# Communication according to Article 139.1 for area (h) 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)

(h) requirements for the placing on the market and use of plant protection products and the sustainable use of pesticides, with the exception of pesticides application equipment;

#### National law

Zákon č. 405/2011 Z. z. o rastlinolekárskej starostlivosti a o zmene zákona NR SR č. 145/1995 Z. z. o správnych poplatkoch v znení neskorších predpisov, § 38 (Priestupky) a § 39 (Iné správne delikty) (<a href="https://www.epi.sk/zz/2011-405">https://www.epi.sk/zz/2011-405</a>)