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Animals and Animal Products (Import and Export) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2005

PART II

INTRA-COMMUNITY TRADE

Approval of bodies, institutes, centres and teams for the purposes of Directive 92/65/EEC and laboratories for the purposes of Directive 90/539/EEC

- **9.**—(1) The Department shall, for the purposes of Articles 5 and 13 of Council Directive 92/65/EEC, approve any body, institute or centre (within the meaning of that Directive) which has applied for approval in accordance with Article 13 of that Directive and which conforms with the requirements of Annex C to that Directive.
- (2) The Department shall withdraw, suspend or restore any approval given under paragraph (1) in accordance with point 3 of Annex C to Directive 92/65/EEC.
- (3) For the purposes of Article 11 of Council Directive 92/65/EEC, the Department shall approve any semen collection centre or embryo collection team which has applied to the Department for approval in accordance with Article 11 of that Directive and which meets the conditions applicable to it in respect of approval and the performance of its duties as required by Article 11 of and Annex D to that Directive.
- (4) The tests for Salmonella infections required under Chapter III of Annex II to Council Directive 90/539/EEC shall be carried out by laboratories authorised pursuant to the Poultry Breeding Flocks and Hatcheries Scheme Order (Northern Ireland) 1994(1).