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COMMISSION DECISION

of 21 December 1992

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(93/52/EEC)

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Amended by:

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► <u>M1</u>	Commission Decision 94/877/EC of 21 December 1994	L 352	102	31.12.1994
<u>M2</u>	Commission Decision 94/965/EC of 28 December 1994	L 371	31	31.12.1994
► <u>M3</u>	Commission Decision 94/972/EC of 28 December 1994	L 371	48	31.12.1994
► <u>M4</u>	Commission Decision 97/315/EC of 30 April 1997	L 137	20	28.5.1997
► <u>M5</u>	Commission Decision 2001/292/EC of 29 March 2001	L 100	28	11.4.2001
<u>M6</u>	Commission Decision 2002/482/EC of 21 June 2002	L 166	23	25.6.2002
► <u>M7</u>	Commission Decision 2003/44/EC of 17 January 2003	L 13	37	18.1.2003
<u>M8</u>	Commission Decision 2003/237/EC of 3 April 2003	L 87	13	4.4.2003
► <u>M9</u>	Commission Decision 2003/732/EC of 10 October 2003	L 264	30	15.10.2003
Amended by:				
► <u>A1</u>	Act of Accession of Austria, Sweden and Finland	C 241	21	29.8.1994
	(adapted by Council Decision 95/1/EC, Euratom, ECSC)	L 1	1	1.1.1995

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 91/68/EEC of 28 January 1991 on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade on ovine and caprine animals (1), and in particular Annex A, Chapter 1.II thereof.

Whereas, in the United Kingdom, Ireland, the Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, the Federal Republic of Germany and certain regions in France, brucellosis (B. melitensis) has been a notifiable disease for at least five years; whereas no case has been confirmed officially there for at least five years and vaccination has been banned there for at least three years; whereas it should therefore be put on record that they comply with the conditions laid down in Annex A, Chapter 1.II (1) (b);

Whereas, in addition, the Member States or regions referred to above undertake to satisfy the provisions laid down in Annex A, Chapter 1.II (2); whereas, consequently, the Member States and regions in question should be accorded officially brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) free status;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Member States and regions referred to respectively in Annexes I and II satisfy the conditions laid down in Directive 91/68/EEC, Annex A, Chapter 1.II (1) (b).

Article 2

The Member States and regions referred to respectively in Annexes I and II are recognized as officially free of brucellosis (B. melitensis).

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Article 2a

For Austria, Finland and Sweden the Commission shall supplement if necessary Annexes I and II. The appropriate decisions shall be adopted before the date of entry into force of the Accession Treaty.

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Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

ANNEX I

MEMBER STATE

▼<u>M5</u>

- Austria
- Belgium
- Denmark
- Germany
- Finland
- Ireland
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- Sweden
- United Kingdom.

ANNEX II

In France:

Ain, Aisne, Allier, Ardèche, Ardennes, Aube, Aveyron, Cantal, Charente, Charente-Maritime, Cher, Corrèze, Côte-d'Or, Côtes-d'Armor, Creuse, Deux-Sèvres, Dordogne, Doubs, Essonne, Eure, Eure-et-Loir, Finistère, Gers, Gironde, Hauts-de-Seine, Haute-Loire, Haute-Vienne, Ille-et-Vilaine, Indre, Indre-et-Loire, Jura, Loir-et-Cher, Loire, Loire-Atlantique, Loiret, Lot-et-Garonne, Lot, Lozère, Maine-et-Loire, Manche, Marne, Mayenne, Morbihan, Nièvre, Nord, Oise, Orne, Pas-de-Calais, Puy-de-Dôme, Rhône, Haute-Saône, Saône-et-Loire, Sarthe, Seine-Maritime, Seine-Saint-Denis, Territoire de Belfort, Val-de-Marne, Val-d'Oise, Vendée, Vienne, Yonne, Yvelines, Ville de Paris, Vosges.

In Italy:

- Lombardy region: provinces of Bergamo, Brescia, Como, Cremona, Lecco, Lodi, Mantua, Milan, Pavia, Sondrio, Varese.
- Sardinia region: Cagliari, Nuoro, Oristano and Sassari.
- Trentino-Alto Aldige region: provinces of Bolzano and Trento.
- Tuscany region: province of Arezzo.

In Portugal:

Autonomous Region of the Azores.

In Spain:

Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Las Palmas.