# Council Directive 2006/112/EC of 28 November 2006 on the common system of value added tax

#### TITLE VIII

#### **RATES**

### **CHAPTER 4**

## Special provisions applying until the adoption of definitive arrangements

Article 112

If the provisions of Article 110 cause for Ireland distortion of competition in the supply of energy products for heating and lighting, Ireland may, on specific request, be authorised by the Commission to apply a reduced rate to such supplies, in accordance with Articles 98 and 99.

In the case referred to in the first paragraph, Ireland shall submit a request to the Commission, together with all necessary information. If the Commission has not taken a decision within three months of receiving the request, Ireland shall be deemed to be authorised to apply the reduced rates proposed.