COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 March 1991

approving the plan for the eradication of brucellosis in sheep and goats presented by France

(Only the French text is authentic)

(91/220/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 90/242/EEC of 21 May 1990 introducing a Community financial measure for the eradication of brucellosis in sheep and goats [1] and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas, in accordance with Article 1 of Decision 90/242/EEC Member States, as appropriate, are to prepare plans for the eradication of brucellosis in sheep and goats in accordance with Articles 3, 4 and 5 of the same Decision ;

Whereas by letter dated 1 October 1990 France notified the Commission of a three-year plan for the eradication of brucellosis in sheep and goats ;

Whereas, after examination, the plan was found to comply with Decision 90/242/EEC ;

Whereas the conditions for financial participation by the Community are therefore met, whereas it is available in relation to this question to apply the disposition of Article 9 (2) first indent ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The plan for the eradication of brucellosis in sheep and goats presented by France is hereby approved.

Article 2

France shall bring into force by 1 March 1991 the laws, regulations and administrative provisions for implementing the plan referred to in Article 1.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 26 March 1991.

For the Commission

Ray MAC SHARRY

Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 140, 1. 6. 1990, p. 123.