THIRD COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 22 December 1982

amending the Annex to Council Directive 79/373/CEE on the marketing of compound feedingstuffs

(82/957/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 79/373/EEC of 2 April 1979 on the marketing of compound feedingstuffs (1), as last amended by Commission Directive 80/695/EEC (2), and in particular Article 10 (a) thereof,

Whereas it is specified in Directive 79/373/EEC that the contents of the Annex thereto shall be adjusted in the light of advances in scientific and technical knowledge;

Whereas experience of the application of Directive 79/373/EEC has made it clear that certain provisions on the marketing of compound feedingstuffs require adjustment;

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 Annex to Directive 79/373/EEC is hereby amended as follows:

1. In Item 5.2, '— crude ash' is deleted.
2. In Item 6.1:
   (a) '— soluble protein' is deleted;
   (b) '— total sugar plus starch' is added.
3. In Items 6.2, 6.3 and 8.2 '— soluble protein' is deleted.
4. In Item 7, the following is added:
   '7.3. Contents as regards analytical constituents of mineral feedingstuffs:
   — crude ash.'
5. In Item 8.1, '— total sugar plus starch' is added.
6. In Item 9.1.3, 'and total sugar plus starch' is added after 'starch'.

Article 2

The Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations and administrative provisions necessary to comply with the Directive on 1 January 1985, and shall forthwith inform the Commission thereof.

Article 3

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 22 December 1982.

For the Commission
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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 86, 6. 4. 1979, p. 30.
(2) OJ No L 188, 22. 7. 1980, p. 23.