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(Non-legislative acts)

REGULATIONS

COMMISSION DELEGATED REGULATION (EU) 2021/1017

of 15 April 2021

amending Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Annexes II and III to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 on support for rural development by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 1698/2005 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 58(7) thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 establishing rules for direct payment to farmers under support schemes within the framework of the common agricultural policy and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 637/2008 and Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 6(3) and 7(3) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) In accordance with Article 11(1) of Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013, Member States are to reduce the amount of direct payments to be granted to a farmer for a given calendar year, pursuant to Chapter 1 of Title III of that Regulation, by at least 5 % for the part of the amount exceeding EUR 150 000. In accordance with Article 7(2) of that Regulation, the estimated product of that reduction is to be made available as additional support for measures under rural development.
- (2) In accordance with Article 11(6), fourth subparagraph, of Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013, the Member States notified the Commission by 19 February 2021 of their decision with regard to the reduction of the amount of direct payments and the resulting estimated product of reduction for calendar year 2021. The notifications of Bulgaria, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, Italy, Latvia, Hungary, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia and Finland indicated an estimate bigger than zero.
- (3) In accordance with Article 14(1), seventh subparagraph, of Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013, Czechia, Denmark, Germany, Greece, France, Latvia and the Netherlands notified the Commission of their decision to make available as additional support financed under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) in financial year 2022 a certain percentage of their annual national ceilings for calendar year 2021.
- (4) In accordance with Article 14(2), seventh subparagraph, of Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013, Croatia, Luxembourg, Hungary, Malta, Poland, Portugal and Slovakia notified the Commission of their decision to make available as direct payments for calendar year 2021 a certain amount of their 2022 EAFRD allocation.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 487.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 608.

- (5) It is therefore necessary to adapt Annexes II and III to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 so that the annual national ceilings and the annual net ceilings for direct payments reflect the decisions taken by Bulgaria, Czechia, Denmark, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Croatia, Italy, Latvia, Luxembourg, Hungary, Malta, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia and Finland. It is also necessary to adapt Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 so that the annual breakdown by Member State of the Union support for rural development equally reflects those decisions.
- (6) Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 and Annexes II and III to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (7) As the amendments made by this Regulation to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 affect the application of that Regulation for the year 2021, in particular as regards the timely establishment of budgetary ceilings applicable to certain direct support schemes, this Regulation should enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union* and those amendments should apply from 1 January 2021,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 is amended in accordance with Annex I to this Regulation.

Article 2

Annexes II and III to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 are amended in accordance with Annex II to this Regulation.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Article 2 shall apply from 1 January 2021.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 April 2021.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX I

In Part Two of Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013, the column for 2022 is replaced by the following:

	'2022
Belgium	82 800 894
Bulgaria	284 028 644
Czechia	267 027 708
Denmark	136 972 060
Germany	1 387 301 738
Estonia	88 031 648
Ireland	311 641 628
Greece	651 537 600
Spain	1 081 564 825
France	2 008 001 070
Croatia	276 679 401
Italy	1 355 921 375
Cyprus	23 770 514
Latvia	142 745 173
Lithuania	195 495 162
Luxembourg	11 626 644
Hungary	384 539 149
Malta	19 334 497
Netherlands	129 378 369
Austria	520 024 752
Poland	1 004 725 539
Portugal	455 640 620
Romania	967 049 892
Slovenia	110 170 192
Slovakia	234 975 909
Finland	354 551 956
Sweden	211 889 741
Total EU-27	12 697 426 700
Technical assistance	30 272 220
Total	12 727 698 920'

ANNEX II

Annexes II and III to Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013 are amended as follows:

(1) in Annex II, the column for calendar year 2021 is replaced by the following:

Calendar year	'2021
Belgium	494 926
Bulgaria	788 626
Czechia	848 107
Denmark	802 001
Germany	4 620 753
Estonia	190 715
Ireland	1 186 282
Greece	1 797 077
Spain	4 800 590
France	6 736 440
Croatia	364 968
Italy	3 628 529
Cyprus	47 648
Latvia	314 055
Lithuania	569 965
Luxembourg	33 432
Hungary	1 305 715
Malta	5 244
Netherlands	661 382
Austria	677 582
Poland	3 360 049
Portugal	680 873
Romania	1 891 805
Slovenia	131 530
Slovakia	417 082
Finland	515 713
Sweden	685 676'

(2) in Annex III, the column for calendar year 2021 is replaced by the following:

Calendar year	'2021
Belgium	494,9
Bulgaria	789,3
Czechia	847,1
Denmark	801,3
Germany	4 620,8

Estonia	190,7
Ireland	1 186,3
Greece	1 981,1
Spain	4 859,1
France	6 736,4
Croatia	365,0
Italy	3 622,5
Cyprus	47,6
Latvia	313,8
Lithuania	570,0
Luxembourg	33,4
Hungary	1 275,5
Malta	5,2
Netherlands	661,3
Austria	677,6
Poland	3 345,3
Portugal	681,0
Romania	1 891,8
Slovenia	131,5
Slovakia	415,3
Finland	515,7
Sweden	685,7'