

Commission Regulation (EC) No 718/2007 of 12 June
2007 implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 1085/2006
establishing an instrument for pre-accession assistance (IPA)

PART II

SPECIFIC PROVISIONS

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TRANSITION ASSISTANCE AND INSTITUTION BUILDING COMPONENT

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Article 79

Payments under decentralised management

1 By way of derogation from Article 40(6), when the ceiling of 95 % is reached, the national authorising officer shall only submit a new certified statement of expenditure and information about the amounts recovered when he requests the payment of the final balance.

2 Pre-financing shall in principle represent 50 % of the Community contribution to the programme concerned. It may be paid in yearly instalments. The rate of 50 % may be raised if the national authorising officer demonstrates that the resulting amount will not cover the pre-financing of the contracts and grants signed at national level.

3 The amount to be pre-financed shall be calculated as the sum of the estimate of the amount to be contracted by year, and the actual amount for which contractual obligations have been entered into in the previous years. With the exception of that concerning participation in Community programmes and agencies, pre-financing shall only be paid once the first call for tender or call for proposals is launched.

4 The payments for the participation in Community programmes and agencies may amount to 100 % of the Community contribution relating to this participation.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Regulation (EC) No 718/2007, Article 79.