



2026/908

3.7.2026

**COMMISSION DELEGATED REGULATION (EU) 2026/908**

**of 27 April 2026**

**amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/630 as regards the private attestation requirements of the composite products exempted from official controls at border control posts, and the inclusion of certain cereal products, prepared or preserved vegetables, fruits, nuts, sauces, condiments, seasonings and confectionery in the list of exempted composite products**

(Text with EEA relevance)

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2017/625 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2017 on official controls and other official activities performed to ensure the application of food and feed law, rules on animal health and welfare, plant health and plant protection products, amending Regulations (EC) No 999/2001, (EC) No 396/2005, (EC) No 1069/2009, (EC) No 1107/2009, (EU) No 1151/2012, (EU) No 652/2014, (EU) 2016/429 and (EU) 2016/2031 of the European Parliament and of the Council, Council Regulations (EC) No 1/2005 and (EC) No 1099/2009 and Council Directives 98/58/EC, 1999/74/EC, 2007/43/EC, 2008/119/EC and 2008/120/EC, and repealing Regulations (EC) No 854/2004 and (EC) No 882/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council, Council Directives 89/608/EEC, 89/662/EEC, 90/425/EEC, 91/496/EEC, 96/23/EC, 96/93/EC and 97/78/EC and Council Decision 92/438/EEC (Official Controls Regulation) <sup>(1)</sup>, and in particular Article 48, point (h), and Article 77(1), point (k), thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/630 <sup>(2)</sup> establishes the list of shelf-stable composite products that are exempted from official controls at border control posts.
- (2) Article 22 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292 <sup>(3)</sup> lays down certain requirements as regards the private attestation to be presented by food business operators for consignments of shelf-stable composite products entering the Union from third countries or regions thereof. Since Article 1, point (5), of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2025/637 <sup>(4)</sup> amended Article 22 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292 by introducing a derogation from private attestation for the entry into the Union of composite products that do not contain any processed product of animal origin other than gelatine capsules not derived from ruminant bones, it is necessary to amend Article 3(2) of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/630 to align it with Article 22 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292.
- (3) Since the shelf-stable composite products under Combined Nomenclature codes 1904 10, 1904 20, 2001, 2004, 2005, 2008 19, 2008 99, 2103 and 2106 in the form of certain cereal products, such as popcorn, corn sticks and puffs, potato chips and crisps suitable for immediate consumption, prepared or preserved vegetables, fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants containing honey as the only ingredient of animal origin, sauces containing oyster or fish extracts, sauces and preparations therefor, condiments and seasonings containing honey as the only ingredient of animal origin, and sweets, gums and the like containing synthetic sweetening agents instead of sugar pose a low risk to human and animal health, these products should also be exempted from official controls at border control posts.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 95, 7.4.2017, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2017/625/oj>.

<sup>(2)</sup> Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/630 of 16 February 2021 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2017/625 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards certain categories of goods exempted from official controls at border control posts and amending Commission Decision 2007/275/EC (OJ L 132, 19.4.2021, p. 17, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_del/2021/630/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2021/630/oj)).

<sup>(3)</sup> Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292 of 6 September 2022 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2017/625 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to requirements for the entry into the Union of consignments of food-producing animals and certain goods intended for human consumption (OJ L 304, 24.11.2022, p. 1, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_del/2022/2292/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2022/2292/oj)).

<sup>(4)</sup> Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2025/637 of 29 January 2025 amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292 as regards the requirements for the entry into the Union of certain dairy products, certain food additives derived from animals, collagen casings, minced meat, meat preparations, mechanically separated meat and composite products containing gelatine capsules (OJ L, 2025/637, 29.4.2025, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_del/2025/637/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2025/637/oj)).

(4) Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/630 should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/630 is amended as follows:

- (1) in Article 3, paragraph 2 is replaced by the following:
  2. Shelf-stable composite products referred to in paragraph 1, point (a), shall comply with the requirements for private attestation laid down in Article 22 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292.;
- (2) the Annex is replaced by the text set out in the Annex to this Regulation.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the twentieth day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 27 April 2026.

*For the Commission*  
*The President*  
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

‘ANNEX

**List of composite products exempted from official controls at border control posts (Article 3)**

This list sets out composite products, in accordance with the Combined Nomenclature (CN) in use in the Union, that do not need to be submitted for official controls at border control posts.

Notes relating to the table:

**Column (1) – CN code**

This column indicates the CN code. The CN, established by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 <sup>(1)</sup>, is based on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (“Harmonized System (HS)”) drawn up by the Customs Cooperation Council, now the World Customs Organisation, and approved by Council Decision 87/369/EEC <sup>(2)</sup>. The CN reproduces the headings and subheadings of the HS to six digits. The seventh and eighth digits identify further CN subheadings.

Where a four-, six- or eight-digit code not marked with “ex” is used, and unless otherwise specified, all composite products prefixed with or covered by these four, six or eight digits are not required to be submitted for official controls at border control posts.

Where only certain specified composite products under any four-, six- or eight-digit code contain animal products and no specific subdivision under this code exists in the CN, the code is marked “ex”. For example, with respect to “ex 2001 90 65”, checks at border control posts are not required for the products outlined in column (2).

**Column (2) – Explanations**

This column gives details of the composite products covered by the exemption from official controls at border control posts.

CN codes	Explanations
(1)	(2)
1704, ex 1806	Confectionery (including sweets) and white chocolate, not containing cocoa, and confectionery (including sweets), chocolate and other food preparations, spreads, and preparations for making beverages, containing cocoa, that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 1902 19, ex 1902 30, ex 1902 40	Pasta, noodles and couscous that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 1904 10, ex 1904 20, ex 1904 90	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products, prepared foods obtained from unroasted cereal flakes or from mixtures of unroasted cereal flakes and roasted cereal flakes or swelled cereals that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a), (e.g. breakfast cereals, mueslis, granolas, popcorn, corn sticks and puffs). Prepared foods obtained from rice and other cereals that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).

<sup>(1)</sup> Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 of 23 July 1987 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff (OJ L 256, 7.9.1987, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/1987/2658/oj>).

<sup>(2)</sup> Council Decision 87/369/EEC of 7 April 1987 concerning the conclusion of the International Convention on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System and of the Protocol of Amendment thereto (OJ L 198, 20.7.1987, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/1987/369/oj>).

CN codes	Explanations
(1)	(2)
ex 1905 10, ex 1905 20, ex 1905 31, ex 1905 32, ex 1905 40, ex 1905 90	Breads, cakes, prepared pastries, biscuits (including crackers), waffles and wafers, rusks, toasted bread and similar toasted products, and chips and crisps that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 2001, ex 2004, ex 2005, ex 2008 19, ex 2008 99, ex 1604	Olives stuffed with fish, potato chips and crisps suitable for immediate consumption, and prepared or preserved vegetables, fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants containing honey as the only ingredient of animal origin that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
2101	Extracts, essences and concentrates, of coffee, tea or maté and preparations with a basis of these products or with a basis of coffee, tea or maté thereof that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a). Roasted chicory and other roasted coffee substitutes, and extracts, essences and concentrates thereof that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 2103	Miso containing a small amount of fish soup stock and soy sauce containing a small amount of fish soup stock, sauces containing oyster or fish extracts, and sauces and preparations therefor, condiments and seasonings containing honey as the only ingredient of animal origin that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 2104	Soup stocks and flavourings packaged for the final consumer that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 2106	Food supplements packaged for the final consumer, and sweets, gums and the like containing synthetic sweetening agents instead of sugar, containing processed animal products (including glucosamine, chondroitin or chitosan) that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).
ex 2208 70	Liqueurs and cordials that meet the requirements of Article 3(1), point (a).'