

Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 of the European Parliament  
and of the Council of 17 November 2003 on the control of  
salmonella and other specified food-borne zoonotic agents

CHAPTER VIII

**GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS**

*Article 17*

**Community controls**

1 Experts from the Commission shall carry out on-the-spot checks, in cooperation with the competent authorities of Member States, in order to ensure that the provisions of this Regulation, rules adopted pursuant thereto and any safeguard measures are applied uniformly. A Member State on whose territory checks are made shall provide the experts with all the assistance necessary for carrying out their duties. The Commission shall inform the competent authority of the results of the checks made.

[<sup>F12</sup> Practical arrangements for the implementation of this Article, in particular those governing the procedure for cooperation with national competent authorities, shall be laid down under the regulatory procedure referred to in Article 14(2).]

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Substituted by Regulation (EC) No 596/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 June 2009 adapting a number of instruments subject to the procedure referred to in Article 251 of the Treaty to Council Decision 1999/468/EC with regard to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny Adaptation to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny — Part Four.

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/01/2010. This version of this provision has been superseded.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council, Article 17.