

Regulation (EC) No 1332/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on food enzymes and amending Council Directive 83/417/EEC, Council Regulation (EC) No 1493/1999, Directive 2000/13/EC, Council Directive 2001/112/EC and Regulation (EC) No 258/97 (Text with EEA relevance)

CHAPTER II

COMMUNITY LIST OF APPROVED FOOD ENZYMES

Article 6

General conditions for inclusion of food enzymes in the Community list

A food enzyme may be included in the Community list only if it meets the following conditions and, where relevant, other legitimate factors:

- (a) it does not, on the basis of the scientific evidence available, pose a safety concern to the health of the consumer at the level of use proposed;
- (b) there is a reasonable technological need, and
- (c) its use does not mislead the consumer. Misleading the consumer includes, but is not limited to, issues related to the nature, freshness and quality of the ingredients used, the naturalness of a product or of the production process, or the nutritional quality of the product.

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Regulation (EC) No 1332/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulation applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2023/959 reg. 4\(a\)Sch. 1](#)
- Art. 6 heading word substituted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 62](#)
- Art. 6 word substituted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 63](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions

- Signature words omitted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 78](#)
- Art. 1(a) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 56\(b\)](#)
- Art. 3(2)(c) inserted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 58](#)
- Art. 3(2)(c) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/860, reg. 58 by [S.I. 2020/1504 reg. 18\(12\)](#)
- Art. 11(1)(g) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 69](#)
- Art. 15A inserted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 72](#)
- Art. 15A(1)(c) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/860, reg. 72 by [S.I. 2020/1504 reg. 18\(13\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 15A(3) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/860, reg. 72 by [S.I. 2020/1504 reg. 18\(13\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 15A(3)(b) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/860, reg. 72 by [S.I. 2020/1504 reg. 18\(13\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 15A(3)(d) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/860, reg. 72 by [S.I. 2020/1504 reg. 18\(13\)\(b\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 15A(3)(d) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1013 reg. 77\(a\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S.I. 2019/1013 revoked immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 21(e))
- Art. 15A(4)(d) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/860, reg. 72 by [S.I. 2020/1504 reg. 18\(13\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 15A(5) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1013 reg. 77\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S.I. 2019/1013 revoked immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 21(e))
- Art. 17(4)(b) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 75\(d\)\(ii\)\(bb\)](#)
- Art. 17(4)(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/860 reg. 75\(d\)\(ii\)\(aa\)](#)