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COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 20 July 1999

amending Decision 95/473/EC establishing the list of approved fish farms in France

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(Text with EEA relevance)

(1999/556/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 91/67/EEC of 28 January 1991 concerning the animal health conditions governing the placing on the market of aquaculture animals and products ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Directive 98/45/EC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 6(2) thereof,

- (1) Whereas the Member States may obtain the status of approved farms free of certain fish diseases for fish farms located in zones which are non-approved in respect of infectious hematopoietic necrosis (IHN) and viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS);
- (2) Whereas the list of approved fish farms in France was established by Commission Decision 95/473/EC ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Decision 97/227/EC ⁽⁴⁾;
- (3) Whereas France has submitted justifications to the Commission for obtaining for other fish farms the status of approved farms located in zones which are non-approved in respect of IHN and VHS, as well as the national provisions ensuring compliance with the rules on maintenance of approval;
- (4) Whereas the Commission and the Member States have examined the justifications submitted by France for those farms;
- (5) Whereas that examination has shown that some of the farms meet the requirements of Article 6 of Directive 91/67/EEC; whereas some farms do not meet those

requirements, in particular as regards their sampling programme and infrastructure provisions;

- (6) Whereas the farms that meet the requirements of Directive 91/67/EEC should accordingly qualify for the status of approved farms in non-approved zones;
- (7) Whereas those farms should be added to the list of approved farms;
- (8) Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Annex to Decision 95/473/EC is replaced by the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 20 July 1999.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 46, 19.2.1991, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 189, 3.7.1998, p. 12.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 269, 11.11.1995, p. 31.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 91, 5.4.1997, p. 33.

ANNEX

FISH FARMS IN FRANCE APPROVED WITH REGARD TO IHN AND VHS

1. Adour-Garonne

- Pisciculture de Sarrance
64490 Sarrance (Pyrénées-Atlantiques)
- Pisciculture des Sources
12540 Cornus (Aveyron)
- Pisciculture de Pissos
40410 Pissos (Landes)
- Pisciculture 'Les Fontaines d'Escot'
64490 Escot (Pyrénées-Atlantiques)
- Pisciculture de la Forge
47700 Casteljaloux (Lot et Garonne)

2. Artois-Picardie

- Pisciculture du Moulin du Roy
62156 Rémy (Pas-de-Calais)
- Pisciculture du Bléquin
62380 Seninghem (Pas-de-Calais)
- Pisciculture de Sangheen
62102 Calais (Pas-de-Calais)

3. Loire-Bretagne

- SCEA 'Truites du lac de Cartravers'
Bois-Boscher
22460 Merleac (Côtes d'Armor)
- Pisciculture du Thélohier
35190 Cardroc (Ille-et-Vilaine)
- Pisciculture de Plainville
28400 Marolles les Buis (Eure et Loir)

4. Rhin-Meuse

- Pisciculture du ruisseau de Dompierre
55300 Lacroix sur Meuse (Meuse)
- Pisciculture de la source de la Deüe
55500 Cousances-aux-Bois (Meuse)

5. Seine-Normandie

- Pisciculture du Vaucheron
55130 Gondrecourt-le-Château (Meuse)
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