

COMMISSION

FORTY-SECOND COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 16 May 1983

amending the Annexes to Council Directive 70/524/EEC concerning additives in feedingstuffs

(83/266/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 70/524/EEC of 23 November 1970 concerning additives in feedingstuffs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by the Forty-first Commission Directive 82/822/EEC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas Directive 70/524/EEC provides for regular amendment of the content of its Annexes to take account of advances in scientific and technical knowledge;

Whereas the use of the coccidiostats 'meticlorpindol/methylbenzoquate' and 'arprino-cide', hitherto authorized at national level, has been widely tested; whereas the experience gained and the studies carried out indicate that the use of these additives may now be authorized under certain conditions throughout the Community;

Whereas new uses for the antibiotic 'virginiamycin', the coccidiostat 'halofuginone' and the colouring agent 'canthaxanthin' have been tested successfully in some Member States; whereas these new uses should be permitted at national level at least, provisionally, until such time as they are permitted at Community level;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Directive are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee for Feedingstuffs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE:

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 270, 14. 12. 1970, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 347, 7. 12. 1982, p. 16.

Article 1

The Annexes to Directive 70/524/EEC are hereby amended as follows:

1. In Part of Annex I 'Coccidiostats and other medicinal substances', the following items are added:

EEC No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content	Maximum content	Other provisions
					ppm of complete feedingstuff		
E 761	Metiolorpindol/methyl-benzoate mixture of 100 parts of (a) and 8,35 parts of (b)	(a) 3,5-dichloro-2,6-dimethyl-4-pyridinol	Chickens for fattening	—	110	110	Use prohibited at least five days before slaughter
		(b) 7-benzyloxy-6,n-butyl-3-methoxy-carbonyl-4-quinolone	Chickens reared for laying	16 weeks	110	110	—
E 762	Arprinocid	9-(2-chloro-6-fluorophenylmethyl)-9H-purine-6-amine	Chickens for fattening	—	60	60	Use prohibited at least five days before slaughter
			Chickens reared for laying	16 weeks	60	60	—

2. In Annex II:

(a) in Part A 'Antibiotics', item No 21 'Virginiamycin' is supplemented as follows:

EEC No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content	Maximum content	Other provisions	Period of authorization
					ppm of complete feedingstuff			
			Laying hens		10	20		30 November 1985

(b) in Part B 'Coccidiostats and other medicinal substances', item No 22 'Halofuginone' is supplemented as follows:

EEC No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content	Maximum content	Other provisions	Period of authorization
					ppm of complete feedingstuff			
			Turkeys	12 weeks	2	3	Use prohibited at least seven days before slaughter	30 November 1983

(c) in Part E 'Colouring matters including pigments', the following item shall be added:

EEC No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content	Maximum content	Other provisions	Period of authorization
					ppm of complete feedingstuff			
2	Canthaxanthin	C ₄₀ H ₅₂ O ₂	Salmon, trout	—		200		30 November 1985

Article 2

Member States shall, not later than 30 November 1983, bring into force the laws, regulations or administrative provisions necessary to comply with Article 1 (1). They shall forthwith inform the Commission thereof.

Article 3

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 16 May 1983.

For the Commission
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