THIRTY-NINTH COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 15 January 1982

amending the Annexes to Council Directive 70/524/EEC concerning additives in feedingstuffs

(82/91/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 70/524/EEC of 23 November 1970 concerning additives in feedingstuffs (1), as last amended by Thirty-Eighth Commission Directive 81/632/EEC (2), and in particular Article 6 thereof.

Whereas Directive 70/524/EEC provides for the content of its Annexes to be regularly amended to take account of developments in scientific and technical knowledge;

Whereas additional studies have revealed a new use for the antibiotic 'Avoparcin'; whereas the use of copper methionate has been tested successfully in the Community; whereas it is desirable, therefore, to authorize these new uses under certain conditions;

Whereas the investigation of various additives currently listed in Annex II, which may therefore be authorized at national level, has not yet been completed; whereas, therefore, authorization of these substances should be extended for a finite period;

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 70/524/EEC are hereby amended as follows:

1. In Annex I:

(a) in Part A 'Antibiotics', Item No E 715 'Avoparcin' is supplemented as follows:

EEC No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content	Maximum content	Other provisions
					ppm of complete feedingstuffs		
			Turkeys for fattening	16 weeks	10	20	

(b) in Part I 'Trace elements', Item No E 4 'Copper-Cu' is supplemented as follows:

EEC No	Component	Additives	Chemical formula	Maximum content of the element in ppm of the complete feedingstuffs
		Copper methionate	Cu $(C_5H_{10}NO_2S)_2$	

2. In Annex II:

(a) in Part A 'Antibiotics', the date '30 November 1981' in the column headed 'Period of authorization' shall be replaced by the date '30 November 1982' for the following items:

No 24 Mocimycin,

No 25 Nosiheptide;

(1) OJ No L 270, 14. 12. 1970, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 231, 15. 8. 1981, p. 30.