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COMMISSION

TWENTY-THIRD COMMISSION DIRECTIVE
of 23 June 1978
amending the Annexes to Council Directive 70/524/EEC concerning the additives in feedingstuffs

(78/613/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 70/524/EEC of 23 November 1970 concerning additives in feedingstuffs (1), as last amended by twenty-second Commission Directive 78/522/EEC (2), and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas the abovementioned Directive stipulates that the content of the Annexes is to be constantly adapted to keep pace with scientific and technical knowledge ;

Whereas it appears that the use of sulphaquinoxaline allowed under Annex II still requires further testing ; whereas the period during which the Member States may authorize its use should therefore be extended subject to certain conditions ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Directive are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee for Feedingstuffs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE :

Article 1

In Annex II to Directive 70/524/EEC, under Part B 'Coccidiostats and other medicinal substances', Item No 8 'Sulphaquinoxaline' is hereby amended to read as follows :

No	Additives	Chemical name, description	Animal species	Maximum age	Minimum content (ppm of complete feedingstuff)	Maximum content (ppm of complete feedingstuff)	Other provisions	Period of authorization
8	Sulphaquinoxaline	2-p-aminobenzene sulphonamido quinoxaline	Rabbits	—	125	250	Use prohibited at least seven days before slaughter	31 December 1978

Article 2

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 23 June 1978.

For the Commission
Finn GUNDELACH
Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 270, 14. 12. 1970, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 159, 17. 6. 1978, p. 43.