## Council Directive 2000/75/EC of 20 November 2000 laying down specific provisions for the control and eradication of bluetongue

Article 1	This Directive lays down control rules and measures to combat
Article 2	For the purposes of this Directive, the following definitions shall
Article 3	Member States shall ensure the immediate, compulsory notification to the
Article 4	(1) If a holding located in a region not subject
Article 5	(1) The competent authority of a Member State may decide
Article 6	(1) When the presence of bluetongue is officially confirmed, the
Article 7	(1) The epidemiological survey shall concern: (a) the duration of
Article 8	(1) Member States shall ensure that, in addition to the
Article 9	(1) Member States shall ensure that the following measures are
Article 10	Member States shall ensure that: the measures provided for in
Article 11	The measures taken pursuant to Articles 6, 8, 9 and
Article 12	By way of derogation from Articles 9 and 10, the
Article 13	If, in a given region, the bluetongue epidemic is of
Article 14	Member States shall ensure that the competent authority takes all
Article 15	(1) Member States shall designate a national laboratory responsible for
Article 16	The Community reference laboratory for bluetongue is indicated in Annex
Article 17	Experts from the Commission may, where necessary in order to
Article 18	(1) Each Member State shall draw up a contingency plan
Article 19	This Directive may if necessary be amended by the Council,
Article 20	(1) The Commission shall be assisted by the Standing Veterinary
Article 21	Acting in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article
Article 22	(1) Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations
Article 23	This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

#### ANNEX I

B. TASKS OF THE NATIONAL LABORATORIES FOR BLUETONGUE

#### ANNEX II

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### B. TASKS OF THE COMMUNITY REFERENCE LABORATORY FOR BLUETONGUE

# ANNEX III MINIMUM CRITERIA APPLICABLE TO CONTINGENCY PLANS

The contingency plans must provide for at least the following:... the establishment at national level of a crisis unit to...

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- (1) OJ L 62, 15.3.1993, p. 69. Directive as amended by the 1994 Act of Accession.
- (2) OJ L 157, 10.6.1992, p. 19. Directive as amended by the 1994 Act of Accession.
- (3) OJ L 224, 18.8.1990, p. 19. Decision as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1258/1999 (OJ L 160, 26.6.1999, p. 103).