

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 809/2014 of 17 July 2014
laying down rules for the application of Regulation (EU) No 1306/2013 of
the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to the integrated
administration and control system, rural development measures and cross compliance

TITLE III

CHECKS

CHAPTER I

Common provisions

Article 25

Announcement of on-the-spot checks

On-the-spot checks may be announced provided that it does not interfere with their purpose or effectiveness. Any announcement shall be strictly limited to the minimum time period necessary and shall not exceed 14 days.

However, for on-the-spot checks concerning livestock aid applications or payment claims under animal-related support measures, the announcement shall not exceed 48 hours, except in duly justified cases. Furthermore, where the legislation applicable to the acts and standards relevant to cross-compliance requires the on-the-spot check to be unannounced, those rules shall also apply in the case of on-the-spot checks related to cross-compliance.