

SECOND COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 27 July 1973

modifying the Annexes to the Council Directive of 23 November 1970 on additives
in feedingstuffs

(73/275/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the Euro-
pean Economic Community ;

Having regard to the Council Directive of 23
November 1970 ⁽¹⁾ on additives in feedingstuffs, as
last amended by the first Commission Directive of
27 July 1973 ⁽²⁾.

Whereas the provisions of the abovementioned
Directive provide that the content of the Annexes
must be constantly amended due to the development
of scientific and technical knowledge ;

Whereas it is apparent that the group of penicillins
and also the mixture of penicillin-G-strepto-
mycin listed in Annex I do not correspond, at the
present time, to certain aspects of the requirements
of animal nutrition ; whereas it is now convenient to
place them in Annex II, under certain conditions of
use ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Directive
are in accordance with the Opinion of the Standing
Committee for Feedingstuffs ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE :

Article 1

The Annexes to the Council Directive of 23 Novem-
ber 1970, concerning additives in feedingstuffs, shall
be amended as stipulated in the following articles.

Article 2

In Annex I part A 'Antibiotics', the additives num-
bered EEC E 705, E 706, E 707, E 708 and E 709
and all relevant references shall be deleted.

Article 3

The following provisions shall be added to Annex II
part A 'Antibiotics' :

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 270, 14. 12. 1970, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 253, 10. 9. 1973, p. 12.

No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content	Maximum content	Other provisions
					ppm of complete feedingstuffs		
10	Penicillin-G-potassium ⁽¹⁾	C ₁₆ H ₁₈ KN ₂ O ₄ S	Poultry (excluding ducks, geese, laying hens and pigeons)	From hatching to the end of the 4th week	5	50	Use prohibited at least three weeks before slaughter
11	Penicillin-G-sodium	C ₁₆ H ₁₈ NaN ₂ O ₄ S		From the 5th week to the end of the 10th week	5	20	
12	Penicillin-G-procaine ⁽¹⁾	C ₂₉ H ₃₈ N ₄ O ₆ S · H ₂ O	Lambs and kids	From birth to the end of the 16th week	5	50	
					5	80 (a)	
13	Penicillin-G-benzathine ⁽¹⁾	C ₄₈ H ₅₆ N ₆ O ₈ S ₂	Swine	From the 17th week to the end of the 6th month	5	20	
				From birth to the end of the 8th week	5	50	
				From the 9th week to the end of the 4th month	5	20	
14	Mixture of : penicillin-G-sodium or procaine (3 parts) and streptomycin (7 parts)	C ₁₆ H ₁₈ NaN ₂ O ₄ S	Animals bred for fur	—	5	50	
			Calves	6 months	5	20	
					5	80 (a)	
			Lambs and kids	6 months	5	20	
					5	80 (a)	
			Swine	4 months	5	20	
			Animals bred for fur	—	5	20	

⁽¹⁾ Levels of use referred to penicillin-G-sodium ;
1 ppm penicillin-G-Na or — K = 1.66 ppm penicillin G Procaine = 1.66 IU of penicillin per kg.
(a) Milk feeds.

Article 4

The Member States shall, not later than 1 January 1974, bring into force the laws, regulations or administrative provisions necessary to comply with this Directive. They shall forthwith inform the Commission thereof.

Article 5

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 27 July 1973.

For the Commission
The President
François-Xavier ORTOLI