Commission communication cancelling and replacing Communication No 178/05 of 31 July 2009 on the body authorised to issue certificates of authenticity under Regulation (EC) No 620/2009

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By Council Regulation (EC) No 617/2009 of 13 July 2009, published in the Official Journal of the European Union L 182 of 15 July 2009, an import tariff quota for high quality beef has been opened.

Under Article 7 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 620/2009 of 13 July 2009, the release for free circulation of the goods imported under that quota is conditional upon presentation of a certificate of authenticity.

The following authority is authorised to issue certificates of authenticity under the Regulation.

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