COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 264/1999

of 4 February 1999

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 1633/98 [2],

Having regard 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 (EC) No 134/1999 [4], and in particular Article 5(2) thereof,

Whereas New Zealand has nominated a new issuing agency for certificates of authenticity; whereas Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 139/81 should be amended accordingly,

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 authorised to issue certificates of authenticity

Third country	Issuing agency	
	Name	Address
Argentina	Secretaría de Agricultura, Ganadería, Pesca y Alimentación (SAGPyA), Dirección General de Mercados Ganaderos	Paseo Colón 922 1er Piso Oficina 146 (1063) Buenos Aires Argentina
Australia	Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry — Australia	PO Box 858 Canberra, ACT 2601
Botswana	Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Animal Health and Production	Principal Veterinary Officer (Abattoir) Private Bag 12 Lobatse
New Zealand	New Zealand Meat Board	PO Box 121 Wellington
Swaziland	Ministry of Agriculture	PO Box 162 Mbabane
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'

[1] OJ L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
[2] OJ L 210, 28. 7. 1998, p. 17.
[3] OJ L 15, 17. 1. 1981, p. 4.
[4] OJ L 17, 21. 1. 1999, p. 22.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third 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, 4 February 1999.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission