COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2915/93

of 22 October 1993

amending Regulation (EEC) No 3077/78 on the equivalence with Community certificates of attestations accompanying hops imported from non-member countries

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1696/71 of 26 July 1971 on the common organization of the market in hops [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3124/92 [2], and in particular Article 5 (2) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3077/78 [3], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2238/91 [4], recognizes the equivalence with Community certificates of attestations accompanying hops imported from certain non-member countries and lists the organizations in those countries authorized to issue equivalence attestations as well as the products covered ; whereas subsequent political events have made it necessary to revise that list ; whereas it is the responsibility of the organizations concerned in those non-member countries to keep up to date the information contained in the Annex to this Regulation and to maintain close cooperation with the Commission by communicating to its departments the information concerned ;

Whereas Hungary has subsequently undertaken to comply with the requirements stipulated in respect of the marketing of hops and hop products and has authorized an organization to issue equivalence attestations ; whereas such attestations should therefore be recognized as equivalent to Community certificates and the products which they cover be released for free circulation ; whereas the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3077/78 should be amended accordingly ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Hops,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The following sentence is added to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 3077/78 :

'The Annex shall be revised on the basis of information communicated by the non-member countries concerned.'

The Annex to this Regulation replaces the Annex to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3077/78.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 22 October 1993.

For the Commission

René STEICHEN

Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 175, 4. 8. 1971, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 313, 30. 10. 1992, p. 1.
[3] OJ No L 367, 28. 12. 1978, p. 28.
[4] OJ No L 204, 27. 7. 1991, p. 13.

ANNEX

Country of origin	Organizations authorized to issue attestations	Products	CCT Heading No
USA	Inspection Division, Federal Grain Inspection Service — Idaho Department of Agriculture, Boise, Idaho — California Department of Agriculture, Sacramento, California — Oregon Department of Agriculture, Salem, Oregon — Washington Department of Agriculture, Yakima, Washington	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Poland	Ministère de la coopération économique avec l'étranger, Service du contrôle de la qualité des produits alimentaires, Varsovie	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Bulgaria	Bulgaria, 1738 Gourubliane, Sofia, Pivoimpexengineering	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Ex-Yugoslavia	Poljoprivredni Fakultet Novi Sad Institut za Ratarstvo I Povrtarstvo — Zavod za Hmelj I Sirak, Backi Petrovac	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Slovenia	Institut za Hmaljarstvo, Pivovarstvo, Zalec	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
People's Republic of China	1. Tianjin Import and Export Commodity Inspection Bureau 2. Xinjiang Import and Export Commodity Inspection Bureau 3. Neimonggol Import and Export Commodity Inspection Bureau	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Slovak Republic	Ústredny kontrolny a skúsobny ústav polnohospodársky, Matúsková 21, 833 16 Bratislava	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Czech Republic	Ustredni Kontrolni a zkusebni ustav zemedelsky, Pobocka, Zatec	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Australia	1. Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries, Tasmania 2. Victorian Employers Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Melbourne	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
New Zealand	1. Cawthron Institute, Nelson, South Island 2. Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Wellington	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Romania	Institut agronomique 'Docteur Petru Groza' Cluj — Napoca	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Canada	Division de la quarantaine des plantes	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Austria	Bundesanstalt für Agrarbiologie, Wieningerstraße 8, 4025 Linz	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00
Hungary	Budapest (Fővárosi) Allategészségügyi és Élelmiszer Ellenörzö Allomás (Budapest Veterinary Health and Food Control Station), 1135 Budapest, Lehel u. 43-47	Hop cones Hop powders Saps and extracts of hops	ex 1210 ex 1210 1302 13 00