

COMMISSION DECISION**of 9 October 2001****amending Decision 92/452/EEC as regards the lists of embryo collection teams and embryo production teams approved in third countries for export of bovine embryos to the Community***(notified under document number C(2001) 3001)***(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2001/728/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 89/556/EEC of 25 September 1989 on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in and imports from third countries of embryos of domestic animals of the bovine species ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Decision 94/113/EC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 8 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The competent veterinary services of New Zealand have forwarded a request for addition to the list, established by Commission Decision 92/452/EEC ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Decision 2001/638/EC ⁽⁴⁾ of teams officially approved in their territories for the export of embryos of domestic animals of the bovine species to the Community.
- (2) Guarantees regarding compliance with the requirements specified in Article 8 of Directive 89/556/EEC have been received by the Commission.
- (3) Concerning Canada, a team formerly approved only for collection is to be also approved for production on request of the Canadian authorities.
- (4) Decision 92/452/EEC should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (5) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Annex of Decision 92/452/EEC is amended as follows:

1. The following line is added to the lines concerning New Zealand teams:

'NZ		NZET 10		Marshall and Hicks Veterinary Surgeons 71 Main Street PO Box 77 Otautau	Daryl Peter John Marshall'
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2. The lines concerning the Canadian teams No E 933 is replaced by the following:

'CA		E 933	E 933 (FIV)	E.T.E. Inc 3700 boulevard de la Chaudière suite 100 Ste-Foy, Québec G1X 2K5	Dr Louis Picard Dr Marc Dery'
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⁽¹⁾ OJ L 302, 19.10.1989, p. 1.⁽²⁾ OJ L 53, 24.2.1994, p. 23.⁽³⁾ OJ L 250, 29.8.1992, p. 40.⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 223, 18.8.2001, p. 24.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 9 October 2001.

For the Commission

David BYRNE

Member of the Commission
