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### SUBCOMMITTEE I ON THE FREE MOVEMENT OF GOODS

#### LIST OF ACQUIS SUBJECT TO SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

##### To be noted by the EEA Joint Committee

1. Simplified procedures<sup>1</sup> have been introduced in the food and veterinary field<sup>2</sup>. These procedures imply that certain acts are applicable to the EEA EFTA countries without being incorporated into the EEA Agreement. In this way, the EEA EFTA States will, simultaneously with the European Commission, take corresponding measures on the basis of relevant Union acts. The Union decisions may be taken note of by the EEA Joint Committee. These acts are not to apply to Liechtenstein.
2. In the Veterinary field, the procedures apply to application texts and lists of establishments related to import from third countries and to safeguard and protective measures. As to emergencies for food and feed of European Union origin or imported from a third country, Art. 53 and 54 of Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 apply.
3. The EEA Joint Committee is invited, at its meeting on 3 June 2016, to take note of nine EU acts published in the Official Journal of the European Union in 2016 in the veterinary field (Annex I) and four EU acts adopted in accordance with Articles 53 and 54 of Regulation No 178/2002 (Annex II) as of the entry into force on 1 May 2010 of Joint Committee Decision No 134/2007.

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<sup>1</sup> See documents 1/00/R/091 laying down new routines for the handling of certain veterinary acts in line with simplified procedures (Ref. No.:1012579) and 1/00/I/025 expanding simplified procedure to cover safeguard and protective measures concerning the Union (Ref. No.:1029125).

<sup>2</sup> Paragraphs 3 (b), 7, 8, and 13 of the Introductory Part of Chapter I of Annex I to the EEA Agreement, adaptation text (i) in point 13 of Part 7.1 of Chapter I of Annex I and point 41 of Chapter II of Annex I and point 54zzzc (i) Chapter XII of Annex II.

**EU veterinary acts subject to simplified procedure published in the  
Official Journal of the European Union in 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2016**

	<b>Celex no</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>OJ reference, dates</b>
<b>1</b>	32016D0041	Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/41 of 14 January 2016 amending Annex II to Decision 2007/777/EC as regards the entry for Mexico in the list of third countries or parts thereof from which the introduction of meat products and treated stomachs, bladders and intestines into the Union is authorised in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza	OJ L 11, 16.1.2016, p. 8-9
<b>2</b>	32016D0180**	Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/180 of 9 February 2016 amending the Annex to Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU concerning animal health control measures relating to African swine fever in certain Member States, as regards the entries for Estonia, Lithuania and Poland	OJ L 35, 11.2.2016, p. 12-22
<b>3</b>	32016D0361**	Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/361 of 10 March 2016 amending Annex I to Decision 2004/211/EC as regards the entry for China in the list of third countries and parts thereof from which imports into the Union of live equidae and semen, ova and embryos of the equine species are authorised	OJ L 67, 12.3.2016, p. 57-58
<b>4</b>	32016D0464**	Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/464 of 29 March 2016 amending the Annex to Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU concerning animal health control measures relating to African swine fever in certain Member States, as regards the entries for Estonia and Poland	OJ L 80, 31.3.2016, p. 36-47
<b>5</b>	32016R0015	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/15 of 7 January 2016 approving the control programme of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia for Salmonella in laying hens and amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 as regards the entry for the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia in the list of third countries from which table eggs may be introduced into the Union	OJ L 5, 8.1.2016, p. 1-4
<b>6</b>	32016R0039	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/39 of 14 January 2016 amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 as regards the entry for Mexico in the list of third countries, territories, zones or compartments from which certain poultry commodities may be imported into or transit through the Union in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza	OJ L 11, 16.1.2016, p. 3-5
<b>7</b>	32016R0057	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/57 of 19 January 2016 amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 as regards the entry for the United States in the list of third countries,	OJ L 13, 20.1.2016, p.49-52

		territories, zones or compartments from which poultry and poultry products may be imported into or transit through the Union in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza outbreaks in the State of Minnesota	
<b>8</b>	32016R0148	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/148 of 4 February 2016 amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 as regards the entry for the United States in the list of third countries, territories, zones or compartments from which certain poultry commodities may be imported into or transit through the Union in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza of the subtype H7N8	OJ L 30, 5.2.2016, p. 17-19
<b>9</b>	32016R0433	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/433 of 22 March 2016 amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 as regards the entry for the United States of America in the list of third countries, territories, zones or compartments from which certain poultry commodities may be imported into or transit through the Union in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza of the subtype H7N8	OJ L 76, 23.3.2016, p. 29-31

\*\* This act shall not apply to Iceland

**EU acts subject to simplified procedure published in the  
Official Journal of the European Union in 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2016  
(as of the entry into force of the General Food Law 1 May 2010)**

	<b>Celex no</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>OJ reference, dates</b>
<b>1</b>	32016R0006	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/6 of 5 January 2016 imposing special conditions governing the import of feed and food originating in or consigned from Japan following the accident at the Fukushima nuclear power station and repealing Implementing Regulation (EU) No 322/2014	OJ L 3, 6.1.2016, p. 5-15
<b>2</b>	32016R0024	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/24 of 8 January 2016 imposing special conditions governing the import of groundnuts from Brazil, Capsicum annum and nutmeg from India and nutmeg from Indonesia and amending Regulations (EC) No 669/2009 and (EU) No 884/2014	OJ L 8, 13.1.2016, p. 1-5
<b>3</b>	32016R0166	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/166 of 8 February 2016 laying down specific conditions applicable to the import of foodstuffs containing or consisting of betel leaves ('Piper betle') from India and amending Regulation (EC) No 669/2009	OJ L 32, 9.2.2016, p. 143-150
<b>4</b>	32016R0443	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/443 of 23 March 2016 amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 669/2009 as regards the list of feed and food of non-animal origin subject to an increased level of official controls on imports	OJ L 78, 24.3.2016, p. 51-57