

COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 July 1995

drawing up a list of border inspection posts agreed for veterinary checks on products and animals from third countries, detailed rules concerning the checks to be carried out by the veterinary experts of the Commission and repealing Decision 94/24/EC

(Text with EEA relevance)

(95/357/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 90/675/EEC of 10 December 1990 laying down the principles governing the organization of veterinary checks on products entering the Community from third countries ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by the Act of Accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden, and in particular Articles 9 and 20 thereof,

Having regard to Council Directive 91/496/EEC of 15 July 1991 laying down the principles governing the organization of veterinary checks on animals entering the Community from third countries and amending Directives 86/662/EEC, 90/425/EEC and 90/675/EEC ⁽²⁾, as last amended by the Act of Accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden and in particular Articles 6 and 19 thereof,

Whereas Commission Decision 94/24/EC ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Decision 94/988/EC ⁽⁴⁾, gives lists of border inspection posts agreed for veterinary checks on products and animals from third countries;

Whereas under that Decision each preselected border inspection post was to be inspected by the Commission; whereas these inspections have been made and have shown that in most cases improvements have been effected;

Whereas a list of agreed border inspection posts should therefore be established and Decision 94/24/EC repealed;

Whereas it is necessary to set up the periodicity of the inspections to be carried out by veterinary experts of the Commission, taking into account, in particular, the number of consignments checked annually by each border inspection post;

Whereas it is necessary to ensure that Member States are regularly informed of the results of the controls;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Veterinary checks on products and animals brought into the Community from third countries shall be carried out by the competent national authorities at the agreed border inspection posts listed in the Annex.

Member States may, observing the requirements of Article 9 of Directive 90/675/EEC and of Article 6 of Directive 91/496/EEC, propose that other border inspection posts be removed or added to the list annexed.

Article 2

1. Each year, every agreed border inspection post listed in the Annex shall be inspected by the Commission veterinary experts in cooperation with the competent national authorities. This inspection shall include in particular a check on infrastructures, equipment and working of the border inspection post. The inspection report shall be sent to the Member State concerned within two months of the visit.

2. By way of derogation to paragraph 1 the Commission, after consultation of the Member States concerned, and after an exchange of views in the Standing Veterinary Committee, may reduce the frequency of visits for certain agreed border inspection posts. However, such border inspection posts shall be visited at least every three years.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 373, 31. 12. 1990, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 268, 24. 9. 1991, p. 56.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 18, 21. 1. 1994, p. 16.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1994, p. 54.

3. Each year the Commission shall send to the Member States a copy of the inspection report for all the border inspection posts visited in the previous 12 months together with a report concerning the evolution of the general situation of the agreed border inspection posts.

Article 3

Decision 94/24/EEC is hereby repealed.

Article 4

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 26 July 1995.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

1	Border inspection post		All products for human consumption		Other products		Live animals			Remarks
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Code	Nome	Type (1)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Ungulates (4)	Registered equidae (5)	Other animals	
FRANCE (cont'd)										
	Saint-Louis Bâle	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x			x	
		Road	x (6)	x	x	x				
		Rail	x (6)	x	x	x				
	Sète	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
	Toulouse-Blagnac	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x			x	
IRELAND										
	Cork	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x		
	Dublin Airport	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	Dublin-Port	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
	Killybegs	Port	x (6)							Fishery products only
	Rosslare	Port					x	x		
	Shannon	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	Waterford	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x		
ITALIA										
	Ancona	Airport	x	x						
	Bari	Port	x	x						
	Bologna-Borgo Panigale	Airport	x	x					x	
	Campocologno	Rail					x			
	Catania	Airport	x	x						
	Chiasso	Road	x	x			x		x	
		Rail	x	x			x		x	

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ITALIA (cont'd)										
	Domodossola-Iselle	Rail	x	x	x	x				
	Gaeta	Port	x							Fishery products only
	Genova	Airport	x	x	x	x				
		Port	x	x	x	x				
	Gorizia	Airport	x	x	x	x				
		Road	x	x	x	x	x			
		Road	x	x	x	x	x			
	Grand San Bernardo-Pollein	Road	x	x	x	x				
	La Spezia	Port	x	x	x	x				
	Livorno-Pisa	Airport	x	x	x	x				
		Port	x	x	x	x				
	Milano-Linate	Airport	x	x	x	x				
	Milano-Malpensa	Airport	x	x	x	x				
	Napoli	Airport	x	x	x	x				
		Port	x	x	x	x				
	Olbia	Port	x							
	Palermo	Airport	x							
		Port	x							
	Prosecco-Fernetti	Port	x							
		Road	x							
		Rail	x							
	Ravenna	Port	x							
	Reggio Calabria	Airport	x							
	Roma-Fiumicino	Airport	x							
	Salerno	Port	x							
	Taranto	Port	x							
	Torino-Caselle	Airport	x							
	Trapani	Port	x							
	Trieste	Port	x							
		Road	x							
	Venezia	Airport	x							
		Port	x							
	Verona-Villafranca	Airport	x							

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UNITED KINGDOM											
Aberdeen		Airport	x ⁽⁶⁾	x		x					
		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Belfast		Airport	x ⁽⁶⁾	x	x				x		
		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Boston		Port									
Bristol		Port	x							Animal proteins and hides and skins	
Cardiff		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Colchester		Port			x					Animal proteins	
Dover		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
East Midlands		Airport	x ⁽⁶⁾						x	Tropical fish only	
Falmouth		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾							Fishery products only	
Felixstowe		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Fosdyke		Port									
Garston		Port								Animal proteins	
Gatwick		Airport	x ⁽⁶⁾	x					x	Animal proteins	
Glasgow George IV Dock		Port									
Glasgow		Airport	x ⁽⁶⁾	x					x	Animal proteins	
Glasson		Port									
Goole		Port									
Grangemouth		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾								
Great Yarmouth		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Grimby-Immingham		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Grove Wharf		Port									
Wharfedale		Port									
Harwich		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							
Heathrow		Airport	x ⁽⁶⁾	x					x		
Heysham		Port	x ⁽⁶⁾	x							

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UNITED KINGDOM (continued)											
	Howdydyke Wharf	Port		x		x					
	Hull	Port	x (6)		x						Animal proteins and fishery products
	Invergordon	Port	x (6)			x					
	Ipswich	Port	x (6)	x							Animal proteins
	Keadby Wharf	Port									Animal proteins and fishery products only
	Kings Lynn	Port									Animal proteins and fishery products
	Leith	Port	x (6)								
	Lerwick	Port	x (6)								
	Liverpool	Port	x (6)	x							
	Luton	Airport					x				
	Manchester	Airport	x (6)	x							
	Milford Haven incorporating Pembroke	Port	x (6)	x							
	Mistley	Port									Animal proteins, hides and skins and feathers
	Newhaven	Port	x (6)	x							
	North Killingholme Wharf	Port									
	Perth Port	Port									
	Peterhead	Port	x (6)								Animal proteins
	Portsmouth	Port	x (6)	x							Fishery products only
	Prestwick	Airport	x (6)								Fishery products, semen and embryos only
	Scrabster	Port	x (6)								Fishery products only
	Seaham	Port									Animal proteins

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UNITED KINGDOM (continued)										
	Selby Wharf	Port				x				Animal proteins
	Sharpness Docks	Port		x		x				Animal proteins
	Sheerness	Port	x (6)		x	x				Wool only
	Shoreham	Port		x		x				Fish at ambient temperature only
	Southampton	Port	x (6)		x	x		x		Animal proteins
	Stansted	Airport		x		x				Animal proteins
	Sutton Bridge	Port								Animal proteins
	Teesport	Port	x (6)	x						Animal proteins
	Teignmouth	Port				x				Animal proteins
	Thamesport	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				Other animals: zoological animals only
	Tilbury	Port	x (6)	x	x	x		x		
	Tyne-Northshields	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				

(1) Select as appropriate.

(2) Frozen/chilled products.

(3) No low temperature requirements.

(4) Ungulates: cattle, pigs, sheep, goats, wild and domestic solipeds, etc.

(5) As defined in Council Directive 90/426/EEC.

(6) Checking in line with the requirements of Commission Decision 93/352/EEC taken in execution of Article 18 (4) of Council Directive 90/675/EEC.