

**COMMISSION DECISION**

of 20 December 1989

**amending Decision 85/446/EEC concerning the on-the-spot inspections to be carried out in respect of the intra-Community trade in fresh meat**

(90/11/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 64/433/EEC of 26 June 1964 on health problems affecting intra-Community trade in fresh meat<sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Directive 88/657/EEC<sup>(2)</sup> and in particular Article 9 thereof,Whereas the general provisions laying down the conditions for implementing the on-the-spot checks to be carried out in respect of the intra-Community trade in fresh meat have been established by Commission Decision 85/446/EEC<sup>(3)</sup>, as last amended by Decision 89/136/EEC<sup>(4)</sup>;

Whereas the provisions concerning routine on-the-spot checks provided for in Chapter II of that Decision was only applied until 31 December 1989; whereas those provisions have proved to be necessary for the right implementation of Directive 64/433/EEC and they should therefore be on a permanent basis;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

Article 11 of Decision 85/446/EEC is hereby repealed.

*Article 2*

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 20 December 1989.

*For the Commission*

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