

## COMMISSION DECISION

of 1 March 1983

approving the extended plan for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis presented  
by the Hellenic Republic

(Only the Greek text is authentic)

(83/103/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European  
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 77/391/EEC of 17  
May 1977 introducing Community measures for the  
eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and leucosis in  
cattle <sup>(1)</sup>, as amended by Directive 82/400/EEC <sup>(2)</sup>, and  
in particular Article 9 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Directive 78/52/EEC of 13  
December 1977 establishing the Community criteria  
for national plans for the accelerated eradication of  
brucellosis, tuberculosis and enzootic leucosis in  
cattle <sup>(3)</sup>, and in particular Chapter III thereof,

Having regard to Commission Decision 81/325/EEC  
of 24 April 1981 approving the plans for the acce-  
lerated eradication of bovine tuberculosis put forward by  
Greece <sup>(4)</sup>,

Having regard to Council Directive 82/400/EEC of 14  
June 1982 introducing a supplementary Community  
measure for the eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis  
and leucosis in cattle,

Whereas by letter dated 2 November 1982 the  
Hellenic Republic has notified the Commission of an  
extended plan to eradicate bovine tuberculosis;

Whereas, after examination and taking into account  
the success of the initial plan, the extended plan was  
found to comply with Directives 77/391/EEC,  
78/52/EEC and 82/400/EEC;

Whereas the extended plan ensures continuity with  
the measures put in hand under the initial plan;

whereas the initial plan expired on 31 December  
1982;

Whereas, consequently, the conditions for financial  
participation by the Community have been met;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision  
are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing  
Veterinary Committee;

Whereas the Fund Committee has been consulted,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The extended plan for the eradication of bovine tuber-  
culosis as presented by the Hellenic Republic is  
hereby approved.

*Article 2*

Financial participation by the Community shall be in  
respect of eligible expenditure on account of slaugh-  
terings taking place on or after 1 January 1983.

*Article 3*

This Decision is addressed to the Hellenic Republic.

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1983.

*For the Commission*

Poul DALSA GER

*Member of the Commission*

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 145, 13. 6. 1977, p. 44.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 173, 19. 6. 1982, p. 18.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ No L 15, 19. 1. 1978, p. 34.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ No L 129, 15. 5. 1981, p. 67.