# Communication according to Article 139.1 for area (b) under Article 1(2)

### Article 139

# Penalties

- 1. Member States shall lay down the rules on penalties applicable to infringements of this Regulation and take all measures necessary to ensure that they are implemented. The penalties provided for shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive. Member States shall, by 14 December 2019, notify those provisions to the Commission and shall notify it without delay of any subsequent amendment affecting them.
- 2. Member States shall ensure that financial penalties for violations of this Regulation and of the rules referred to in Article 1(2), perpetrated through fraudulent or deceptive practices, reflect, in accordance with national law, at least either the economic advantage for the operator or, as appropriate, a percentage of the operator's turnover.

## Article 1 (2)

b) deliberate release into the environment of Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs) for the purpose of food and feed production

#### National law

- Zákon č. 151/2002 Z. z. o používaní genetických technológií a geneticky modifikovaných organizmov v znení neskorších predpisov. Naplnenie skutkovej podstaty správnych deliktov upravuje § 28, spôsob uloženia sankcie upravuje § 29 a priestupky upravuje § 30 (<a href="https://www.epi.sk/zz/2002-151">https://www.epi.sk/zz/2002-151</a>)
- Zákon č. 184/2006 Z. z. o pestovaní geneticky modifikovaných rastlín v poľnohospodárskej výrobe. § 9 (priestupky) a § 10 iné správne delikty (<a href="https://www.epi.sk/zz/2006-184">https://www.epi.sk/zz/2006-184</a>)