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COMMISSION

COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 1 April 1987

amending the Annexes to Council Directive 74/63/EEC on undesirable substances and products in animal nutrition

(87/238/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 74/63/EEC of 17 December 1973 on undesirable substances and products in animal nutrition (1), as last amended by Directive 86/354/EEC (2), and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas Directive 74/63/EEC provides for regular amendment of the content of its Annexes to take account of advances in scientific and technical knowledge;

Whereas it is necessary to limit the cadmium content of feedingstuffs and certain raw materials used for the manufacturing of feedingstuffs to protect animal and human health and the environment;

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

The Annexes to Directive 74/63/EEC are hereby amended as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

Member States shall, by 3 December 1988 at the latest, bring into force the laws, regulations or administrative provisions necessary to comply with Article 1. They shall immediately inform the Commission thereof.

Article 3

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1 April 1987.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 38, 11. 2. 1974, p. 31.
(2) OJ No L 212, 2. 8. 1986, p. 27.