COMMISSION DECISION

of 1 March 1978

amending the Annex to Fifth Council Decision 76/539/EEC on the equivalence of seed produced in third countries

(78/302/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Fifth Council Decision 76/539/EEC of 17 May 1976 on the equivalence of seed produced in third countries [1], as amended by Council Decision 77/659/EEC [2], and in particular Article 2 thereof,

Whereas Norway has given notice that the competent service for the acceptance of seed is the 'Statens Planteavlsråd' ;

Whereas the Annex to the said Decision should be amended accordingly ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seed and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

In the Annex to Decision 76/539/EEC, reference number 8, column 3, the words 'Statens Såvareråd (State Seed Council), Oslo' are hereby replaced by the words 'Statens Planteavlsråd (National Seed Council) Ås'.

Article 2

This Decision shall apply with effect from 1 January 1978.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

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(1) OJ No L 162, 23. 6. 1976, p. 10.
(2) OJ No L 271, 22. 10. 1977, p. 12.