

## Authorisation for State aid pursuant to Articles 87 and 88 of the EC Treaty

### Cases where the Commission raises no objections

(2002/C 284/02)

(Text with EEA relevance)

**Date of adoption of the decision:** 3.7.2001

**Member State:** France

**Aid No:** N 298/01

**Title:** Tax exemption in favour of orphan medicinal products

**Objective:** Stimulate companies to develop and market orphan medicinal products as designated by Regulation (EC) No 141/2000 of the European Parliament and of the Council

**Legal basis:** Loi de financement de la sécurité sociale pour 2001

**Budget:** Approximately FRF 10 million (EUR 1,5 million)

**Duration:** Indefinite, budget to be adopted annually

**Other information:** Submit annual report to Commission

The authentic text(s) of the decision, from which all confidential information has been removed, can be found at

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**Date of adoption of the decision:** 28.11.2001

**Member State:** Spain (Galicia)

**Aid No:** N 347/01

**Title:** Aid scheme to promote recruitment of the unemployed and conversion of fixed-term contracts into open-ended contracts

**Objective:** Job creation and stability

**Legal basis:** Orden por la que se establece el programa de incentivos a la contratación indefinida con origen en planes empresariales de incremento de la estabilidad laboral

**Budget:** EUR 12 320 748,13 per year

**Aid intensity or amount:** The amount of aid for each open-ended contract varies in line with the stability achieved by the firm thanks to the job stability promotion plan and in accordance with the following scale:

— between 35 % and 62 %: ESP 800 000 (EUR 4 808,09)

— more than 62 % and up to 85 %: ESP 900 000 (EUR 5 409,10)

— over 85 %: ESP 1 000 000 (EUR 6 010,12)

In the case of part-time contracts, the amount of aid is reduced in proportion to the time worked

**Duration:** 2001-2006

**Other information:** The aid is incompatible with State aid N 348/01

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**Date of adoption of the decision:** 16.10.2002

**Member State:** Belgium

**Aid No:** N 438/02

**Title:** Subsidies to the port authorities for carrying out public-authority tasks

**Objective:** To enable the port authorities to carry out public-authority tasks through their harbourmasters' offices

**Legal basis:** Décret du 2 mars 1999 et décision du 13 juillet 2001 de la Région flamande

Decreet van 2 maart 1999 en Besluit van het Vlaamse Gewest van 13 juli 2001

**Budget:** Less than EUR 10 million per year

**Aid intensity or amount:** 25 %, 50 %, and then 75 % of the eligible costs

**Duration:** Three years (2001-2003)

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