Directive 2009/54/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 June 2009 on the exploitation and marketing of natural mineral waters (Recast) (Text with EEA relevance)

Article I	(1) This Directive concerns waters extracted from the ground of
Article 2	Member States shall take the measures necessary to ensure that
Article 3	Natural mineral water springs may be exploited and their waters
Article 4	(1) Natural mineral water, in its state at source, may
Article 5	(1) The revivable total colony count of a natural mineral
Article 6	Any containers used for packaging natural mineral waters shall
	be
Article 7	(1) The sales description of natural mineral waters shall be
Article 8	(1) The name of a locality, hamlet or place may
Article 9	(1) It shall be prohibited, both on packaging or labels
Article 10	Member States shall adopt the measures necessary to ensure
	that
Article 11	(1) Where a Member State has detailed grounds for considering.
Article 12	The following measures shall be adopted by the Commission:
	limits
Article 13	Any decision likely to have an effect on public health
Article 14	(1) The Commission shall be assisted by the Standing
	Committee
Article 15	This Directive shall not apply to natural mineral waters
	intended
Article 16	Directive 80/777/EEC, as amended by the acts listed in Annex
Article 17	This Directive shall enter into force on the 20th day
Article 18	This Directive is addressed to the Member States.
	Signature

ANNEX I

I. DEFINITION

- 1. 'Natural mineral water' means microbiologically wholesome water, within the meaning...
- 2. The characteristics referred to in point 1, which may give...
- 3. The composition, temperature and other essential characteristics of natural mineral...

II. REQUIREMENTS AND CRITERIA FOR APPLYING THE DEFINITION

- 1.1. Requirements for geological and hydrological surveys
- 1.2. Requirements for physical, chemical and physico-chemical surveys
- 1.3. Criteria for microbiological analyses at source
- 1.4. Requirements for clinical and pharmacological analyses
 - 1.4.1. The analyses, which shall be carried out in accordance with...
 - 1.4.2. The establishment of the consistency and concordance of a substantial...

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III. SUPPLEMENTARY QUALIFICATIONS RELATING TO EFFERVESCENT NATURAL MINERAL WATERS

ANNEX II

CONDITIONS FOR EXPLOITATION AND MARKETING OF NATURAL MINERAL WATER

- 1. Exploitation of a natural mineral water spring shall be subject...
- 2. Equipment for exploiting the water shall be so installed as...
- 3. Where it is found during exploitation that the natural mineral...
- 4. The responsible authority in the country of origin shall carry...

ANNEX III

ANNEX IV

PART A

PART B

ANNEX V

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- (1) OJ C 162, 25.6.2008, p. 87.
- (2) Opinion of the European Parliament of 23 September 2008 (not yet published in the Official Journal) and Council Decision of 28 May 2009.
- (**3**) OJ L 229, 30.8.1980, p. 1.
- (4) See Annex IV, Part A.
- (5) OJ L 109, 6.5.2000, p. 29.
- (**6**) OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23.