

NOTICES FROM MEMBER STATES

Information communicated by Member States regarding State aid granted under Commission Regulation (EC) No 800/2008 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the common market in application of Articles 87 and 88 of the Treaty (General Block Exemption Regulation)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2009/C 281/07)

Reference number of State Aid	X 192/08
Member State	Italy
Member State reference number	—
Name of the Region (NUTS)	Emilia-Romagna Article 87(3)(c)
Granting authority	Direzione Generale Cultura Formazione Lavoro Viale Aldo Moro 38 40127 Bologna BO ITALIA http://www.regione.emilia-romagna.it
Title of the aid measure	Aiuti destinati alle imprese operanti nel territorio della Regione appartenenti ai settori esposti alla concorrenza internazionale e che sono rivolti alla prima formazione, alla riqualificazione ed aggiornamento dei loro addetti, con particolare riguardo alle fasce deboli
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	Delibera di Giunta regionale n. 1968 del 24.11.2008 (Bollettino Ufficiale della Regione Emilia-Romagna — Parte II — n. 213 del 17 dicembre 2008)
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	http://www.form-azione.it/operatori/regimi_aiuti.htm
Type of measure	Scheme
Amendment of an existing aid measure	—
Duration	24.11.2008-30.6.2014
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid
Type of beneficiary	SME large enterprise
Annual overall amount of the budget planned under the scheme	EUR 6,00 million
For guarantees	—
Aid Instrument (Article 5)	Grant
Reference to the Commission decision	—
If co-financed by Community funds	«Programma Operativo della Regione Emilia-Romagna FSE Obiettivo 2 «Competitività regionale e occupazione» 2007-2013», approvato dalla Commissione Europea con decisione C(2007) 5327 del 26.10.2007 — 7,20 milioni di EUR

Objectives	Maximum aid intensity in % or maximum aid amount in national currency	SME-bonuses in %
Specific training (Article 38(1))	25 %	20 %
General training (Article 38(2))	60 %	20 %

Reference number of State Aid	X 193/08
Member State	France
Member State reference number	—
Name of the Region (NUTS)	France Mixed
Granting authority	Le Ministère de l'agriculture et de la pêche (CASDAR) Les collectivités territoriales qui souhaite Ministère de l'agriculture et de la pêche Direction générale de l'enseignement et de la recherche SESRI, sous-direction de l'innovation 1 ter avenue de Lowendal 75700 Paris 07 SP FRANCE http://agriculture.gouv.fr/sections/thematiques/recherche-developpement
Title of the aid measure	Aides à la recherche et au développement agricole
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	Loi de finances 2005-1719 du 30 décembre 2005 article 52 III, pour 2006, publiée au journal officiel du 31 décembre 2005; articles L 820-1 à 3 du code rural; articles D 821-1 et 15, R-821-13 et 16, R-822-1, L-611-1 et 14 et suivants du code rural; arrêté du 19 octobre 2006 relatif à l'élaboration et à l'évaluation du programme national de développement agricole et rural.
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	http://agriculture.gouv.fr/sections/thematiques/recherche-developpement
Type of measure	Scheme
Amendment of an existing aid measure	Modification N 189/03
Duration	1.1.2009-31.12.2013
Economic sector(s) concerned	Crop and animal production, hunting and related service activities
Type of beneficiary	SME
Annual overall amount of the budget planned under the scheme	EUR 120,00 million
For guarantees	—
Aid Instrument (Article 5)	Grant
Reference to the Commission decision	—
If co-financed by Community funds	—

Objectives	Maximum aid intensity in % or maximum aid amount in national currency	SME-bonuses in %
Aid for research and development in the agricultural and fisheries sectors (Article 34)	100 %	—

Reference number of State Aid	X 1/09	
Member State	United Kingdom	
Member State reference number	—	
Name of the Region (NUTS)	Wales Article 87(3)(a), Article 87(3)(c) Non-assisted areas	
Granting authority	Welsh Assembly Government Plas Glyndwr Kingsway Cardiff CF10 3AH UNITED KINGDOM http://new.wales.gov.uk	
Title of the aid measure	Welsh Assembly Government Support for Training	
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	Learning and Skills Act 2000 (Section 34) http://www.opsi.gov.uk/Acts/acts2000/ukpga_20000021_en_1 Education Act 2002 (Section 14) http://www.opsi.gov.uk/ACTS/acts2002/ukpga_20020032_en_1 Government of Wales Act 2006 (Section 80) http://www.opsi.gov.uk/acts/acts2006/ukpga_20060032_en_1	
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	http://wales.gov.uk/docs/det/report/081217stateaidsupportfortrainingschemei.pdf?lang=en	
Type of measure	Scheme	
Amendment of an existing aid measure	—	
Duration	1.1.2009-31.12.2013	
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid	
Type of beneficiary	SME large enterprise	
Annual overall amount of the budget planned under the scheme	GBP 16,20 million	
For guarantees	—	
Aid Instrument (Article 5)	Loan, Interest rate subsidy, Grant, Repayable advances	
Reference to the Commission decision	—	
If co-financed by Community funds	European Social Fund (ESF) — GBP 38,00 million	
Objectives	Maximum aid intensity in % or maximum aid amount in national currency	SME-bonuses in %
Specific training (Article 38(1))	25 %	20 %
General training (Article 38(2))	60 %	20 %
Reference number of State Aid	X 2/09	
Member State	Austria	
Member State reference number	—	
Name of the Region (NUTS)	Steiermark Mixed	

Granting authority	Steirische Wirtschaftsförderungsgesellschaft m. b. H. (SFG) Nikolaipplatz 2 8020 Graz ÖSTERREICH http://www.sfg.at	
Title of the aid measure	Richtlinie für die steirische Wirtschaftsförderung	
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	Steiermärkisches Wirtschaftsförderungsgesetz 2001 (LGBL. Nr. 14/2002, Novelle LGBL. Nr. 98/2007) Richtlinie für die steirische Wirtschaftsförderung (GZ: A14-10-2/2008-207 vom 22.12.2008)	
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	http://www.sfg.at/downloads/docs/4251_2_207RSA_Beilage_Richtlinie_20081222.pdf	
Type of measure	Scheme	
Amendment of an existing aid measure	—	
Duration	1.1.2009-31.12.2009	
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid	
Type of beneficiary	SME large enterprise	
Annual overall amount of the budget planned under the scheme	EUR 100,00 million	
For guarantees	—	
Aid Instrument (Article 5)	Direct grant	
Reference to the Commission decision	—	
If co-financed by Community funds	Regionale Wettbewerbsfähigkeit Steiermark 2007—2013 (genehmigt von der Europäischen Kommission am 4. Mai 2007 CCI: 2007AT162PO007) — 155,00 EUR (in Mio.)	
Objectives	Maximum aid intensity in % or maximum aid amount in national currency	SME-bonuses in %
Regional investment and employment aid (Article 13) Scheme	15 %	20 %
Aid for newly created small enterprises (Article 14)	100 %	—
SME investment and employment aid (Article 15)	20 %	—
Aid for small enterprises newly created by female entrepreneurs (Article 16)	100 %	—
Investment aid enabling undertakings to go beyond Community standards for environmental protection or increase the level of environmental protection in the absence of Community standards (Article 18)	35 %	20 %
Aid for the acquisition of new transport vehicles which go beyond Community standards or which increase the level of environmental protection in the absence of Community standards (Article 19)	35 %	20 %

Aid for early adaptation to future Community standards for SMEs (Article 20)	15 %	—
Environmental investment aid for energy saving measures (Article 21)	60 %	20 %
Environmental investment aid for high efficiency cogeneration (Article 22)	45 %	20 %
Environmental investment aid for the promotion of energy from renewable energy sources (Article 23)	45 %	20 %
Aid for environmental studies (Article 24)	50 %	20 %
Aid for consultancy in favour of SMEs (Article 26)	50 %	—
Aid for SME participation in fairs (Article 27)	50 %	—
Aid for technical feasibility studies (Article 32)	75 %	—
Aid for industrial property rights costs for SMEs (Article 33)	50 %	—
Aid to young innovative enterprises (Article 35)	EUR 1 250 000	—
Aid for innovation advisory services and for innovation support services (Article 36)	EUR 200 000	—
Aid for the loan of highly qualified personnel (Article 37)	EUR 200 000	—
Specific training (Article 38(1))	25 %	20 %
General training (Article 38(2))	60 %	20 %

Reference number of State Aid	X 3/09
Member State	Italy
Member State reference number	Italy
Name of the Region (NUTS)	Lombardia Article 87(3)(c)
Granting authority	Lombardy region +12 Chambers of Commerce of Lombardy provinces (BG, BS, CR, CO, LC, LO, MN, MI, MB, PV, SO, VA) Regione Lombardia Via Pola 14 20124 Milano MI ITALIA http://www.regione.lombardia.it , http://www.bg.camcom.it , http://www.bs.camcom.it , http://www.cciaa.cremona.it , http://www.co.camcom.it , http://www.lc.camcom.it , http://www.lo.camcom.it , http://www.mn.camcom.it , http://www.mi.camcom.it , http://www.mn.camcom.it , http://www.pv.camcom.it , http://www.so.camcom.it , http://www.va.camcom.it
Title of the aid measure	Micromacro: bando per micro progetti a dimensione regionale e macro progetti su grandi aree geografiche per l'internazionalizzazione delle PMI

National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	BURL N. 51 15.12.2008 (S.O.)	
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	http://www.infopoint.it/pdf/2008/01510.pdf	
Type of measure	Scheme	
Amendment of an existing aid measure	—	
Duration	15.12.2008-15.9.2011	
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid	
Type of beneficiary	SME	
Annual overall amount of the budget planned under the scheme	EUR 3,50 million	
For guarantees	—	
Aid Instrument (Article 5)	Direct grant	
Reference to the Commission decision	—	
If co-financed by Community funds	—	
Objectives	Maximum aid intensity in % or maximum aid amount in national currency	SME-bonuses in %
Aid for consultancy in favour of SMEs (Article 26)	50 %	—
Aid for SME participation in fairs (Article 27)	50 %	—