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COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 2 December 1996

drawing up a list of border inspection posts agreed for veterinary checks on products and animals from third countries, laying down detailed rules concerning the checks to be carried out by the veterinary experts of the Commission and repealing Decision 95/357/EC

(Text with EEA relevance)

(96/742/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

inspection posts agreed for veterinary checks on products and animals from third countries;

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Whereas Commission Decision 94/958/EC of 28 December 1994, laying down the transitional measures to be applied by Finland with regard to veterinary checks on products entering Finland from third countries⁽⁶⁾, as amended by Decision 95/82/EC⁽⁷⁾, expires on 31 December 1996, it is necessary to include the border inspection posts of Finland fulfilling the EC requirements for the veterinary checks on products from third countries in the list of approved border inspection posts, from 1 January 1997;

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 Directive 96/43/EC⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 9 and 20 thereof,

Whereas Commission Decision 95/157/EC of 21 April 1995, laying down the transitional measures to be applied by Sweden with regards to veterinary checks on live animals and animal products entering Sweden from third countries⁽⁸⁾ has expired, it is necessary to include the border inspection posts of Sweden fulfilling the EC requirements for the veterinary checks on live animals and animal products from third countries in the list of approved border inspection posts;

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 89/662/EEC, 90/425/EEC and 90/675/EEC⁽³⁾, as last amended by Directive 96/43/EC and in particular Articles 6 and 19 thereof,

Whereas Commission Decision 95/357/EC⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Decision 96/499/EC⁽⁵⁾, gives a list of border

Whereas the numerous amendments made to the list of approved border inspection posts since 1 July 1995 have made it necessary to adopt a new decision drawing up a consolidated list of agreed border inspection posts and Decision 95/357/EC should therefore be repealed;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 373, 31. 12. 1990, p. 1.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 162, 1. 7. 1996, p. 1.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 268, 24. 9. 1991, p. 56.⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 211, 6. 9. 1995, p. 43.⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 203, 13. 8. 1996, p. 11.⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 371, 31. 12. 1994, p. 21.⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 66, 24. 3. 1995, p. 26.⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 103, 6. 5. 1995, p. 40.

Whereas Commission Decision 96/295/EC of 18 April 1996, identifying and listing the units in the Animo computer network⁽¹⁾ and repealing Decision 92/175/EEC provides, *inter alia*, the Animo codes of the border inspection posts, it is necessary to include these codes into column 1 of the list of approved border inspection posts;

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, for improving the collaboration between the Member States and the Commission, it is necessary to enable Commission experts to be accompanied by experts appointed by the Commission who are subject to certain obligations and have reimbursement of their travel and subsistence costs guaranteed;

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.

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

1. In addition to experts from the Member State inspected, the Commission's experts may be accompanied during the checks by one or more experts, listed in accordance with paragraph 2, from one or more other Member States.

When checks are organized, the participation of an expert from another Member State may be refused by the Member State where these checks shall be carried out. This opportunity may only be used once.

2. Each Member State shall propose to the Commission not less than two experts whose competence is beyond doubt, and shall communicate to it their names, their special fields, their exact official addresses, fax and telephone numbers.

The Commission shall draw up a list of experts, other than the experts of the Commission.

Where a Member State considers that one of the experts proposed by it should no longer be included in the list, it shall so inform the Commission. If the number of experts would thereby fall below the minimum required, the Member State shall propose one or more replacements to the Commission.

Article 4

1. During the checks, the Member State expert or experts appointed by the Commission shall comply with the Commission's administrative rules.

2. Information acquired or conclusions reached by the Member State expert or experts during the course of checks may on no account be used for personal purposes or divulged to persons who are not part of the competent services of the Commission or the Member States.

3. The travel and subsistence costs incurred by the Member State expert or experts appointed by the Commission shall be reimbursed in accordance with its rules governing travel and subsistence costs incurred by persons who are not officials of the Commission and who are called on to perform the tasks of an expert.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 113, 7. 5. 1996, p. 1.

Article 5

The part of the Annex relating to Finland shall apply from 1 January 1997.

Article 6

Decision 95/357/EC is hereby repealed.

Article 7

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 2 December 1996.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

Animo code	Border inspection post		All products for human consumption		Other products		Live animals			Remarks
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Name	Type (1)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Ungulates (4)	Registered equidae (5)	Other animals	
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DEUTSCHLAND (cont'd)										
0151599	Brake	Port				x				Animal proteins
0150699	Nordenham	Port	x	x	x					Icelandic ponies (from April to October only)
0150799	Bremen	Port	x	x	x					
	Bremerhaven	Port						x		
0151699	Cuxhaven	Port	x	x	x					
0150399	Forst	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
0151099	Frankfurt/Main	Airport	x	x	x		x		x	
0150499	Frankfurt/Oder	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
		Rail				x				
0149399	Furth im Wald-	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
0153399	Schafberg	Rail				x				
0150999	Hamburg	Airport	x	x	x		x		x	
	Flughafen									
0150899	Hamburg	Port	x	x	x					
	Hafen									
0152699	Kiel	Port	x	x	x		x		x	
0152099	Köln	Airport	x	x	x				x	
0153199	Konstanz	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
	Straße									
0151799	Langenhagen	Airport		x			x		x	
0152399	Ludwigsdorf	Road	x	x			x		x	
	Autobahn									
0152799	Lübeck	Port	x	x	x		x		x	
0149699	München	Airport	x	x	x				x	
0151299	Pomellen	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
0151399	Rostock	Port	x	x	x		x		x	
0151199	Rügen	Port	x	x	x					
0149799	Schirnding	Road	x	x	x				x	
	Landstraße									
0152499	Schönberg	Road	x	x	x				x	
0150599	Schönefeld	Airport	x	x	x		x		x	
0149099	Stuttgart	Airport	x	x	x				x	
0150099	Waidhaus	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
0149199	Weil/Rhein	Road	x	x	x		x		x	
0153299	Mannheim	Rail	x	x	x					
0152599	Zinnwald	Road	x	x	x		x		x	

1	Border inspection post		All products for human consumption		Other products		Live animals			Remarks
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Animo code	Name	Type (1)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Ungulates (4)	Registered equidae (5)	Other animals	
ESPAÑA (cont'd)										
1147399	Malaga	Airport	x	x	x	x			x	
1147999	Palma de Mallorca	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
1147799	Pasajes-Irún	Airport	x	x	x				x	
1148099	Santa Cruz de Tenerife	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	Santander	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	Sevilla	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	Tarragona	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
1147299	Valencia	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
1147699	Vigo-Villagarcía — Marin	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	Vitoria	Port	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
FRANCE										
0216099	Beauvais	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x				
0213399	Bordeaux	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0216299	Boulogne-sur-mer	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0212999	Brest	Port	x	x	x	x				
0221499	Caen	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0222999	Concarneau — Douarnenez	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0211499	Deauville	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0210199	Divonne	Road	x (6)	x	x	x				
0215999	Dunkerque	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0220199	Ferney — Voltaire (Genève)	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0211799	La Rochelle — Rochefort	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0217699	Le Havre	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0215699	Lorient	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0216999	Lyon-Satolas	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x				

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ITALIA (cont'd)										
0303199	Campocologno	Rail	x	x	x	x	x			Other animals from Malta only
0300799	Catania	Airport Port							x	
0300599	Chiasso	Road Rail	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
0300699	Domodossola — Iselle	Rail	x	x	x	x				
0303299	Gaeta	Port	x							Fishery products only
0301099	Genova	Airport Port	x	x	x	x			x	
0301199	Gorizia	Airport Route	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
0302099	Grand San Bernardo — Pollein	Road	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
0303399	La Spezia	Port	x	x	x	x				
0301399	Livorno - Pisa	Airport Port	x	x	x	x				
0301299	Milano - Linate	Airport	x	x	x	x			x	
0301599	Milano - Malpensa	Airport	x	x	x	x			x	
0301899	Napoli	Airport Port	x	x						
0302299	Olbia	Port	x							
0301999	Palermo	Airport Port	x	x						
0302399	Prosecco - Ferneti	Road Rail	x	x	x	x	x	x		
0303499	Ravenna	Port	x	x	x	x				
0301799	Reggio Calabria	Airport	x	x	x	x				
0300899	Roma - Fiumicino	Airport	x	x	x	x			x	
0303599	Salerno	Port	x	x						
0303699	Taranto	Port	x	x						

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ITALIA (cont'd)										
0302599	Torino Caselle	Airport	x	x	x	x			x	
0303799	Trapani	Port	x	x	x	x				
0302699	Trieste	Port Road	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
0302799	Venezia	Airport Port	x	x	x	x				
0302999	Verona - Villafranca	Airport	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
LUXEMBOURG										
0600199	Luxembourg	Airport	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
NEDERLAND										
0401399	Amsterdam	Airport	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
0401799		Port	x	x	x	x				
0401899	Eernshaven	Port	x	x						
0402099	Harlingen	Port	x	x						
0401599	Maastricht	Airport	x	x	x	x	x	x		Semen only
0402699	Moerdijk	Port	x	x						
0401499	Rotterdam	Airport	x	x	x	x				
0401699		Port	x	x						
0402199	Vlissingen	Port	x	x	x	x				
PORTUGAL										
1204499	Aveiro	Port	x							Fishery products only
1203599	Faro	Airport	x	x					x	Packed products only
1204599	Figueira da Foz	Port	x							Frozen packed fishery products only
1203699	Funchal (Madeira)	Airport Port	x	x					x	
1204299	Horta (Acores)	Port	x							Fishery products only

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PORTUGAL (cont'd)										
1203399	Lisboa	Airport	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	Fishery products only
1203999		Port	x	x	x	x				Fishery products only
1204799	Olhão	Port	x							
1204699	Peniche	Port	x							
1203799	Ponta Delgada (Açores)	Airport	x	x	x	x				Fishery products only
1204199	Portimão	Port	x							
1203499	Porto	Airport	x	x	x	x			x	
1204099		Port	x	x	x	x				
1203899	Praia da Vitória (Açores)	Port	x	x	x	x				
1204899	Setúbal	Port	x							Packed products only
1204399	Viana do Castelo	Port	x							Fishery products only
SUOMI/FINLAND										
1400199	Helsinki	Airport	x	x	x	x				
1411299	Ivalo	Port	x	x	x	x				
1401299	Muonio	Road	x							
1410299	Naantali	Road	x	x	x	x				
1400299	Turku	Port								
1410599	Vaalimaa	Port	x	x						Only feedingsuffs in bulk
1401099	Vaasa	Road	x							
1401099	Vaasa	Port								
SVERIGE										
1625199	Björntell - Kiruna	Road	x	x	x	x			x	
1614299	Eda	Road	x	x	x	x				Port-Icelandic ponies (from April to October only)
1614199	Göteborg	Port	x	x	x	x				
1617199	Han	Airport	x	x	x	x				
1612399	Helsingborg	Road	x	x	x	x				
1612399	Helsingborg	Port	x	x	x	x				

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		Type (1)	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
				Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Ungulates (4)	Registered equidae (5)	Other animals	
SVERIGE (cont'd)											
1610199	Karlskrona	Port		x	x	x	x				Fishery products only
	Lysekil	Port		x	x						
1612499	Malmö	Port		x	x						
	Norrköping	Port		x	x						
1601199	Stockholm	Port		x	x						
1601299	Stockholm-Arlanda	Airport		x	x			x	x	x	
1623199	Storfien - Järpen	Road		x	x			x	x	x	
1614399	Svinesund	Road		x	x			x	x	x	
	Vaarberg	Port		x	x						
1612199	Ystad	Port		x	x						Only packed products
UNITED KINGDOM											
0730499	Aberdeen	Airport		x (6)	x						
0730399		Port		x (6)	x						
0740099	Belfast	Airport		x (6)	x					x	
		Port		x (6)	x						
0711099	Bristol	Port		x	x						
0720499	Cardiff	Port						x			
0710599	Colchester	Port									
0711499	Dover	Port		x (6)	x						Animal proteins
0712199	East Midlands	Airport		x (6)	x						
0714299	Falmouth	Port		x (6)	x					x	Tropical fish only
0713099	Felixstowe	Port		x (6)	x						Fishery products only
0710199	Fosdyke	Port									
0710299	Garston	Port									
0713299	Gatwick	Airport		x (6)	x					x	
0731099	Glasgow George IV Dock	Port									
0730599	Glasgow	Airport		x (6)	x					x	
0710399	Glasson	Port									
0714099	Goole	Port									
0730899	Grangemouth	Port		x (6)	x						Animal proteins Fishery products only

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	Border inspection post	Name	Type (1)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Registered equidae (4)	Other animals	Remarks	
0712599	Great Yarmouth	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0712299	Grimsby — Immingham	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0711599	Grove Wharf Wharfedale	Port																					
0710699	Harwich	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0710699	Heathrow	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0712499	Heysham	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0714199	Hull	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0730299	Invergordon	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0713199	Ipswich	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0712699	King's Lynn	Port																					
0730799	Leith	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0730099	Lerwick	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0712099	Liverpool	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0710099	Luton	Airport																					
0713799	Manchester	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0720299	Milford Haven incorporating Pembroke	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0713399	Newhaven	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0730999	Perth Port	Port																					
0730699	Peterhead	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0711299	Portsmouth	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0731199	Prestwick	Airport	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
0730199	Scrabster	Port																					
0712799	Seaham	Port																					
0712899	Selby Wharf	Port																					
0711199	Sharpness Docks	Port																					

UNITED KINGDOM (cont'd)

Animal proteins and fishery products only

Animal proteins

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Only cats, dogs, rodents, lagomorphs, live fish, reptiles and ratites birds and other birds than ratites

Animal proteins

Fishery products only

Fishery products, semen and embryos only

Fishery products only

Animal proteins

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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Name	Type (1)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Temperature (2)	Other (3)	Ungulates (4)	Registered equidae (5)	Other animals	
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UNITED KINGDOM (cont'd)										
0711799	Sheerness	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				Wool only
0713499	Shorcham	Port								
0711399	Southampton	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0710799	Stansted	Airport		x	x	x	x	x	x	Until 31. 12. 1996 Fish at ambient temperature only
0713599	Sutton Bridge	Port								Animal proteins
0713899	Teesport	Port	x (6)	x						Animal proteins
0713699	Teignmouth	Port								
0711899	Thamesport	Port	x (6)	x	x	x				
0710899	Tilbury	Port	x (6)	x	x	x	x	x	x	Other animals: zoological animals only
0712999	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

(7) For 'live animals' see decision 94/957/EC of 28 December 1994