

Commission Regulation (EC) No 889/2008 of 5 September 2008 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 on organic production and labelling of organic products with regard to organic production, labelling and control

[^{F1}TITLE II

**RULES ON PRODUCTION, PRESERVATION, PROCESSING,
PACKAGING, TRANSPORT AND STORAGE OF ORGANIC PRODUCTS]**

CHAPTER 6

Exceptional production rules

Section 2

Exceptional production rules related to non-availability of organic farm inputs in accordance with Article 22(2)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 834/2007

[^{F1} Article 43

Use of non-organic protein feed of plant and animal origin for livestock

Where the conditions laid down in Article 22(2)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 apply and where farmers are unable to obtain protein feed exclusively from organic production, the use of a limited proportion of non-organic protein feed is allowed for porcine and poultry species.

[^{F2}The maximum percentage of non-organic protein feed authorised per period of 12 months for those species shall be 5 % for calendar years [^{F3}2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025].]

The figures shall be calculated annually as a percentage of the dry matter of feed from agricultural origin.

The operator shall keep documentary evidence of the need for the use of this provision.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Substituted by Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 505/2012 of 14 June 2012 amending and correcting Regulation (EC) No 889/2008 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 on organic production and labelling of organic products with regard to organic production, labelling and control.
- F2** Substituted by Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1584 of 22 October 2018 amending Regulation (EC) No 889/2008 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 on organic production and labelling of organic products with regard to organic production, labelling and control (Text with EEA relevance).

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F3 Words in Art. 43 substituted (31.12.2022) by [The Organic Production \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1279\)](#), regs. 1(1), **2(3)**

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulation applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2023/959 reg. 6Sch. 3](#)

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- Annex 2 para. 3 words substituted by [S.I. 2019/693 reg. 3\(56\)](#)
- Art. 29(1)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/693 reg. 3\(17\)\(b\)\(i\)\(bb\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). [S.I. 2019/693](#), reg. 3(17)(b)(i)(bb) substituted immediately before IP completion day by [S.I. 2020/1400](#), regs. 1(b), 3(3)(e))