

Council Regulation (EC) No 1493/1999 of 17 May 1999 on  
the common organisation of the market in wine (repealed)

TITLE VIII

**GENERAL, TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS**

*Article 70*

1 The products covered by this Regulation may be put into circulation within the Community only with an officially checked accompanying document.

2 Natural or legal persons or groups of persons who hold such products in the exercise of their trade, in particular producers, bottlers and processors, as well as merchants to be determined, shall be obliged to keep goods inwards and outwards registers in respect of those products.

3 Detailed rules for the application of this Article, and in particular the nature and form of the document referred to in paragraph 1, and the derogations from this Article, shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 75.

*Article 71*

1 Save as otherwise provided in this Regulation, Articles 87, 88 and 89 of the Treaty shall apply to the production of and trade in the products covered by this Regulation.

2 Chapter II of Title II shall not impede the granting of national aid designated to achieve objectives similar to those sought by that Chapter. Paragraph 1 shall nevertheless apply to such aids.

*Article 72*

1 Member States shall designate one or more authorities which shall be responsible for ensuring compliance with Community rules in the wine sector. They shall also designate the laboratories authorised to carry out official analyses in the wine sector.

2 Member States shall inform the Commission of the names and addresses of these authorities and laboratories. The Commission shall forward this information to the other Member State.

3 The Commission shall set up a body of specific officials to collaborate with the competent authorities of the Member States in on-the-spot checks in order to ensure the uniform application of the rules in the wine sector.

4 Detailed rules for the application of this Article shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 75.

These rules may in particular include provisions:

- a to ensure uniform application of Community provisions in the wine sector, in particular as regards controls;
- b governing relation between the designated authorities;
- c governing the specific financial procedures for the improvement of controls;
- d governing administrative sanctions, and
- e governing the powers and obligations of the designed inspectors.

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### Article 73

Member States and the Commission shall communicate to each other the information necessary for implementing this Regulation. Detailed rules governing such communication, including the nature and format of the information to be transmitted, and time limits for its communication as well as distribution of the information gathered shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 75.

### Article 74

A Management Committee for Wine (hereinafter called 'the Committee') is hereby set up consisting of representatives of Member States and chaired by a representative of the Commission.

### [<sup>F1</sup>Article 75

- 1 The Commission shall be assisted by the Management Committee for Wine.
  - 2 Where reference is made to this Article, Articles 4 and 7 of Decision 1999/468/EC<sup>(1)</sup> shall apply.
- The period laid down in Article 4(3) of Decision 1999/468/EC shall be set at one month.
- 3 The Committee shall adopt its Rules of Procedure.]

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Substituted by [Council Regulation \(EC\) No 806/2003 of 14 April 2003 adapting to Decision 1999/468/EC the provisions relating to committees which assist the Commission in the exercise of its implementing powers laid down in Council instruments adopted in accordance with the consultation procedure \(qualified majority\).](#)

### Article 76

The Committee may examine any other question raised by the Chairman, either on his own initiative or at the request of the representative of a Member State.

### Article 77

- 1 This Regulation shall be so applied that appropriate account is taken, at the same time, of the objectives set out in Article 33 and 131 of the Treaty.
- 2 This Regulation shall be applied having regard to the obligations arising from the international agreements concluded in accordance with Article 300(2) of the Treaty.

### Article 78

- 1 Regulation (EC) No 1258/1999 and the provisions adopted in implementation thereof shall apply to the products covered by this Regulation.
- 2 The premium referred to in Chapter II of Title II, the support referred to in Chapter III of that Title, the aid referred to in Chapter I of Title III, the buying-in and support referred to in Chapter II of that Title and the aids referred to in Chapter III of that Title and the refunds referred to in Title VII shall be regarded as intervention designed to stabilise agricultural markets within the meaning of Article 2(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1258/1999.
- 3 Notwithstanding any more restrictive provisions, the Community support which may be granted under Title III and the refunds which may be granted under Title VII may only

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be granted in respect of products produced in the Community from grapes harvested in the Community.

#### *Article 79*

With a view to preventing surpluses of table wine and wines suitable for yielding table wine, the Member States may set a limit for crop yields expressed as an amount of hectolitres per hectare, the overshoot of which shall result in the producers' ineligibility for benefits under this Regulation.

#### *Article 80*

In accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 75, measures shall be adopted:

- (a) to facilitate the transition from the arrangements provided for in the Regulations referred to in Article 81 and those established by this Regulation;
- (b) where required, to resolve specific practical problems. Such measures, if duly justified, may derogate from certain provisions of this Regulation.

#### *Article 81*

Regulations (EEC) No 346/79, (EEC) No 351/79, (EEC) No 460/79, (EEC) No 456/80, (EEC) No 457/80, (EEC) No 458/80, (EEC) No 1873/84, (EEC) No 895/85, (EEC) No 822/87, (EEC) No 823/87, (EEC) No 1442/88, (EEC) No 3877/88, (EEC) No 4252/88, (EEC) No 2046/89, (EEC) No 2048/89, (EEC) No 2389/89, (EEC) No 2390/89, (EEC) No 2391/89, (EEC) No 2392/89, (EEC) No 3677/89, (EEC) No 3895/91, (EEC) No 2332/92 and (EEC) No 2333/92 are hereby repealed.

#### *Article 82*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply from 1 August 2000.

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(1) [<sup>F1</sup>OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23.]

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