ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN FEED CONTROL OFFICIALS, INC.

INVESTIGATOR REPORT
AND RECOMMENDATION FOR:_____Miscellaneous Products_____

Submitted by:____Shannon Jordre_____ Date:__6-4-2010_____

ACTION: ___ New Tentative Definition _XX__Tentative Definition to be made Official
____Editorial Change ___Delete Official Definition _____Other _____

Definition No. __60.98___ Name:____L-Carnitine_____

60.98 L-Carnitine is a nutritional supplement with a minimum content of 97.0% L-carnitine and a maximum of 0.5% D-isomer. L-carnitine is for use in swine feeds at levels not to exceed 0.1% (1000 ppm) of complete feed, for use in chicken and turkey feeds at levels not to exceed 0.02% (200 ppm) of complete feed, for use in fish feed at levels not to exceed 0.25% (2500 ppm) of complete feed, for use in milk replacers for ruminant animals at levels not to exceed 0.075% (750 ppm) of milk replacer powder, for use in dog feeds at levels not to exceed 0.075% (750 ppm) of complete feed on a dry matter basis, and for use in cat foods (intended for adult maintenance only) at levels not to exceed 0.10% (1000 ppm) of complete feed on a dry matter basis. L-Carnitine is a fatty acid carrier that plays a role in fat oxidation in the body. (Proposed 1997, Amended 1999, Amended 2002, Adopted 2004, Amended 2009)

Remarks:

Deadline date: ___June 15, 2010____
Submit report and recommendations to:

Richard Ten Eyck, Chair
AAFCO Ingredient Definitions Committee
Oregon Department of Agriculture
635 Capitol Street NE
Salem, Oregon 97301-2532

Recommendation of Ingredients Definition Committee:

Remarks:

___ Accept as Requested ___ Accept as Amended ___ Do not accept ___ Table until _____