

Commission Regulation (EC) No 617/2008 of 27 June 2008 laying down detailed rules for implementing Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 as regards marketing standards for eggs for hatching and farmyard poultry chicks

*Article 8*

**Communications**

1 Each hatchery shall communicate monthly to the competent agency of the Member State, by species, category and type, the number of eggs for hatching placed in incubation and the number of chicks hatched intended for actual use.

2 Statistical data on flocks of grandparent stock and parent stock birds shall be requested as required from establishments other than those referred to in paragraph 1, according to the rules and conditions adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 195(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007.

3 The Member States shall, as soon as the data referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 is received and analysed, communicate to the Commission a monthly summary based on the data for the previous month.

In addition, the summary submitted by the Member States shall show the number of chicks imported and exported during the same month, according to species, category and type of poultry.

4 The standard form for the summary referred to in paragraph 3 is contained in Annex III. This summary shall be forwarded by Member States to the Commission each calendar month not later than four weeks after the end of the month to which the figures refer.

5 Member States may use the standard form for the summary (Part I) contained in Annex III to collect from the hatcheries the information referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2.

6 Member States may specify that in respect of chicks several copies of the accompanying document referred to in Article 5 shall be drawn up. In this case, one copy of the document shall be sent to the competent agency referred to in Article 9 on importation or exportation or at the time of intra-Community trade.

7 Member States who use the procedure referred to in paragraph 6 shall inform the other Member States and the Commission thereof.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Commission Regulation (EC) No 617/2008. 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 :**

- Art. 8(1) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 8(2) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 8(3) omitted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 8(4) omitted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 8(5) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(d\)](#)
- Art. 8(6) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(e\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 8(6) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(e\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 8(7) omitted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(6\)\(f\)](#)

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

- Signature words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(9\)](#)
- Annex 3 Pt. 2 omitted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(11\)](#)
- Art. 1(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 1(2) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 1(5)(6) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 1(5)(b) omitted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/1422, reg. 5\(2\)\(b\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1453 reg. 14\(13\)](#)
- Art. 3(9)(10) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(4\)\(f\)](#)
- Art. 3(9) omitted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/1422, reg. 5\(4\)\(f\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1453 reg. 14\(14\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 3(10) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/1422, reg. 5\(4\)\(f\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1453 reg. 14\(14\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 4(4) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1422 reg. 5\(5\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). [Reg. 5\(5\)](#) omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of [S.I. 2020/1453, regs. 1\(2\)\(b\), 14\(15\)](#))