

NOTIFICATION OF DEROGATION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 55(1) OF REGULATION (EU) NO 528/2012

- Notifying Member State¹

Ireland

- Competent Authority granting the temporary derogation

Organisation	Email address
Pesticide Control Division, Dept. of Agriculture Food and the Marine	Biocide-authorisations@agriculture.gov.ie

- In case of repeated action: number of previous action(s)

0

- Product name

Propan-1-ol and propan-2-ol
containing products

- Product type

PT 1

- Active substance(s)

Propan-1-ol, propan-2-ol

- Target organism(s)

SARS-CoV-2

- User category

Professional (General)

- Starting date of the action based on Art. 55 (1) of the BPR

20/03/2020

- End date of the action based on Art. 55 (1) of the BPR

16/09/2020

¹ In this form "Member State" refers to EU Member States, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland.

- Description of danger the derogation is intended to address

danger to public health

The spread of COVID-19 and the increase in number of confirmed cases of COVID-19 has led to the increased use and demand from the general public, health care professionals, public health care facilities and hospitals of hand sanitising and human hygiene disinfectants.

The Irish Ministry of Health and Health Services Executive which have responsibility for public health services in Ireland have indicated a severe shortage of PT1 products available to them.

danger to animal health

(describe briefly the danger, the area affected and the effects of the danger)

danger to environment

(describe briefly the danger, the area affected and the effects of the danger)

- Geographical area of use

Ireland

- Absence of any other means to contain the danger

Availability of PT1 products is restricted due to the unprecedented national and global demand for these products

- Limited and controlled use

Applicants have been informed that exemption has been granted initially for a period until 30th June 2020. If exemption is no longer needed at this time then the derogation will be revoked.

Every product containing propan-1-ol or propan-2-ol to which this derogation applies must be applied for separately to the Irish competent authority and will be granted product specific registration numbers