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Article 333 Article 334	(1) Member States may, in accordance with the provisions of These special arrangements shall apply to supplies carried out by
Article 335 Article 336 Article 337 Article 338 Article 339 Article 340 Article 341	The supply of goods to a taxable person who is The taxable amount in respect of each supply of goods The net amount paid or to be paid by the Organisers of sales by public auction who supply goods in The organiser of the sale by public auction must issue (1) The organiser of the sale by public auction to Member States which apply the arrangements provided for in this
	Section 4
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Article 342	Member States may take measures concerning the right of
Article 343	deduction Acting unanimously on a proposal from the Commission, the Council
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	SPECIAL SCHEME FOR INVESTMENT GOLD
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	General provisions
Article 344 Article 345	(1) For the purposes of this Directive, and without prejudice Starting in 1999, each Member State shall inform the Commission
	Section 2
	Exemption from VAT
Article 346	Member States shall exempt from VAT the supply, the intra-
Article 347	Community Member States shall exempt the services of agents who act

Section 3

	Taxation option
Article 348	Member States shall allow taxable persons who produce
Article 349 Article 350	investment gold (1) Member States may allow taxable persons who, in the Where the supplier has exercised the right under Articles 348
Article 351	and Member States shall lay down detailed rules for the exercise
	Section 4
	Transactions on a regulated gold bullion market
Article 352	Each Member State may, after consulting the VAT Committee,
Article 353	apply Member States which, pursuant to Article 352, tax transactions between taxable
	Section 5
	Special rights and obligations for traders in investment gold
Article 354	Where his subsequent supply of investment gold is exempt
Article 355	pursuant Taxable persons who produce investment gold or transform gold
Article 356	into (1) Member States shall ensure that traders in investment gold
	CHAPTER 6
	Special scheme for non-established taxable persons supplying electronic services to non-taxable persons
	Section 1
	General provisions
Article 357 Article 358	This Chapter shall apply until 31 December 2014 . For the purposes of this Chapter, and without prejudice to
	Section 2
	Special scheme for electronically supplied services
Article 359	Member States shall permit any non-established taxable person
Article 360	supplying electronic The non-established taxable person shall state to the Member
Article 361	State (1) The information which the non-established taxable person must provide

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Article 362	The Member State of identification shall allocate to the non-established
Article 363	The Member State of identification shall strike the non- established taxable
Article 364	The non-established taxable person shall submit by electronic means to
Article 365	The VAT return shall show the identification number and, for
Article 366	(1) The VAT return shall be made out in euro
Article 367	The non-established taxable person shall pay the VAT when submitting
Article 368	The non-established taxable person making use of this special scheme
Article 369	(1) The non-established taxable person shall keep records of the

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Derogations applying until the adoption of definitive arrangements

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Derogations for States which were members of the Community on 1 January 1978

Article 370	Member States which, at 1 January 1978, taxed the transactions listed
Article 371	Member States which, at 1 January 1978, exempted the transactions listed
Article 372	Member States which, at 1 January 1978, applied provisions derogating from
Article 373	Member States which, at 1 January 1978, applied provisions derogating from
Article 374	By way of derogation from Articles 169 and 309, Member States

Section 2

Derogations for States which acceded to the Community after 1 January 1978

Article 375	Greece may continue to exempt the transactions listed in
	points (2),
Article 376	Spain may continue to exempt the supply of services performed
Article 377	Portugal may continue to exempt the transactions listed in
	points (2),
Article 378	(1) Austria may continue to tax the transactions listed in
Article 379	(1) Finland may continue to tax the transactions listed in
Article 380	Sweden may, in accordance with the conditions applying in that
Article 381	The Czech Republic may, in accordance with the conditions
	applying
Article 382	Estonia may, in accordance with the conditions applying in that

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Article 383	Cyprus may, in accordance with the conditions applying in that
Article 384	For as long as the same exemptions are applied in
Article 385	Lithuania may, in accordance with the conditions applying in
Article 386	that
Afficie 380	Hungary may, in accordance with the conditions applying in that
Article 387	For as long as the same exemptions are applied in
Article 388	Poland may, in accordance with the conditions applying in that
Article 389	Slovenia may, in accordance with the conditions applying in
	that
Article 390	Slovakia may, in accordance with the conditions applying in
	that
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	Section 3
	Provisions common to Sections 1 and 2
Article 391	Member States which exempt the transactions referred to in
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Article 392 Article 393	Member States may provide that, in respect of the supply (1) With a view to facilitating the transition to the
Article 393	(1) with a view to facilitating the transition to the
	CHAPTER 2
	Derogations subject to authorisation
	Section 1
Simplif	ication measures and measures to prevent tax evasion or avoidance
Article 394	Member States which, at 1 January 1977, applied special
4 .: 1 .007	measures to
Article 395	(1) The Council, acting unanimously on a proposal from the
	Section 2
	International agreements

International agreements

Article 396 (1) The Council, acting unanimously on a proposal from the...

TITLE XIV **MISCELLANEOUS**

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Implementing measures

Article 397 The Council, acting unanimously on a proposal from the Commission,...

CHAPTER 2

VAT Committee

Article 398 (1) An advisory committee on value added tax, called 'the...

CHAPTER 3

Conversion rates

Article 399	Without prejudice to any other particular provisions, the
	equivalents in
Article 400	When converting the amounts referred to in Article 399 into
	national

CHAPTER 4

Other taxes, duties and charges

Article 401 Without prejudice to other provisions of Community law, this Directive...

TITLE XV FINAL PROVISIONS

CHAPTER 1

Transitional arrangements for the taxation of trade between Member States

Article 402	(1) The arrangements provided for in this Directive for the
Article 403	The Council shall, acting in accordance with Article 93 of the
Article 404	Every four years starting from the adoption of this Directive,

CHAPTER 2

Transitional measures applicable in the context of accession to the European Union

Article 405 Article 406 Article 407 Article 408 Article 409 Article 410	For the purposes of this Chapter, the following definitions shall The provisions in force at the time the goods were The provisions in force at the time the goods were (1) The following shall be treated as an importation of In the cases referred to in Article 408(1), the place of (1) By way of derogation from Article 71, the importation of
Article 410	(1) By way of derogation from Article 71, the importation of

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Transposition and entry into force

Article 411	(1) Directive 67/227/EEC and Directive 77/388/EEC are
	repealed, without prejudice to the
Article 412	(1) Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations

Article 413 This Directive shall enter into force on 1 January 2007. Article 414 This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

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LIST OF THE ACTIVITIES REFERRED TO IN THE THIRD SUBPARAGRAPH OF ARTICLE 13(1)

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INDICATIVE LIST OF THE ELECTRONICALLY SUPPLIED SERVICES REFERRED TO IN POINT (K) OF ARTICLE 56(1)

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LIST OF SUPPLIES OF GOODS AND SERVICES TO WHICH THE REDUCED RATES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 98 MAY BE APPLIED

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CATEGORIES OF GOODS COVERED BY WAREHOUSING ARRANGEMENTS OTHER THAN CUSTOMS WAREHOUSING AS PROVIDED FOR UNDER ARTICLE 160(2)

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LIST OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES REFERRED TO IN POINT (4) OF ARTICLE 295(1)

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ANNEX VIII

INDICATIVE LIST OF THE AGRICULTURAL SERVICES REFERRED TO IN POINT (5) OF ARTICLE 295(1)

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- Directive 77/388/EEC (OJ L 145, 13.6.1977, p. 1) (2)

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ANNEX XII **CORRELATION TABLE**

- (1) [OJ L 145, 13.6.1977, p. 1. Directive as last amended by Directive 2006/98/EC (OJ L 363, 20.12.2006, p. 129).]
- (2) [OJ 71, 14.4.1967, p. 1301. Directive as last amended by Directive 77/388/EEC.]
- (**3**) OJ L 253, 7.10.2000, p. 42.
- (4) OJ L 76, 23.3.1992, p. 1. Directive as last amended by Directive 2004/106/EC (OJ L 359, 4.12.2004, p. 30).