SEVENTH COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 26 February 1974

amending the Annexes of the Council Directive of 23 November 1970 concerning additives in feedingstuffs

(74/182/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to the Council Directive (1) of 23 November 1970 concerning additives in feedingstuffs, as last amended by the Sixth Commission Directive of 26 February 1974, in particular Article 6 (1) (a) thereof ;

Whereas the provisions of the abovementioned Directive provide for the content of the Annexes to be constantly amended due to the development of scientific and technical knowledge ;

Whereas it has become apparent that dimetridazole and meticlorpindol, currently appearing in Annex II and which therefore may only be used at national level ; correspond, in all respects, to the principles governing the authorization of additives at Community level ;

Whereas it is apparent that dimetridazole, contained at present in Annex II, may be permitted at Community level under certain conditions ; whereas certain usages of this additive should, nevertheless, be still maintained at national level ;

Whereas it is therefore necessary to amend the Annexes of the abovementioned Directive ;

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 the Council Directive of 23 November 1970 concerning additives in feedingstuffs shall be amended as stipulated in the following Articles.

Article 2

The following provision shall be added to Annex I part D 'Coccidiostats and other medicinal substances' :

EEC No	Additives	Chemical formula, description	Species of animal	Maximum age	Minimum content (ppm of complete feedingstuffs)	Maximum content (ppm of complete feedingstuffs)	Other provisions
E 754	Dimetridazole	1,2-diméthyl-5-nitroimidazole	Turkeys guinea-foul		125	150	Use prohibited from laying age onwards and at least three days before slaughter respectively

Article 3

The following asterisk, refering to additive No 2, shall be added to Annex II part B 'Coccidiostats and other medicinal substances' :

' (*) with the exception of feedingstuffs intended for turkeys and guinea-foul'.

Article 4

The Member States shall, not later than 1 June 1974, bring into force the laws, regulations or administrative provisions necessary to comply with this Directive. They shall forthwith inform the Commission thereof.

Article 5

This Directive is addressed to all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 26 February 1974.

For the Commission
The President
François-Xavier ORTOLI

(1) OJ No L 270, 14. 12. 1970, p. 1.