

Council Directive 2006/88/EC of 24 October 2006 on animal health requirements for aquaculture animals and products thereof, and on the prevention and control of certain diseases in aquatic animals

CHAPTER VIII

COMPETENT AUTHORITIES AND LABORATORIES

Article 55

Community reference laboratories

- 1 Community reference laboratories for the aquatic animal diseases relevant to this Directive shall be designated in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 62(2) for a period to be defined in accordance with that procedure.
- 2 Community reference laboratories for aquatic animal diseases shall comply with the functions and duties laid down in Part I of Annex VI.
- 3 The Commission shall review the designation of the Community reference laboratories by the end of the period referred to in paragraph 1 at the latest, in the light of their compliance with the functions and duties referred to in paragraph 2.