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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 96/23/EC of 29 April 1996 on measures to monitor certain substances and residues thereof in live animals and animal products and repealing Directives 85/358/EEC and 86/469/EEC and Decisions 89/187/EEC and 91/664/EEC<sup>(1)</sup>, and in particular Article 14(1) thereof,

Whereas Article 14(1) of Directive 96/23/EC stipulates that at least one national reference laboratory is to be designated in each Member State for the detection of certain substances and residues so that each residue or group of residues is not assigned to more than one national reference laboratory; whereas in this connection, until 31 December 2000 the Member States may continue to entrust testing for the same residue or residue group to several national laboratories which they designated prior to the date of adoption of that Directive;

Whereas Article 14(1) of Directive 96/23/EC lays down the tasks of such national reference laboratories for the detection of residues and provides that the Commission is to draw up the list of such national reference laboratories;

Whereas the Annex to this Decision must be reviewed by 31 December 2000 at the latest;

Whereas, for reasons of legal clarity, certain provisions of Commission Decision 93/257/EEC of 15 April 1993 laying down the reference methods and the list of national reference laboratories for detecting residues<sup>(2)</sup> should be repealed;

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*

The national reference laboratories for the detection of residues designated pursuant to Article 14 of Directive 96/23/EC shall be as listed in the Annex hereto.

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*Article 2*

Article 4 of Decision 93/257/EEC and the Annex thereto are hereby repealed.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall be reviewed by 31 December 2000 at the latest.

*Article 4*

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

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## I<sup>F1</sup> ANNEX

### NATIONAL REFERENCE LABORATORIES

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Substituted by Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/1365 of 9 August 2016 amending Decision 98/536/EC as regards the list of national reference laboratories (notified under document C(2016) 5053) (Text with EEA relevance).

Member State	Reference laboratories	Groups of residues
Belgium	Association momentanée ILVO-CER ILVO (Eenheid Technologie en Voeding) — CER Groupe (Département Santé) ILVO (Eenheid Technologie en Voeding) Brusselsesteenweg 370 9090 MELLE CER (Département Santé) Rue du Point du Jour 8 6900 MARLOIE	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2d, B2e, B2f, B3e
	Wetenschappelijk Instituut Volksgezondheid/Institut scientifique de la Santé Publique Rue J. Wytsman/J. Wytsmanstraat 14 1050 Brussel/Bruxelles	B2c, B3a (organochlorine pesticides), B3b
	Centre of Analytical Research and Technology (CART), Université de Liège Allée de la Chimie 3, B6C (Sart-Tilman) 4000 Liège	B3a (NDL-PCB)
	Centre of Analytical Research and Technology (CART), Université de Liège Allee de la Chimie 3, B6C (Sart-Tilman) 4000 Liège Federaal Laboratorium voor de Veiligheid van de Voedselketen — FLVVT/ Laboratoire fédérale pour la Sécurité de la Chaîne alimentaire — FLVVT Leuvensesteenweg 17 3080 Tervuren	B3a (dioxins and DL-PCB)

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	Centrum voor Onderzoek in Diergeneeskunde en Agrochemie (CODA)/ Centre d'Étude et de Recherches Vétérinaires et Agrochimiques (CERVA) Leuvensesteenweg 17 3080 Tervuren	B3c, B3d
Bulgaria	Централна лаборатория по ветеринарно-санитарна експертиза и екология ул. 'Искърско шосе' 5 1528 София (Central Laboratory of Veterinary Control and Ecology, 5 Iskarsko shousse Str., 1528 Sofia)	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2c, B2d, B2e, B3a, B3b, B3c, B3d, B3e, B3f
Czech Republic	Národní referenční laboratoř pro sledování reziduí veterinárních léčiv Ústav pro státní kontrolu veterinárních biopreparátů a léčiv Brno Hudcova 56 A CZ-621 00 Brno	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B2d
	Národní referenční laboratoř pro rezidua pesticidů a PCB Státní veterinární ústav Praha Sídlištní 136/24 CZ-165 03 Praha	B3a, B3b, B3f
	Národní referenční laboratoř pro chemické prvky Státní veterinární ústav Olomouc, laboratoř Kroměříž Hulínská 2286 CZ-767 60 Kroměříž	B3c
	Národní referenční laboratoř pro mykotoxiny a další přírodní toxiny, barviva, antibakteriální (inhibiční) látky a rezidua veterinárních léčiv Státní veterinární ústav Jihlava Rantířovská 93 CZ-586 05 Jihlava	B1, B2 (except B2d), B3d, B3e
Denmark	National Food Institute DTU Food	Chemical methods for groups A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B3

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	Mørkhøj Bygade 19 DK-2860 Søborg	
	Danish Veterinary and Food Administration Division of Residues Søndervang 4 DK-4100 Ringsted	Chemical methods groups B1, B2a, B2b, B2c, B2d, B2e, B2f
Germany	Bundesamt für Verbraucherschutz und Lebensmittelsicherheit Postfach 110260 10832 Berlin	All groups
Estonia	Veterinaar- ja Toidulaboratoorium Kreutzwaldi 30 Tartu 51006	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2d, B2e, B2f, B3c, B3e
	Terviseameti Tartu labor Põllu 1A Tartu 50303	B2c, B3a, B3b
	Põllumajandusuuringute Keskus Teaduse 4/6 Saku Harjumaa 75501	B3d
Ireland	State Laboratory Young's Cross Celbridge Co Kildare	A1, A3, A4, A6 (nitromidazoles and chlorpromazine), B2b (nitromidazoles only), B2d, B2e, B2f (corticosteroids), B3d
	Veterinary Public Health Regulatory Laboratory Young's Cross Celbridge Co Kildare	A2, A5, A6 (except chlorpromazine, nitrofurans and nitromidazoles), B1, B2f (carbadox only), B3c (except aquaculture products)
	Teagasc Food Research Centre, Teagasc Ashtown Dublin 15	A6 (nitrofurans), B2a (anthelmintics except emamectin), B2b (anticoccidials), B2c
	Marine Institute Rinville, Oranmore Galway	B2a (emamectin), B2f (teflubenzuron & diflubenzuron), B3c (aquaculture products only), B3e (Malachite Green, Leuco Malachite Green, Brilliant Green, Crystal Violet, Leuco Crystal Violet and Victoria Blue only)

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	Pesticide Control Laboratory Young's Cross Celbridge Co Kildare	B3a (organochlorine pesticides & 7 PCBs), B3b, B3f
Greece	Κτηνιατρικό Εργαστήριο Σερρών Τέρμα Ομονοίας 621 10 Σέρρες (Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory Serres, Terma Omonias, 621 10 Serres)	A1, A3, A4, A6, (dapsone), B2f, (carbadox, olaquinox), B3a
	Διεύθυνση Κτηνιατρικού Κέντρου Αθηνών Τμήμα Τοξικολογίας, Καταλοίπων και Περιβαλλοντικών Ρυπαντών Νεαπόλεως 25 153 10, Αγ. Παρασκευή Αθήνα (Veterinary Centre of Athens Department of Toxicology, Residues and Environmental Contaminants, Neapoleos 25, 153 10, Aghia Paraskevi, Athens, Greece)	A2, A5, A6, (chlorpromazine, nitromidazoles), B1 (except honey), B2a, B2b, B2d, B2e, B3b, B3c, B3d, B3e
	Κτηνιατρικό Εργαστήριο Τρίπολης Πέλαγος Αρκαδίας 22100 Τρίπολη (Veterinary Laboratory of Tripolis, Pelagos Arkadias, 22100 Tripolis, Greece)	A6 (chloramphenicol and nitrofurans), B2c
	Κτηνιατρικό Εργαστήριο Χανίων Μ. Μπότσαρη 66 73100 Χανιά (Veterinary Laboratory of Chania, M. Botsari 66, 73100 Chania, Greece)	B1 in honey
Spain	Centro Nacional de Alimentación (Agencia Española de Consumo, Seguridad Alimentaria y Nutrición) Carretera Pozuelo- Majadahonda, km. 5,1 28220 Majadahonda (Madrid)	A1, A3, A4, A5, A6 (chloramphenicol, nitrofurans and dapsone), B1, B2f (corticosteroids, carbadox, olaquinox), B3a, B3b, B3d, B3e, B3f

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	Laboratorio Central de Sanidad Animal (Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente) Camino del Jau s/n 18320 Santa Fe (Granada)	A2, A6 (nitromidazoles and chlorpromazine), B2a, B2b, B2c, B2d, B2e, B2f (except corticosteroids, carbadox and olaquinox), B3f
	Laboratorio Arbitral Agroalimentario (Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente) Calle Aguaron 13. Carretera de La Coruña, km 10,700 28023 Madrid	B3c, B3f
France	LABERCA — ONIRIS Atlanpôle — Site de la Chantreterie — BP 50707 44307 NANTES Cedex 3	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, B2f (glucocorticoids), B3a (PCB), B3f
	ANSES — Laboratoire de Fougères La Haute Marche — Javené BP 90203 35302 Fougères	A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2d, B2e, B2f (except glucocorticoids), B3e
	ANSES — Laboratoire de sécurité des aliments de Maisons-Alfort 23, avenue du Général de Gaulle 94706 Maisons-Alfort Cedex	B2c, B3a (except PCBs), B3b, B3c
	SCL 35- Service commun des laboratoires de Rennes 26 r Antoine Joly 35000 RENNES	B3d
Croatia	Hrvatski veterinarski institut, Savska cesta 143, 10000 Zagreb, Republika Hrvatska	All groups
Italy	Istituto Superiore di Sanità Dipartimento di Sanità Pubblica Veterinaria e Sicurezza Alimentare Viale Regina Elena, 299 00161 Roma	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2, B3a (excluding dioxins and PCBs), B3b, B3c, B3d, B3e, B2f
	Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Abruzzo e del Molise 'G. Caporale' Via Campo Boario 64100 TERAMO	B3a (PCBs, dioxins and DL-PCBs)

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Cyprus	Γενικό Χημείο του Κράτους Υπουργείο Υγείας Οδός Κίμωνος 44, 1451, Λευκωσία, Κύπρος (General State Laboratory, Ministry of Health, Kimonos Street 44, 1451 Nicosia)	All groups (except feeding stuffs)
	Αναλυτικά Εργαστήρια, Τμήμα Γεωργίας, Υπουργείο Γεωργίας, Αγροτικής Ανάπτυξης και Περιβάλλοντος Λουκή Ακρίτα, 1412 Λευκωσία (Analytical Laboratories, Department of Agriculture, Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment Loukis Akritas Avenue, 1412, Nicosia)	All groups (feeding stuffs only)
Latvia	Pārtikas drošības, dzīvnieku veselības un vides zinātniskais institūts 'BIOR' Lejupes iela 3 LV-1076 Rīga	All groups (excluding B3e aquaculture)
Lithuania	Nacionalinis maisto ir veterinarijos rizikos vertinimo institutas J.Kairiūkščio 10, LT — 08409 Vilnius	All groups
Luxembourg	Association momentanée ILVO-CER ILVO (Eenheid Technologie en Voeding) — CER Groupe (Département Santé) ILVO (Eenheid Technologie en Voeding) Brusselsesteenweg 370 9090 MELLE CER (Département Santé) Rue du Point du Jour 8 6900 MARLOIE	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2c, B2d, B2e, B2f, B3a, B3b, B3d, B3e, B3f
	Laboratoire National de Santé Rue Louis Rech, 1 L-3555 DUDELANGE	B3c
Hungary	Nemzeti Élelmiszerlánc- biztonsági Hivatal	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2d, B2e, B2f,



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	<p>Élelmiszer- és Takarmánybiztonsági Igazgatóság                  Élelmiszer Toxikológiai Nemzeti Referencia Laboratórium                  Mester u. 81.                  Hungary                  H-1095                  Budapest 94                  POB 1740                  H-1465</p>	<p>B3a (dioxins and PCBs only),                  B3c, B3d, B3e, B3f</p>
	<p>Nemzeti Élelmiszerlánc-biztonsági Hivatal,                  Növény-, Talaj- és Agrárkörnyezet-védelmi Igazgatóság                  Budaörsi út 141-145                  Hungary                  H-1118                  Budapest</p>	<p>B2c, B3a (except dioxins and PCBs), B3b</p>
Malta	<p>Laboratorju Veterinarju Nazzjonali.                  Direttorat ghar-regolazzjoni Veterinarja                  Ministeru għall-Izvilupp Sostenibbli l-Ambjent u Tibdil fil-Klima                  Albertown, Marsa MRS1123                  Malta</p>	<p>All groups</p>
Netherlands	<p>Wageningen UR                  RIKILT Institute of food safety                  Akkermaalsbos 2                  Wageningen 6708WB</p>	<p>All groups</p>
Austria	<p>Österreichische Agentur für Gesundheit und Ernährungssicherheit GmbH                  Institut für Lebensmittelsicherheit Wien                  Abteilung Tierarzneimittel, Hormone und Kontaminanten (THKS)                  Spargelfeldstraße 191                  1220 Wien</p>	<p>A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2a, B2b, B2d, B2e, B2f (corticoids, carbadox and olaquinox)</p>
	<p>Österreichische Agentur für Gesundheit und Ernährungssicherheit GmbH</p>	<p>B2c, B2f (amitraz), B3a (excluding dioxins and PCBs), B3b, B3f (neonicotinoids)</p>

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	Institut für Lebensmittelsicherheit Innsbruck Abteilung Pestizid- und Lebensmittelanalytik (PLMA) Technikerstraße 70 6020 Innsbruck	
	Umweltbundesamt GmbH Spittelauer Lände 5 1090 Wien	B3a (dioxins and PCBs)
	Österreichische Agentur für Gesundheit und Ernährungssicherheit GmbH Geschäftsfeld Ernährungssicherheit Institut für Tierernährung und Futtermittel Wieningerstraße 8 4020 Linz	B3c
	Österreichische Agentur für Gesundheit und Ernährungssicherheit GmbH Institut für Lebensmittelsicherheit Linz Abteilung Kontaminantenanalytik (KONA) Wieningerstraße 8 4020 Linz	B3d
	Lebensmitteluntersuchungsanstalt der Stadt Wien Henneberggasse 3 1030 Wien	B3e
Poland	Państwowy Instytut Weterynaryjny-Państwowy Instytut Badawczy w Puławach Al. Partyzantów 57 24-100 Puławy	All groups
Portugal	Instituto Nacional de Investigação Agrária e Veterinária, I.P. (INIAV) Quinta do Marquês, Av. da Republica 2780-157 Oeiras	All groups (excluding B3a dioxins, B3c aquaculture and B3d mycotoxins in milk)
	Instituto Português do Mar e da Atmosfera (IPMA)	B3c (aquaculture)

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	Rua Alfredo Magalhães Ramalho, 6 1495-006 Algés	
	ASAE — Laboratório de Físico — Química (LFQ) Estrada do Paço do Lumiar, Campus do Lumiar, 22, Edifício F — 1.º andar 1649-038 Lisboa	B3a (dioxins), B3d mycotoxins in milk
Romania	Institute for Hygiene and Veterinary Public Health Str. Campul Mosilor nr. 5, sect. 2, 021201 Bucuresti	A1, A4, A6 (nitromidazoles, nitrofurans), B1 (antibiotics), B2a, B2b, B2c, B2e, B2f, B3a (organochlorinated pesticides and ndl-PCB), B3b, B3c, B3d, B3e
	Sanitary Veterinary Food Safety county Directorate Str. Surorile Martir Caceu nr. 4, 300858 Timisoara	A2, A5, B2d
	Sanitary Veterinary Food Safety county Directorate Sos. Mangaliei nr. 78, 900111 Constanta	A3, A6 (chloramphenicol)
	Sanitary Veterinary Food Safety county Directorate Str. Piata Marasti nr.1, 400609 Cluj-Napoca	A6 (dapson), B1 (sulfonamides)
	Sanitary Veterinary Food Safety county Directorate Str. Ilioarei nr 16E, sect. 3, 032125 Bucuresti	B3a (dioxins)
Slovenia	Univerza v Ljubljani, Veterinarska fakulteta Nacionalni veterinarski inštitut Gerbičeva 60 1000 Ljubljana	A1, A3, A4, A5, A6 (except chloramphenicol in urine and chloroform in urine), B1, B2a (ivermectins), B2b, B2d, B2e, B2f, B3c (except mercury in aquaculture), B3d, B3e
	Nacionalni laboratorij za zdravje, okolje in hrano Prvomajska 1 2000 Maribor	A2, A6 (chloramphenicol in urine and chloroform in urine), B2a (benzimidazoles), B2c, B3a, B3b, B3c (mercury in aquaculture)
Slovakia	Štátny veterinárny a potravinový ústav — Veterinárny a potravinový ústav Bratislava	A1, A3, A4, A5, A6 (nitromidazoles), B2c, B2e, B3a, B3b

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	Botanická 15 Bratislava 842 13	
	Štátny veterinárny a potravinový ústav — Veterinárny a potravinový ústav Košice Hlinkova 1B Košice 040 01	A2, B2a, B2b, B2d, B3c, B3d
	Štátny veterinárny a potravinový ústav — Veterinárny a potravinový ústav Dolný Kubín Jánoškova 1611/58 Dolný Kubín 026 01	A6 (chloramphenicol, nitrofurans), B1, B2f, B3e
Finland	Finnish Food Safety Authority Evira Mustialankatu 3 00790 Helsinki	All groups
Sweden	Livsmedelsverket Box 622 751 26 Uppsala	All groups
United Kingdom	Agri-Food & Biosciences Institute Veterinary Science Division Stoney Road Stormont Belfast BT4 3SD Northern Ireland	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6 (nitrofurans except in honey, nitromidazoles), B2b, (nicarbazin), B2f
	Fera Science Ltd (FERA) Sand Hutton York YO41 1LZ	A6 (chloramphenicol, nitrofurans in honey, dapsone). B1, B2a, B2b (ionophores)
	LGC Ltd Queens Road Teddington Middlesex TW11 OLY	A6 (chlorpromazine), B2c, B2d, B2e, B3a, B3b, B3c, B3d, B3e]

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- (1) [OJ L 125, 23.5.1996, p. 10.](#)
- (2) [OJ L 118, 14.5.1993, p. 75.](#)

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