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(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 21 January 2002

amending Decision 92/452/EEC as regards the lists of embryo collection teams and embryo production teams approved in third countries for export of bovine embryos to the Community

(notified under document number C(2002) 84)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2002/46/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 89/556/EEC of 25 September 1989 on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in and importation from third countries of embryos of domestic animals of the bovine species (1), as last amended by Commission Decision 94/113/EC (2), and in particular Article 8 thereof,

Whereas:

- The competent veterinary services of Canada and the United States have forwarded requests for addition and amendments to the list, established by Commission Decision 92/452/EEC (3), as last amended by Decision 2001/728/EC (4) of teams officially approved in their territories for the exports of embryos of domestic animals of the bovine species to the Community.
- Guarantees regarding compliance with the requirements specified in Article 8 of Directive 89/ 556/EEC have been provided to the Commission by the competent veterinary services of the countries concerned, and the collection teams concerned have been officially approved for exports to the Community.
- (3) Decision 92/452/EEC should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (4) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

OJ L 302, 19.10.1989, p. 1. OJ L 53, 24.2.1994, p. 53. OJ L 250, 29.8.1992, p. 40. OJ L 273, 16.10.2001, p. 24.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

In the Annex to Commission Decision 92/452/EEC:

1. The following lines are added to the lines concerning Canadian teams:

CA	E 022	324 Notre Dame Notre-Dame du Bon-Conseil Quebec JOC 1AO	Dr René Bergeron
CA	E 1531	39 Barker Lane Wicklow New Brunswick E7L 3S4	Dr Conrad C. Anderson

2. The lines concerning the Canadian team E 549 is replaced by the following:

CA	E 549		Abbotsford Veterinary Clinic PO box 524 Unit 200-33648 McDougall Avenue Abbotsford British Columbia V2S 5Z5	Dr R. Vanderval Dr Martin Darrow
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3. The line concerning the US team No 96IA086 E 608 is replaced by the following:

US	96IA086 E 608		Trans Ova Genetics — Iowa Division 2938 380th Street Sioux Centre, IA	Drs Chjarles S. Gue III (Chuck) Paul Vanroekel Daryl Funk Julie Koster
		 Montana Division 9033 Walker Road Belgarde, MT 		

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 21 January 2002.

For the Commission

David BYRNE

Member of the Commission