

Commission Decision of 22 December 2006 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards restricted zones in relation to bluetongue (notified under document number C(2006) 6970) (Text with EEA relevance) (2007/28/EC)

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 2000/75/EC of 20 November 2000 laying down specific provisions for the control and eradication of bluetongue⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Directive 2000/75/EC lays down control rules and measures to combat bluetongue in the Community, including the establishment of protection and surveillance zones and a ban on animals leaving those zones.
- (2) Commission Decision 2005/393/EC of 23 May 2005 on protection and surveillance zones in relation to bluetongue and conditions applying to movements from or through these zones⁽²⁾ provides for the demarcation of the global geographic areas where protection and surveillance zones ('the restricted zones') are to be established by the Member States in relation to bluetongue.
- (3) On 20 November 2006 Spain informed the Commission that serotype 4 virus has been detected as circulating in a peripheral area of restricted zone E. Consequently that zone should be extended, taking into account of the data available on the ecology of the vector and the current meteorological situation.
- (4) On 21 November 2006 Germany informed the Commission of new outbreaks of bluetongue in Lower Saxony. In view of those findings, it is appropriate to amend the demarcation of the restricted zone in Germany.
- (5) Following the notification of outbreaks of bluetongue in early November 2006 by Italy, due to a new serotype, by Decision 2006/858/EC, a new restricted zone G has been added to Annex I to Decision 2005/393/EC to include the three concerned provinces of southern Sardinia. However, the reference to this zone in the respective provisions of Decision 2005/393/EC has not been added. Therefore, for the sake of clarity, the list of zones referred to in Article 2 of Decision 2005/393/EC should be completed.

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- (6) Decision 2005/393/EC should be amended accordingly.
- (7) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision 2005/393/EC is amended as follows:

1. The first paragraph of Article 2 is replaced by the following:

Restricted zones shall be demarcated within the global geographical areas listed in the zones set out in Annex I.
2. Annex I is amended in accordance with the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 22 December 2006.

For the Commission

Markos KYPRIANOU

Member of the Commission

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ANNEX

Annex I to Decision 2005/393/EC is amended as follows:

1. The list of restricted zones in *Zone E (serotype 4)* which relates to Spain is replaced by the following:
Spain:
 - Autonomous Region of Extremadura: provinces of Cáceres, Badajoz;
 - Autonomous Region of Andalucía: provinces of Cádiz, Córdoba, Huelva, Jaén (comarcas of Alcalá la Real, Andújar, Huelma, Jaén, Linares, Santiesteban del Puerto, Ubeda), Málaga, Sevilla;
 - Autonomous Region of Castilla-La Mancha: provinces of Albacete (comarca of Alcaraz), Ciudad Real, Toledo;
 - Autonomous Region of Castilla y León: provinces of Avila (comarcas of Arenas de San Pedro, Candeleda, Cebreros, El Barco De Ávila, Las Navas del Marqués, Navalunga, Sotillo de la Adrada), Salamanca (comarcas of Béjar, Ciudad Rodrigo and Sequeros);
 - Autonomous Region of Madrid: province of Madrid (comarcas of Alcalá de Henares, Aranjuez, Arganda del Rey, Colmenar Viejo, El Escorial, Grinon, Municipio de Madrid, Navalcarnero, San Martín de Valdeiglesias, Torrelaguna, Villarejo de Salvanes).

2. The list of restricted zones in *Zone F (serotype 8)* which relates to Germany is replaced by the following:
Germany:
Baden-Württemberg
Stadtkreis Baden-Baden
Im Landkreis Enzkreis: Birkenfeld, Eisingen, Illingen, Ispringen, Kämpfelbach, Kelttern, Kieselbronn, Knittlingen, Königsbach-Stein, Maulbronn, Mühlacker, Neuenbürg, Neulingen, Ölbronn-Dürrn, Ötisheim, Remchingen, Sternenfels, Straubenhardt
Stadtkreis Heidelberg
Stadtkreis Heilbronn
Im Landkreis Heilbronn: Bad Friedrichshall, Bad Rappenau, Bad Wimpfen, Brackenheim, Eppingen, Gemmingen, Güglingen, Gundelsheim, Ittlingen, Kirchartt, Leingarten, Möckmühl, Massenbachhausen, Neckarsulm, Neudenau, Offenau, Pfaffenhofen, Roigheim, Schwaigern, Siegelsbach, Untereisesheim, Zaberfeld
Landkreis Karlsruhe
Stadtkreis Karlsruhe
Stadtkreis Mannheim
Im Main-Tauber-Kreis: Freudenberg, Königheim, Kulsheim, Tauberbischofsheim, Werbach, Wertheim
Im Neckar-Odenwald-Kreis: Aglasterhausen, Billigheim, Binau, Buchen, Elztal, Fahrenbach, Hardheim, Haßmersheim, Höpfingen, Hüffenhardt, Limbach, Mosbach, Mudau, Neckargerach, Neckarzimmern, Neunkirchen, Obrigheim, Osterburken, Schefflenz, Schwarzach, Seckach, Waldbrunn, Walldürn, Zwingenberg

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Im Ortenaukreis: Achern, Appenweier, Kappelrodeck, Kehl, Lauf, Neuried, Oberkirch, Offenburg, Renchen, Rheinau, Sasbach, Sasbachwalden, Schutterwald, Willstätt

Stadtkreis Pforzheim

Landkreis Rastatt

Rhein-Neckar-Kreis

Bayern

Landkreis und Stadt Aschaffenburg

Im Landkreis Bad Kissingen: Aura, Bad Bocklet, Bad Brückenau, Bad Kissingen, Burkardroth, Dreistelzer Forst, Elfershausen, Euerdorf, Forst Detter-Süd, Fuchsstadt, Geiersnest Ost, Geiersnest West, Geroda, Großer Auersberg, Hammelburg, Kälberberg, Klauswald-Süd, Motten, Mottener Forst-Süd, Neuwirtshäuser Forst, Oberleichtersbach, Oberthulba, Omerz u. Roter Berg, Riedenberg, Römershager Forst-Nord, Römershager Forst-Ost, Roßbacher Forst, Schondra, Waldfensterer Forst, Wartmannsroth, Wildflecken, Zeitlofs

Landkreis Main-Spessart

Landkreis Miltenberg

Im Landkreis Rhön-Grabfeld: Bastheim, Bischofsheim a. d. Rhön, Burgwallbacher Forst, Fladungen, Forst Schmalwasser Nord, Forst Schmalwasser Süd, Hausen, Mellrichstadter Forst, Nordheim v. d. Rhön, Oberelsbach, Ostheim v. d. Rhön, Sandberg, Schönau a. d. Brend, Sondheim a. d. Rhön, Steinbacher Forst r. d. Saale, Willmars

Im Landkreis Schweinfurt: Wasserlosen

Im Landkreis Würzburg: Erlabrunn, Greußenheim, Helmstadt, Holzkirchen, Neubrunn, Remlingen, Thüngersheim, Uettingen, Leinach, Waldbüttelbrunn
Freie Hansestadt Bremen

Gesamtes Landesgebiet
Freie und Hansestadt Hamburg

Im Bezirk Harburg die Ortsteile Eißendorf, Gut Moor, Harburg, Hausbruch, Heimfeld, Langenbek, Marmstorf, Neugraben-Fischbek, Neuland, Rönneburg, Sinstorf, Wilstorf

Im Bezirk Bergedorf die Ortsteile Kirchwerder, Neuengamme, Ochsenwerder
Hessen

Gesamtes Landesgebiet
Niedersachsen

Landkreis Ammerland

Im Landkreis Aurich: Aurich, Berumbur, Dornum, Großefehn, Großheide, Hage, Hagermarsch, Halbmond, Hinte, Ihlow, Krummhörn, Leetzdorf, Lütetsburg, Marienhaf, Norden, Nordseeinsel Memmert, Ostseel, Rechtsupweg, Südbrookmerland, Upgant-Schott, Wiesmoor, Wirdum

Stadt Braunschweig

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Landkreis Celle

Landkreis Cloppenburg

Im Landkreis Cuxhaven: Appeln, Beverstedt, Bokel, Bramstedt, Driftsethe, Elmlohe, Frelsdorf, Hagen im Bremischen, Heerstedt, Hollen, Kirchwistedt, Köhlen, Kührstedt, Loxstedt, Lunestedt, Ringstedt, Sandstedt, Schiffdorf, Stubben, Uthlede, Wulsbüttel

Stadt Delmenhorst

Landkreis Diepholz

Stadt Emden

Landkreis Emsland

Im Landkreis Friesland: Bockhorn, Jever, Sande, Schortens, Varel, Wangerland, Zetel

Landkreis Gifhorn

Landkreis Goslar

Stadt Göttingen

Landkreis Göttingen

Landkreis Grafschaft Bentheim

Landkreis Hameln-Pyrmont

Landeshauptstadt Hannover

Region Hannover

Landkreis Harburg

Landkreis Helmstedt

Landkreis Hildesheim

Landkreis Holzminden

Landkreis Leer

Im Landkreis Lüchow-Dannenberg: Bergen (Dumme), Clenze, Dannenberg (Elbe), Göhrde, Göhrde (gemeindefreies Gebiet), Gusborn, Hitzacker (Elbe), Jameln, Karwitz, Küsten, Lemgow, Lübbow, Lüchow (Wendland), Luckau (Wendland), Neu-Darchau, Schnega, Trebel, Waddeweitz, Woltersdorf, Wustrow (Wendland), Zernien

Im Landkreis Lüneburg: Adendorf, Amelinghausen, Artlenburg, Bardowick, Barendorf, Barnstedt, Barum, Betzendorf, Brietlingen, Broitze, Dahlem, Dahlenburg, Deutsch Evern, Echem, Embsen, Handorf, Hittbergen, Hohnstorf (Elbe), Kirchgellersen, Lüdersburg, Lüneburg, Mechtersen, Melbeck, Nahrendorf, Neetze, Oldendorf (Luhe), Radbruch, Rehlingen, Reinstorf, Reppenstedt, Rullstorf, Scharnebeck, Soderstorf, Südergellersen, Thomasburg, Tosterglope, Vastorf, Vögelsen, Wendisch Evern, Westergellersen, Wittorf

Landkreis Nienburg (Weser)

Landkreis Northeim

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Landkreis Oldenburg

Stadt Oldenburg

Landkreis Osnabrück

Stadt Osnabrück

Landkreis Osterholz

Landkreis Osterode am Harz

Landkreis Peine

Landkreis Rotenburg (Wümme)

Stadt Salzgitter

Landkreis Schaumburg

Landkreis Soltau-Fallingb.ostel

Im Landkreis Stade: Apensen, Ahlerstedt, Bargstedt, Beckdorf, Bliedersdorf, Brest, Buxtehude, Deinste, Fredenbeck, Harsefeld, Horneburg, Jork, Kutenholz, Nottensdorf, Sauensiek

Landkreis Uelzen

Landkreis Vechta

Landkreis Verden

Landkreis Wesermarsch

Stadt Wilhelmshaven

Im Landkreis Wittmund: Blomberg, Dunum, Esens, Eversmeer, Friedeburg, Holtgast, Moorweg, Nenndorf, Neuschoo, Ochtersum, Schweindorf, Stedesdorf, Uтары, Westerholt, Wittmund

Landkreis Wolfenbüttel

Stadt Wolfsburg

Nordrhein-Westfalen

Gesamtes Landesgebiet

Rheinland-Pfalz

Gesamtes Landesgebiet

Saarland

Gesamtes Landesgebiet

Sachsen-Anhalt

Im Altmarkkreis Salzwedel: Ahlum, Algenstedt, Altensalzwedel, Altmersleben, Flecken Apenburg, Badel, Bandau, Beetzendorf, Benkendorf, Berge, Bierstedt, Binde, Bonese, Bornsen, Breitenfeld, Brietz, Brunau, Chüden, Dähre, Dambeck, Dannefeld, Flecken Diesdorf, Dönitz, Ellenberg, Engersen, Estedt, Fleetmark, Gardelegen, Gieseritz, Gischau, Güssefeld, Hanum, Hemstedt, Henningen, Hohentramm, Hottendorf, Immekath, Jävenitz, Jahrstedt, Jeeben, Jeetze, Jeggau, Jeggelaben,

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Jerchel, Jeseritz, Jübar, Kahrstedt, Kakerbeck, Kalbe (Milde), Kassieck, Kerkau, Klein Gartz, Klötze, Kloster Neuendorf, Köckte, Kuhfelde, Kunrau, Kusey, Lagendorf, Langenapel, Letzlingen, Liesten, Lindstedt, Lüdelsen, Mahlsdorf, Mechau, Mehmke, Mellin, Mieste, Miesterhorst, Nettgau, Neuekrug, Neuendorf, Neuendorf am Damm, Neuferchau, Osterwohle, Peckfitz, Potzehne, Pretzier, Püggen, Rademin, Riebau, Ristedt, Röwitz, Rohrberg, Roxförde, Sachau, Salzwedel, Sanne-Kerkuhn, Schenkenhorst, Schwiesau, Seebenau, Seethen, Sichau, Siedenlangenbeck, Solpke, Stappenbeck, Steimke, Steinitz, Tangeln, Tylsen, Valfitz, Vienau, Vissum, Wallstawe, Wannefeld, Wenze, Wernstedt, Wieblitz-Eversdorf, Wiepkke, Winkelstedt, Winterfeld, Zethlingen, Zichtau

Kreis Aschersleben-Staßfurt

Im Kreis Bernburg: Güsten

Bördekreis Kreis Halberstadt

Landeshauptstadt Magdeburg

Im Kreis Mansfelder Land: Abberode, Ahlsdorf, Alterode, Annarode, Arnstedt, Benndorf, Biesenrode, Bräunrode, Braunschwende, Friesdorf, Gorenzen, Greifenhagen, Großörner, Harkerode, Hergisdorf, Hermerode, Hettstedt, Klostermansfeld, Mansfeld, Möllendorf, Molmerswende, Piskaborn, Quenstedt, Ritterode, Ritzgerode, Siebigerode, Stangerode, Sylda, Ulzigerode, Vatterode, Walbeck, Welbsleben, Wiederstedt, Wippra

Im Ohre-Kreis: Ackendorf, Alleringersleben, Altenhausen, Barleben, Bartensleben, Bebertal, Beendorf, Behnsdorf, Belsdorf, Berenbrock, Böddensell, Bösdorf, Born, Bornstedt, Bregenstedt, Bülstringen, Burgstall, Calvörde, Colbitz, Cröchern, Dahlenwarsleben, Döhren, Dolle, Dorst, Ebendorf, Eichenbarleben, Eickendorf, Eimersleben, Emden, Erxleben, Eschenrode, Etingen, Everingen, Farsleben, Flechtingen, Glindenberg, Grauingen, Groß Ammensleben, Groß SanTERSleben, Gutenswegen, Hakenstedt, Haldensleben, Hermsdorf, Hillersleben, Hödingen, Hørsingen, Hohenwarsleben, Irxleben, Ivenrode, Jersleben, Kathendorf, Klein Ammensleben, Klüden, Loitsche, Mannhausen, Meitzendorf, Meseberg, Morsleben, Neuenhofe, Niederndodeleben, Nordgermersleben, Ochtmersleben, Oebisfelde, Ostingersleben, Rätzlingen, Rottmersleben, Samswegen, Schackensleben, Schwanefeld, Seggerde, Siestedt, Süplingen, Uhrsleben, Vahldorf, Velsdorf, Walbeck, Flecken Weferlingen, Wegenstedt, Wellen, Wieglitz, Wolmirstedt, Zielitz, Zobbenitz

Kreis Quedlinburg Im Kreis Sangerhausen: Bennungen, Berga, Beyernaumburg, Blankenheim, Breitenbach, Breitenstein, Breitung, Brücken (Helme), Dietersdorf, Drebsdorf, Edersleben, Emseloh, Gonna, Grillenberg, Großleinungen, Hackpfüffel, Hainrode, Hayn (Harz), Horla, Kelbra (Kyffhäuser), Kleinleinungen, Lengefeld, Martinsrieth, Morungen, Niederröblingen (Helme), Nienstedt, Oberröblingen, Obersdorf, Pölsfeld, Questenberg, Riestedt, Riethnordhausen, Roßla, Rotha, Rottleberode, Sangerhausen, Schwenda, Stolberg (Harz), Tilleda (Kyffhäuser), Ufrungen, Wallhausen, Wettelrode, Wickerode, Wolfsberg

Im Kreis Schönebeck: Atzendorf, Biere, Eickendorf, Förderstedt, Löbnitz (Bode), Schönebeck (Elbe), Welsleben

Im Kreis Stendal: Badingen, Berkau, Bismark (Altmark), Büste, Holzhausen, Käthen, Könnigde, Kremkau, Querstedt, Staats, Uchtspringe, Volgfelde, Windberge, Wittenmoor

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Kreis Wernigerode
Thüringen

Stadt Eisenach

Kreis Eichsfeld

Im Kreis Gotha: Aspach, Ballstädt, Bienstädt, Brüheim, Buflieben, Dachwig, Döllstädt, Ebenheim, Emleben, Emsetal, Ernstroda, Eschenbergen, Finsterbergen, Friedrichroda, Friedrichswerth, Friemar, Fröttstädt, Georgenthal/Thür. Wald, Gierstädt, Goldbach, Gotha, Großfahner, Haina, Hochheim, Hörselgau, Laucha, Leinatal, Mechterstädt, Metebach, Molschleben, Remstädt, Sonneborn, Tabarz/Thür. Wald, Teutleben, Tonna, Tröchtelborn, Trügleben, Waltershausen, Wangenheim, Warza, Weingarten, Westhausen

Im Kyffhäuserkreis: Abtsbessingen, Artern/Unstrut, Bad Frankenhausen/Kyffhäuser, Badra, Bellstedt, Bendeleben, Borxleben, Bretleben, Clingen, Ebeleben, Esperstedt, Freienbessingen, Göllingen, Greußen, Großenehrich, Günserode, Hachelbich, Helbedündorf, Heldrungen, Holzsußra, Ichstedt, Niederbösa, Oberbösa, Oldisleben, Ringleben, Rockstedt, Rottleben, Schernberg, Seega, Sondershausen, Steinhaleben, Thüringenhausen, Topfstedt, Trebra, Voigtstedt, Wasserhaleben, Westgreußen, Wolferschwenda

Kreis Nordhausen

Im Kreis Schmalkalden-Meiningen: Aschenhausen, Birx, Breitungen/Werra, Brotterode, Erbenhausen, Fambach, Floh-Seligenthal, Frankenheim/Rhön, Friedelshausen, Heßles, Hümpfershausen, Kaltensundheim, Kaltenwestheim, Kleinschmalkalden, Mehmels, Melpers, Oberkatz, Oberweid, Oepfershausen, Rhönblick, Rosa, Roßdorf, Schmalkalden, Schwallungen, Stepfershausen, Trusetal, Unterkatz, Unterweid, Wahns, Wasungen, Wernshausen

Im Kreis Sömmerda: Andisleben, Bilzingsleben, Frömmstedt, Gangloffsömmern, Gebese, Günstedt, Herrnschwende, Kannawurf, Kindelbrück, Riethgen, Schwerstedt, Straußfurt, Walschleben, Weißensee

Unstrut-Hainich-Kreis

Wartburgkreis

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- (1) [OJ L 327, 22.12.2000, p. 74.](#)
- (2) [OJ L 130, 24.5.2005, p. 22.](#) Decision as last amended by Decision 2006/858/EC ([OJ L 332, 30.11.2006, p. 26.](#))

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