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⁽¹⁾ Text with EEA relevance

I

(Acts adopted under the EC Treaty/Euratom Treaty whose publication is obligatory)

REGULATIONS

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 804/2008**of 11 August 2008****establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (Single CMO Regulation) ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 of 21 December 2007 laying down implementing rules for Council Regulations (EC) No 2200/96, (EC) No 2201/96 and (EC) No 1182/2007 in the fruit and vegetable sector ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 138(1) thereof,

Whereas:

Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 lays down, pursuant to the outcome of the Uruguay Round multilateral trade negotiations, the criteria whereby the Commission fixes the standard values for imports from third countries, in respect of the products and periods stipulated in Annex XV, Part A thereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The standard import values referred to in Article 138 of Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 are fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 August 2008.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 11 August 2008.

For the Commission

Jean-Luc DEMARTY

*Director-General for Agriculture and
Rural Development*

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 299, 16.11.2007, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 510/2008 (OJ L 149, 7.6.2008, p. 61).

⁽²⁾ OJ L 350, 31.12.2007, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 590/2008 (OJ L 163, 24.6.2008, p. 24).

ANNEX

Standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

(EUR/100 kg)

CN code	Third country code (1)	Standard import value
0702 00 00	MK	30,9
	XS	27,8
	ZZ	29,4
0707 00 05	TR	73,1
	ZZ	73,1
0709 90 70	TR	93,9
	ZZ	93,9
0805 50 10	AR	78,6
	CL	63,1
	UY	68,3
	ZA	84,5
	ZZ	73,6
0806 10 10	CL	82,1
	EG	150,3
	IL	157,1
	MK	68,7
	TR	114,1
	ZZ	114,5
0808 10 80	AR	79,7
	BR	82,5
	CL	92,4
	CN	80,2
	NZ	108,4
	US	97,2
	UY	148,0
	ZA	87,2
	ZZ	97,0
0808 20 50	AR	74,5
	CL	78,0
	TR	144,1
	ZA	96,8
	ZZ	98,4
0809 30	TR	136,1
	ZZ	136,1
0809 40 05	BA	66,2
	IL	136,8
	MK	59,0
	TR	101,9
	XS	62,1
	ZZ	85,2

(1) Nomenclature of countries laid down by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1833/2006 (OJ L 354, 14.12.2006, p. 19). Code 'ZZ' stands for 'of other origin'.

II

(Acts adopted under the EC Treaty/Euratom Treaty whose publication is not obligatory)

DECISIONS

COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 24 July 2008

appointing a German member and a German alternate member of the Committee of the Regions

(2008/657/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 263 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal of the German Government,

Whereas:

(1) On 24 January 2006, the Council adopted Decision 2006/116/EC appointing the members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions for the period from 26 January 2006 to 25 January 2010 ⁽¹⁾.

(2) A member's seat on the Committee of the Regions has become vacant following the resignation of Mr Gerold WUCHERPFENNIG. An alternate member's seat becomes vacant following the appointment of Mr Klaus ZEH as a member of the Committee of the Regions,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following are hereby appointed to the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2010:

(a) as member:

— Mr Klaus ZEH, Minister für Bundes- und Europaangelegenheiten und Chef der Staatskanzlei, Mitglied des Thüringer Landtags (change of mandate), and

(b) as alternate member:

— Mr Fritz SCHRÖTER, Mitglied des Thüringer Landtags.

Article 2

This Decision shall take effect on the date of its adoption.

Done at Brussels, 24 July 2008.

For the Council

The President

B. HORTEFEUX

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 25.2.2006, p. 75.

COUNCIL DECISION
of 24 July 2008
appointing two Italian alternate members of the Committee of the Regions
(2008/658/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 263 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Italian Government,

Whereas:

- (1) On 24 January 2006, the Council adopted Decision 2006/116/EC appointing the members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions for the period from 26 January 2006 to 25 January 2010 ⁽¹⁾.
- (2) One alternate member's seat on the Committee of the Regions has become vacant following the expiry of the mandate of Mr Roberto COSOLINI. One alternate member's seat becomes vacant following the change of mandate of Mr Franco IACOP,

Article 1

The following are hereby appointed to the Committee of the Regions as alternate members for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2010:

- Mr Renzo TONDO, Presidente della Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia,
- Mr Franco IACOP, Consigliere della Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia (change of mandate).

Article 2

This Decision shall take effect on the date of its adoption.

Done at Brussels, 24 July 2008.

For the Council
The President
B. HORTEFEUX

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 25.2.2006, p. 75.

COUNCIL DECISION
of 24 July 2008
appointing a Spanish alternate member to the Committee of the Regions
(2008/659/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 263 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Spanish Government,

Whereas:

- (1) On 24 January 2006, the Council adopted Decision 2006/116/EC appointing the members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions for the period from 26 January 2006 to 25 January 2010 ⁽¹⁾.
- (2) A seat as an alternate member of the Committee of the Regions has become vacant following the death of Mr José Félix GARCÍA CALLEJA,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Mr Alberto GARCÍA CERVIÑO, Director General de Asuntos Europeos y Cooperación al Desarrollo, is hereby appointed an alternate member of the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2010.

Article 2

This Decision shall take effect on the date of its adoption.

Done at Brussels, 24 July 2008.

For the Council
The President
B. HORTEFEUX

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 25.2.2006, p. 75.

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 31 July 2008

amending Decision 2006/236/EC on special conditions governing fishery products imported from Indonesia and intended for human consumption

(notified under document number C(2008) 3988)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2008/660/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 97/78/EC of 18 December 1997 laying down the principles governing the organisation of veterinary checks on products entering the Community from third countries ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 22(6) thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28 January 2002 laying down the general principles and requirements of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 53(1)(b) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Decision 2006/236/EC of 21 March 2006 on special conditions governing fishery products imported from Indonesia and intended for human consumption ⁽³⁾ was adopted as the results of Community inspection visits to Indonesia revealed serious shortcomings as regards hygiene in the handling of fishery products in that third country. Those inspections also revealed serious shortcomings in the capacity of the Indonesian authorities to carry out reliable checks on fish, in particular to detect the presence of histamine and heavy metals in the relevant species.
- (2) Decision 2006/236/EC provides that Member States are to ensure that each consignment of fishery products imported from Indonesia undergoes the necessary tests to make sure that the products do not exceed certain

maximum levels for heavy metals and that, in the case of certain species, a test to detect the presence of histamine must be carried out.

- (3) Decision 2006/236/EC also provides that that Decision is to be reviewed on the basis of the guarantees provided by the competent Indonesian authorities and on the basis of the results of the tests carried out by the Member States.
- (4) Indonesia has now provided the Commission with the appropriate guarantees. In addition, the results of the tests carried out by the Member States on fishery products imported from that third country are favourable as regards heavy metals in aquaculture products and as regards histamine. It is therefore no longer necessary to test each consignment of fishery products of relevant species for histamine and each consignment of aquaculture products for heavy metals.
- (5) In Article 2 of Decision 2006/236/EC, reference is made to Commission Regulation (EC) No 466/2001 of 8 March 2001 setting maximum levels for certain contaminants in foodstuffs ⁽⁴⁾. That Regulation has been repealed and replaced by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1881/2006 of 19 December 2006 setting maximum levels for certain contaminants in foodstuffs ⁽⁵⁾. It is therefore appropriate to amend that reference.
- (6) Decision 2006/236/EC should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (7) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health,

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 24, 30.1.1998, p. 9. Directive as last amended by Directive 2006/104/EC (OJ L 363, 20.12.2006, p. 352).

⁽²⁾ OJ L 31, 1.2.2002, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 202/2008 (OJ L 60, 5.3.2008, p. 17).

⁽³⁾ OJ L 83, 22.3.2006, p. 16.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 77, 16.3.2001, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 364, 20.12.2006, p. 5. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 629/2008 (OJ L 173, 3.7.2008, p. 6).

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision 2006/236/EC is amended as follows:

1. Article 1 is replaced by the following:

'Article 1

Scope

This Decision shall apply to fishery products imported from Indonesia and intended for human consumption.

However, it shall not apply to aquaculture products.'

2. Article 2(1) is replaced by the following:

'1. Member States shall, using appropriate sampling plans and detection methods, ensure that each consignment of

products covered by Article 1 undergoes necessary tests to make sure that the products concerned do not exceed the maximum levels laid down in Commission Regulation (EC) No 1881/2006 (*) for heavy metals.

(*) OJ L 364, 20.12.2006, p. 5.'

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 31 July 2008.

For the Commission

Androulla VASSILIOU

Member of the Commission

COMMISSION DECISION**of 1 August 2008****amending Decision 2007/182/EC on a survey for chronic wasting disease in cervids***(notified under document number C(2008) 3986)***(Text with EEA relevance)****(2008/661/EC)**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2001 laying down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 6(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 lays down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of transmissible encephalopathies (TSEs) in animals.
- (2) Chronic wasting disease is a TSE affecting cervids, which is widespread in North America but which, to date, has never been reported in the Community.
- (3) Commission Decision 2007/182/EC of 19 March 2007 on a survey for chronic wasting disease in cervids ⁽²⁾ was adopted following an opinion published by the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) recommending that a targeted surveillance of cervids should be undertaken in the Community.
- (4) Decision 2007/182/EC lays down rules for a survey to detect the presence of chronic wasting disease in cervids to be carried out in accordance with certain minimum requirements. It provides that Member States are to complete their survey by no later than the end of the 2007 hunting season.
- (5) Based on the preliminary annual reports that the Commission has received to date from the Member States pursuant to Decision 2007/182/EC, it appears that certain Member States have not had sufficient time to achieve their target numbers of samples as required by that Decision.

(6) In order to allow a statistically robust assessment of the survey data by the EFSA, it is necessary that the Member States concerned are allowed more time to reach the targets set out in Decision 2007/182/EC. It is therefore appropriate to prolong the date for completion of the survey by an additional one-year period.

(7) Decision 2007/182/EC should therefore be amended accordingly.

(8) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision 2007/182/EC is amended as follows:

1. in Article 3(2) the year '2007' is replaced by '2008';
2. in point 2 of Annex IV the following paragraph is added:

'The 2008 report shall include the results of the 2008 hunting season, even when some samples will have been taken in 2009.'

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1 August 2008.

For the Commission
Androulla VASSILIOU
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 147, 31.5.2001, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 571/2008 (OJ L 161, 20.6.2008, p. 4).

⁽²⁾ OJ L 84, 24.3.2007, p. 37.

COMMISSION DECISION
of 1 August 2008
amending Decision 2007/27/EC as regards the extension of its period of application

(notified under document number C(2008) 3995)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2008/662/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to the Treaty of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania, and in particular Article 42 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Decision 2007/27/EC of 22 December 2006 adopting certain transitional measures concerning deliveries of raw milk to processing establishments and the processing of this raw milk in Romania with regard to the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 and (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽¹⁾ sets out lists of milk processing establishments in Romania that comply with the structural requirements laid down in Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 (compliant establishments) and are authorised to receive and process raw milk which is not in compliance with Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 (non-compliant milk). That Decision expires on 30 June 2008.
- (2) In Romania the proportion of raw milk that complies with the hygiene requirements laid down in Regulation (EC) No 853/2004, which is delivered to compliant

establishments has increased. However, part of the raw cow milk collected in Romania is still non-compliant milk. It is therefore appropriate to prolong the validity of Decision 2007/27/EC.

- (3) Decision 2007/27/EC should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (4) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

In the second paragraph of Article 7 of Decision 2007/27/EC, the date '30 June 2008' is replaced by '31 December 2009'.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1 August 2008.

For the Commission
Androulla VASSILIOU
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 8, 13.1.2007, p. 45. Decision as last amended by Decision 2008/452/EC (OJ L 158, 18.6.2008, p. 58).

COMMISSION DECISION

of 8 August 2008

amending Decision 2007/27/EC adopting certain transitional measures concerning deliveries of raw milk to processing establishments and the processing of this raw milk in Romania with regard to the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 and (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council

(notified under document number C(2008) 4215)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2008/663/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to the Treaty of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania, and in particular Article 42 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Decision 2007/27/EC ⁽¹⁾ sets out lists of milk processing establishments in Romania that comply with the structural requirements laid down in Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽²⁾ (compliant establishments) and are authorized to receive and process raw milk which is not in compliance with Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽³⁾ (non-compliant milk).
- (2) Chapter I of the Annex to Decision 2007/27/EC lists compliant establishments authorised to receive and process without separation compliant and non-compliant milk while Chapter II of that Annex lists compliant establishments authorised to receive and process separately compliant and non-compliant milk.
- (3) Decision 2007/27/EC has been amended by Commission Decisions 2007/557/EC ⁽⁴⁾ and 2008/452/EC.
- (4) One establishment listed in Chapter I of the Annex to Decision 2007/27/EC has chosen to process only

compliant raw milk. That establishment should therefore be deleted from the list in Chapter I of that Annex.

- (5) Furthermore, certain milk processing establishments are now in compliance with Community legislation. Those establishments process compliant and non-compliant milk without separation and should be added to the list in Chapter I of the Annex to Decision 2007/27/EC.
- (6) Chapter I of the Annex to Decision 2007/27/EC should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (7) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Chapter I of the Annex to Decision 2007/27/EC is amended in accordance with the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 8 August 2008.

For the Commission

Androulla VASSILIOU

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 8, 13.1.2007, p. 45. Decision as last amended by Decision 2008/452/EC (OJ L 158, 18.6.2008, p. 58).

⁽²⁾ OJ L 139, 30.4.2004, p. 1, as corrected by OJ L 226, 25.6.2004, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 139, 30.4.2004, p. 55, as corrected by OJ L 226, 25.6.2004, p. 22.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 212, 14.8.2007, p. 15.

ANNEX

Chapter I of the Annex to Decision 2007/27/EC is amended as follows:

1. The following establishment is deleted:

'31	L2	SC Ilvas SA	Vaslui, Jud. Vaslui, 730007'
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2. The following establishments are added:

'35	L17	SC Albalact SA	Oiejdea, Jud. Alba, 517293
36	L2	SC Lactomuntean SRL	Teaca, Jud. Bistrita Nasaud, 427345
37	L3	SC Aby Impex SRL	Sendriceni, Jud. Botosani, 717380
38	L73	SC Eurocheese Productie SRL	Bucuresti, 030608
39	L97	SC Terra Valahica SRL	Berca, Jud. Buzau, 127035
40	L84	SC Picolact Prodcum SRL	Iclod, Jud. Cluj, 407335
41	L82	SC Totallact Group SA	Dragodana, Jud. Dambovita, 137200
42	L86	SC Zea SRL	Boiu Mare, Jud. Maramures, 437060
43	L16	SC Roxar Prod Com SRL	Cernesti, Jud. Maramures, 437085
44	L88	SC Agromec Crasna SA	Crasna, Jud. Salaj, 457085
45	L89	SC Ovinex SRL	Sarmasag, Jud. Salaj, 457330
46	L71	SC Lacto Sibiana SA	Sura Mica, Jud. Sibiu, 557270
47	L83	SC Bălăceana Prod SRL	Balaceana, Jud. Suceava, 727125
48	L5	SC Niro Com Serv SRL	Gura Humorului, Jud. Suceava, 725300
49	L80	SC Industrial Marian SRL	Drănceni, Jud. Vaslui, 737220'