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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 of 28 June 2007 on organic production and labelling of organic products and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91[(1)], and in particular Article 33(3) and Article 38(d) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Annex IV to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008[(2)] as amended by Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) No 508/2012[(3)] sets out the list of control bodies and control authorities competent to carry out controls and issue certificates in third countries for the purpose of equivalence.

(2) In relation to CERES Certification of Environmental Standards GmbH, Ecocert SA and Istituto Mediterraneo di Certificazione s.r.l., certain third countries, code numbers and product categories have been omitted from that list. In addition, for Ecocert SA a reference to an exception to the products covered is missing.

(3) Therefore, Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008 should be corrected accordingly.

(4) For the sake of legal certainty, this Regulation should apply from the date of application of Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) No 508/2012.

(5) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the regulatory Committee on organic production,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008 is corrected in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 July 2012.

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

Done at Brussels, 16 August 2012.

For the Commission

The President

José Manuel BARROSO

***Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 751/2012. (See end of Document for details)*

ANNEX

Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008 is corrected as follows:

(1) In the text relating to '**CERES Certification of Environmental Standards GmbH**', point 3 is replaced by the following:

3. Third countries, code numbers and product categories concerned:

Third country	**Code number**	**Category of products**					
		A	**B**	**C**	**D**	**E**	**F**
Albania	AL-BIO-140	x	x	—	—	—	—
Bolivia	BO-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Bhutan	BT-BIO-140	x	—	—	x	—	—
Chile	CL-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
China	CN-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Colombia	CO-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Dominican Republic	DO-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Ecuador	EC-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Egypt	EG-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Ethiopia	ET-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Grenada	GD-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Indonesia	ID-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Jamaica	JM-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Kenya	KE-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
the former Yugoslav Republic	MK-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—

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of Macedonia							
Mexico	MX-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Moldova	MD-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Morocco	MA-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Papua New Guinea	PG-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Paraguay	PY-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Peru	PE-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Philippines	PH-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Russia	RU-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Rwanda	RW-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Saudi Arabia	SA-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Serbia	RS-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Singapore	SG-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
South Africa	ZA-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Saint Lucia	LC-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Taiwan	TW-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Tanzania	TZ-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Thailand	TH-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Turkey	TR-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Uganda	UG-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—

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Ukraine	UA-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Uzbekistan	UZ-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—
Vietnam	VN-BIO-140	x	x	—	x	—	—

(2) The text relating to '**Ecocert SA**' is corrected as follows:

(a) point 3 is replaced by the following:

3. Third countries, code numbers and product categories concerned:

Third country	**Code number**	**Category of products**					
		A	**B**	**C**	**D**	**E**	**F**
Algeria	DZ-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Andorra	AD-BIO-154	x	—	—	—	—	—
Azerbaijan	AZ-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Benin	BJ-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Bosnia and Herzegovina	BA-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Brazil	BR-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Burkina Faso	BF-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Burundi	BI-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Cambodia	KH-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Cameroon	CM-BIO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—
Canada	CA-BIO-154	—	—	—	x	—	—
Chad	TD-BIO-154	x	—	—	—	—	—
China	CN-BO-154	x	—	—	x	—	—