COMMISSION DECISION

of 14 October 1993

repealing Decision 91/654/EEC on certain protective measures regarding molluscs and crustaceans from the United Kingdom

(93/529/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 89/662/EEC of 11 December 1989 concerning veterinary checks in intra-Community trade with a view to the completion of the internal market [1], as last amended by Directive 92/118/EEC [2], and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof,

Whereas, by Decision 91/654/EEC of 12 December 1992 on certain protective measures regarding molluscs and crustaceans from the United Kingdom [3], the Commission adopted protective measures in respect of certain batches of crustaceans and molluscs from Scotland;

Whereas application by the United Kingdom of Council Directive 91/492/EEC of 15 July 1991 laying down the health conditions for the production and the placing on the market of live bivalve molluscs [4] and Council Directive 91/493/EEC of 22 July 1991 laying down the health conditions for the production and the placing on the market of fishery products [5] means that Decision 91/654/EEC is no longer relevant; whereas, under these conditions for reasons of legal clarity Decision 91/654/EEC should be repealed;

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

Decision 91/654/EEC is hereby repealed.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 14 October 1993.

For the Commission

René STEICHEN

Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 395, 30. 12. 1989, p. 13.
[2] OJ No L 62, 15. 3. 1993, p. 49.
[3] OJ No L 350, 19. 12. 1991, p. 59.
[4] OJ No L 268, 24. 9. 1991, p. 1.
[5] OJ No L 268, 24. 9. 1991, p. 15.