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COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 29 October 1993

amending Decision 93/539/EEC concerning certain protection measures relating to classical swine fever in Germany and repealing Decision 93/364/EEC

(93/553/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 90/425/EEC of 26 June 1990 concerning veterinary and zootechnical checks applicable in intra-Community trade in certain live animals and products with a view to the completion of the internal market (1), as last amended by Directive 92/118/EEC (2) and, in particular, Article 10 (4) thereof,

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 (3), as last amended by Directive 92/118/EEC, and in particular, Article 9 (4) thereof,

Whereas as a result of outbreaks of classical swine fever in Germany, the Commission adopted Decision 93/539/EEC of 20 October 1993 concerning certain protection measures relating to classical swine fever in Germany, and repealing Decision 93/364/EEC (4);

Whereas the occurence of classical swine fever is liable to present a serious threat to the herds of other Member States in view of the trade in live pigs, fresh pigmeat and certain meat-based products;

Whereas the temporary protection measures adopted by Decision 93/539/EEC must be extended pending clarification of the classical swine fever situation;

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

In Article 6 of Decision 93/539/EEC '29 October 1993' is replaced by '4 November 1993'.

Article 2

The Member States shall amend the measures which they apply to trade so as to bring them into compliance with this Decision. They shall immediately inform the Commission thereof.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 29 October 1993.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 224, 18. 8. 1990, p. 29.
(2) OJ No L 62, 15. 3. 1993, p. 49.
(3) OJ No L 395, 30. 12. 1989, p. 13.
(4) OJ No L 262, 21. 10. 1993, p. 67.