
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1999 No. 2798

**The Food (Animals and Animal Products from Belgium)
(Emergency Control) (England and Wales) (No. 3) Order 1999**

Exemptions

- 2.—(1) Article 3 hereof shall not apply to—
- (a) the importation of any food or food source if, when imported, that food or food source is accompanied by valid certification relating to it, as specified in paragraph (3) below;
 - (b) any subsequent commercial operations in relation to the food or food source if it can be proved by the person carrying out the operation that at the time of importation it was so accompanied; or
 - (c) the return to Belgium, in accordance with Article 5 of the Commission Decision, of any product covered by this Order.
- (2) Article 5 hereof shall not, save for sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) of paragraph (1) thereof, apply to any imported food or food source which is accompanied by valid certification relating to it as specified in paragraph (3) below.
- (3) The certification to which paragraphs (1)(a) and (b) and (2) above apply is—
- (a) in the case of live poultry or hatching eggs as referred to in Article 2.2 of the Commission Decision, an official declaration signed by the Belgian competent authority in the form called for by that Article, as read with Article 2.4 of that Decision;
 - (b) in the case of pigs as referred to in Article 2.3 of the Commission Decision, an official declaration signed by the Belgian competent authority in the form called for by that Article, as read with Article 2.4 of that Decision;
 - (c) in the case of products referred to in Article 2.1 of the Commission Decision, an official certificate signed by the Belgian competent authority in the form called for by that Article, as read with Article 2.4 of that Decision.