

Defendant: European Commission (represented by: B. Eggers, I. Galindo Martín and B. Rous Demiri, acting as Agents)

Intervener in support of the defendant: Republic of Croatia (represented by: G. Vidović Mesarek, acting as Agent, and by I. Ćuk, lawyer)

Re:

Application under Article 263 TFEU for annulment of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/1353 of 19 May 2017 amending Regulation (EC) No 607/2009 as regards the wine grape varieties and their synonyms that may appear on wine labels (OJ 2017 L 190, p. 5).

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

1. Dismisses the application;
2. Orders the Republic of Slovenia to pay, in addition to its own costs, those incurred by the European Commission;
3. Orders the Republic of Croatia to bear its own costs.

(¹) OJ C 392, 20.11.2017.

Judgment of the General Court of 9 September 2020 — Kerkosand v Commission

(Case T-745/17) (¹)

(State aid — Aid for an investment project in western Slovakia — Regional investment aid — Rejection of a complaint — Decision not to raise any objections — Conditions for exemption — Article 14 of Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 — Scope of the Commission's supervisory power — Guidelines on regional State aid for 2014-2020 — Concept of SME — Article 3(2) and (3) of Annex I to Regulation No 651/2014 — Data used for the staff headcount and the financial amounts and reference period — Article 4 of Annex I to Regulation No 651/2014 — Doubts as to the compatibility of the aid with the internal market — Article 4(4) of Regulation (EU) 2015/1589 — Serious difficulties)

(2020/C 378/30)

Language of the case: German

Parties

Applicant: Kerkosand spol. s r. o. (Šajdíkove Humence, Slovakia) (represented by: A. Rosenfeld and C. Holtmann, lawyers)

Defendant: European Commission (represented by: K. Blanck and A. Bouchagiar, acting as Agents)

Re:

Application pursuant to Article 263 TFEU seeking annulment of Commission Decision C(2017) 5050 final of 20 July 2017 concerning investment aid to the Slovak glass sand producer NAJPI a. s. (SA.38121 (2016/FC) — Slovakia) (JO 2017, C 336, p. 1).

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

1. Annuls Commission Decision C(2017) 5050 final of 20 July 2017 concerning investment aid to the Slovak glass sand producer NAJPI a. s. (SA.38121 (2016/FC) — Slovakia);

2. Orders the European Commission to pay the costs.

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 42, 5.2.2018.

Judgment of the General Court of 9 September 2020 — Société générale v ECB

(Case T-143/18) ⁽¹⁾

(Economic and monetary policy — Prudential supervision of credit institutions — Contribution to the deposit guarantee system or to the single resolution fund by means of irrevocable payment commitments — Tasks entrusted to the ECB — Specific supervision powers of the ECB — Article 4(1)(f) and Article 16(1)(c) and (2)(d) of Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013 — Measure requiring the deduction of the cumulative amount of irrevocable payment commitments outstanding from Tier 1 capital — Absence of individual examination)

(2020/C 378/31)

Language of the case: French

Parties

Applicant: Société générale (Paris, France) (represented by: A. Gosset-Grainville, M. Trabucchi and M. Dalon, lawyers)

Defendant: European Central Bank (ECB) (represented by: E. Koupepidou, R. Bax and F. Bonnard, acting as Agents)

Re:

Application based on Article 263 TFEU for partial annulment, first, of ECB Decision ECB/SSM/2017-O2R-NE8IBXP4R0TD8PU41/174 of 19 December 2017, and, second, of ECB Decision ECB-SSM-2019-FRSOG-10 of 14 February 2019.

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

1. Annuls paragraph 5 of Decision ECB/SSM/2017-O2RNE8IBXP4R0TD8PU41/174 of the European Central Bank (ECB) of 19 December 2017 and Article 3 of Annex A thereto and paragraph 5 of Decision ECB-SSM-2019-FRSOG-10 of the ECB of 14 February 2019 and Article 3 of the annex thereto to the extent that Société générale is concerned;
2. Orders the ECB is ordered to pay the costs.

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 161, 7.5.2018.

Judgment of the General Court of 9 September 2020 — BNP Paribas v ECB

(Cases T-150/18 and T-345/18) ⁽¹⁾

(Economic and monetary policy — Prudential supervision of credit institutions — Contribution to the deposit guarantee scheme or to the single resolution fund by way of irrevocable payment commitments — Tasks conferred on the ECB — ECB's specific supervision powers — Article 4(1)(f), Article 16(1)(c) and Article 16(2)(d) of Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013 — Measure imposing the deduction of the cumulative sum of outstanding irrevocable payment commitments from Common Equity Tier 1 — Absence of individual examination)

(2020/C 378/32)

Language of the case: French

Parties

Applicant: BNP Paribas (Paris, France) (represented by: A. Gosset-Grainville, M. Trabucchi and M. Dalon, lawyers)