

Authorisation for State aid pursuant to Articles 87 and 88 of the EC Treaty

Cases where the Commission raises no objections

(2000/C 278/05)

(Text with EEA relevance)

Date of adoption of the decision: 16.5.2000

Member State: Germany (Saxony)

Aid No: N 35/2000

Title: State aid in favour of Sächsische Faserwerke Pirna AG

Objective:

Realisation of a large investment under the multisectoral framework on regional aid for the installation of a new production line for bleached chemo-thermo-mechanical pulp

Manufacturing industry, sub-sector: pulp production, NACE 21.11

Legal basis:

— Regionalbeihilferegelung, 27. Rahmenplan der Gemeinschaftsaufgabe „Verbesserung der regionalen Wirtschaftsstruktur“

— Investitionszulagengesetz 1999

Aid intensity or amount: EUR 93 055 122 which amounts to an aid intensity of 35 % gross grant equivalent

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http://europa.eu.int/comm/sg/sgb/state_aids

Date of adoption of the decision: 21.6.2000

Member State: Finland

Aid No: N 204/2000

Title: Subsidy for the promotion of fisheries products

Objective: To provide aid for promoting fishery and aquaculture products by increasing the knowledge of the nutritional importance of fish

Legal basis: Laki valtion tulo- ja menoarviosta (423/1988)

Lag om statsbudgeten 423/1988

Budget: EUR 0,25 million yearly

Aid intensity or amount: Maximum EUR 0,25 million yearly

Duration: The scheme covers the period of the structural planning 2000-2006

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Date of adoption of the decision: 28.6.2000

Member State: Germany (Sachsen-Anhalt)

Aid No: N 17/2000

Title: Aid in favour of ORWO Media GmbH, Sachsen-Anhalt

Objective: Restructuring

Legal basis:

— Ad hoc

— Investitionszulagegesetz 1999

— 27. Rahmenplan der Gemeinschaftsaufgabe zur Verbesserung der Wirtschaftsstruktur

Budget: DEM 11,7 million (EUR 6 million)

Aid intensity or amount: 100 %

Duration: 2000-2004

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Date of adoption of the decision: 12.7.2000

Member State: Italy

Aid No: N 715/99

Title: Measures to promote investment in less-favoured regions

Objective: Development of the industrial fabric in less-favoured regions

Legal basis: Legge 19.12.1992 n. 448; legge 27.12.1997, n. 449 art. 9; legge 23.12.1998, n. 448 art. 54.2; delibere CIPE 27.4.1995 e 18.12.1996; DM del ministero dell'Industria, del Commercio e dell'Artigianato del 20.10.1995, n. 527 modificato dal DM del 31.7.1997, n. 319; DM del 20.7.1998; circolari esplicative del ministero dell'Industria del Commercio e dell'Artigianato n. 234363 del 20.11.1997 e n. 1039080 del 19.3.1999; DM del 22.7.1999 art. 1.2.a); bozza del decreto ministeriale, d'intesa con la Conferenza Stato Regioni, recante modifiche ed integrazioni alla delibera CIPE del 18.12.1996

Budget: ITL 35 000 billion (approximately EUR 18 billion)

Aid intensity or amount:

Regions eligible for Article 87(3)(a) derogation (maximum percentage):

- Calabria: 50 % nge
- Basilicata: 35 % nge
- Campania: 35 % nge
- Apulia: 35 % nge
- Sardinia: 35 % nge
- Sicily: 35 % nge

All the above aid intensity ceilings are raised by 15 percentage points gross for small and medium-sized firms

Regions eligible for Article 87(3)(c) derogation:

- the maximum aid intensities specified by the regional aid map to be approved by the Commission

Areas eligible under the Structural Funds for the period 2000-2006:

- maximum 7,5 % gross for medium-sized firms and 15 % gross for small firms

Duration: Until 31 December 2006

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Date of adoption of the decision: 19.7.2000

Member State: Luxembourg

Aid No: N 793/B/99

Title: Regional aid scheme to promote economic development in certain regions

Objective: Regional development in less-favoured regions

Legal basis: Projet de loi ayant pour objet le développement économique de certaines régions du pays et projet de règlement grand-ducal portant exécution du projet de loi

Budget: Approximately EUR 182,5 million

Aid intensity or amount: Maximum intensity of 10 % nge specified by the regional aid map. It is increased by 10 percentage points gross in the case of SMEs

Duration: Until 31 December 2006

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Date of adoption of the decision: 26.7.2000

Member State: Germany (Berlin)

Aid No: N 54/2000

Title: Building lease programme in the *Land* of Berlin

Objective: Regional development

Legal basis: Senatsbeschluss 4323/94 und Beschluss des Abgeordnetenhauses von Berlin vom 23.6.1994

Aid intensity or amount: 5 % nge

Duration: 2000-2003

Other information: Yearly report

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