COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 737/98

of 1 April 1998

amending Regulation (EEC) No 139/81 defining the conditions for the admission of certain kinds of frozen beef and veal to subheading 0202 30 50 of the Combined Nomenclature

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organisation of the market in beef and veal [1], as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2634/97 [2], and in particular Article 9(2) thereof,

Whereas certificates of authenticity issued by the third countries concerned must be presented for imports of certain kinds of beef at reduced customs rates pursuant to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 139/81 of 16 January 1981 defining the conditions for the admission of certain kinds of frozen beef and veal to subheading 0202 30 50 of the Combined Nomenclature [3], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1476/92 [4]; whereas the names and addresses of the issuing agencies should be updated;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 139/81 is hereby replaced by the following:

'ANNEX II

List of agencies in exporting countries empowered to issue certificates of athenticity

Third country	Issuing agency	
	Name	Address
Argentina	Secretaria de Agricultura, Ganadería, Pesca y Alimentación — SAGPyA, Dirección General de Mercados Ganaderos	Paseo Colón 922, 1° Piso Of. 146, (1063) Buenos Aires, Argentina
Australia	Australian Meat and Livestock Corporation	165 Walker Street, North Sidney 2060
Botswana	Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Animal Health and Production	Principal Veterinary Officer (Abattoir), Private Bag 12, Lobatse
New Zealand	New Zealand Meat Producers Board	110 Featherston Street, Box 121, Wellington
Swaziland	Ministry of Agriculture	PO Box 162, Mbabane

[1] OJ L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
[2] OJ L 356, 31. 12. 1997, p. 13.
[3] OJ L 15, 17. 1. 1981, p. 4.
[4] OJ L 155, 6. 6. 1992, p. 28.

Third country	Issuing agency	
	Name	Address
Uruguay	Instituto Nacional de Carnes (INAC)	Rincón 459, Montevideo
South Africa	South African Livestock and Meat Industries Control Board	Hamilton and Vermeulen Streets, Pretoria
Zimbabwe	Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Veterinary Services	PO Box 8012, Causeway, Harare, Zimbabwe
Namibia	Ministry of Agriculture, Water and Rural Development Directorate of Veterinary Services	Private Bag 12002, Auspanplatz, Windhoek 9000, Namibia'

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, 1 April 1998.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission