

Council Decision of 8 November 2005 on the equivalence of checks  
on practices for the maintenance of varieties carried out in certain  
third countries and amending Decision 2003/17/EC (2005/834/EC)

*Article 3*

1 The Commission shall be assisted by the Standing Committee on Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry set up by Article 1 of Decision 66/399/EEC<sup>(1)</sup>, hereinafter referred to as ‘the Committee’.

2 Where reference is made to this paragraph, Articles 4 and 7 of Decision 1999/468/EC shall apply.

The period laid down in Article 4(3) of Decision 1999/468/EC shall be set at one month.

3 The Committee shall adopt its Rules of Procedure.

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- (1) [OJ 125, 11.7.1966, p. 2289/66.](#)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- Art. 3 omitted by [S.I. 2019/162 reg. 7\(3\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Regs. 7, 8 omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1388, regs. 1(2)(a), 30(4)(5))
- Art. 3 omitted by [S.I. 2020/1388 reg. 3\(3\)](#)