposals, to develop training and user authorisation for professionals, to provide better information on the use of glyphosate, and to place strict limits on the pre-harvest use of products containing the active substance glyphosate;

Or. en

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Calls on the Commission *not* to renew the approval of glyphosate *and to set up a clear time-frame for establishing a* list of co-formulants not accepted for inclusion in plant protection products;

Amendment

3. Calls on the Commission to renew the approval of glyphosate for 7 years; recalls that under Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 the Commission can withdraw the approval of an active substance during the period of its authorisation if it no longer satisfies the criteria for its approval; calls on the Commission and Member States to accelerate their work on the list of co-formulants not accepted for inclusion in plant protection products; welcomes the exclusion of POE-tallowamine from use in plant protection products containing glyphosate;

Or. en

Amendment 12 Angélique Delahaye on behalf of the PPE Group

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4a. Calls on the Commission to reevaluate its approval in light of the pending submission of a dossier concerning the harmonised classification of glyphosate under Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 to the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA);

Or. en

Amendment 13
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Calls on the Commission and Member States to finance research and innovation with regard to alternative sustainable and cost-efficient solutions for pestmanagement products to ensure a high level of protection of human and animal health and the environment;

Or. en

Amendment 14
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Is of the opinion that an appropriate follow-up of this resolution and thus the submission of a thoroughly amended new draft by the Commission will be crucial for trust in and between the institutions of the European Union;

Amendment

7. Is of the opinion that an appropriate follow-up of this resolution by the Commission *is important* for trust in and between the institutions of the European Union;

Or. en