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## AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLE 36 LIST OF ORGANISATIONS

### SUMMARY

Commission Regulation (EC) No 2230/2004<sup>1</sup> stipulates that the “*Authority’s Management Board, acting on a proposal from the Executive Director, shall draw up the list of competent organisations*” (Art.2 (2)) and that “*the list shall be updated regularly, on the basis of proposals from the Authority’s Executive Director, taking account of reviews or new designation proposals from the Member States*” (Art2 (4)). In accordance, new designations of competent organisations to be included on the Article 36 List, as well as substantial changes to organisations already included on the list, need to be endorsed by the Management Board.

The Management Board is presented for possible adoption the update Article 36 List, following:

- designations of 17 new organisations for inclusion on the list; and
- substantial changes to 2 organisations included on the list.

In addition, the Management Board is informed of:

- designation withdrawals of 40 organisations from the Article 36 List; and
- technical changes adopted by the Acting Executive Director in his Decision dated 25/11/2013 (Annex II).

The updated Article 36 List, including all changes, is presented for the adoption of the Management Board in Annex I.

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<sup>1</sup> Commission Regulation (EC) No 2230/2004 of 23 December 2004 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of European Parliament and Council Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 with regard to the network of organisations operating in the fields within the European Food Safety Authority’s mission (OJ L 379, 24.12.2004, p. 64–67)

## AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLE 36 LIST OF ORGANISATIONS

The Article 36 List was initially drawn up by the Decision of the Management Board of 19 December 2006 following the procedure set out in Commission Regulation (EC) 2230/2004; the list is regularly reviewed by the Member States for new designation proposals, deletions, and changes to organisations included on the Article 36 List.

### I. New designations for the Article 36 List

The Permanent Representations of the Czech Republic, Italy, Romania and Sweden have officially notified EFSA of new designation proposals for the Article 36 List for the following competent organisations:

Czech Republic (2):

- Institute of Chemical Technology Prague
- University of Veterinary and Pharmaceutical Sciences Brno

Italy (12):

- Italian National Institute of Health (Istituto Superiore di Sanità, ISS)
- National Research Council (Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, CNR)
- Veterinary Public Health Institute of Piedmont, Liguria and Aosta Valley (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale del Piemonte Liguria e Valle d'Aosta, IZSPLVA)
- University Hospital “Luigi Sacco” (Azienda Ospedaliera – Polo Universitario “Luigi Sacco”)
- Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna (Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna - UNIBO)
- University of Eastern Piedmont (Università degli Studi del Piemonte Orientale “Amedeo Avogadro”, UNIPMN)
- University of Milan (Università degli Studi di Milano, UNIMI)
- University of Palermo (Università degli studi di Palermo, UNIPA)
- University of Parma (Università degli Studi di Parma, UNIPR)
- University of Pavia (Università degli Studi di Pavia, UNIPV)
- University of Perugia (Università degli Studi di Pavia, UNIPG)
- “Sapienza” University of Rome (“Sapienza” Università di Roma, UNIROMA1)

Romania (1):

- Dunarea de Jos University

Sweden (2):

- Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences
- Linnaeus University.

EFSA has screened the new designation proposals to ensure that they comply with the criteria set out in Article 1(1) of Commission Regulation (EC) No 2230/2004<sup>2</sup>. The designated organisations were found to meet the criteria and are therefore considered eligible for inclusion in the Article 36 List.

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<sup>2</sup> The criteria the designated organisations have to meet can be described as follows:

- A) They must “carry out scientific and technical support tasks in the fields within the mission of the European Food Safety Authority”;
- B) They must be “legal entities pursuing public interest objectives” and be able to ensure that the “tasks entrusted to them by the Authority will be performed with independence and integrity”;
- C) They must “possess a high level of scientific or technical expertise in one or several fields within the Authority’s mission”;

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### II. Substantial changes to organisations included in the Article 36 List

The following 2 organisations from Italy on the Article 36 List have had substantial changes, as follows:

- Agricultural Research Council (Consiglio per la Ricerca e la Sperimentazione in Agricoltura, CRA): The Istituto Nazionale di Ricerca per gli Alimenti e la Nutrizione – INRAN, currently on the Article 36 list, was merged with CRA.
- Veterinary Public Health Institute of Sicily (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Sicilia "A.Mirri", IZSSIC): the Reference National Laboratory for Toxoplasmosis (Ce.Tox.) IZS Sicily, currently on the Article 36 list, was included in IZSSIC.

The Permanent Representation of Italy has officially notified EFSA of the changes.

EFSA has screened the entities' profiles to ensure that they comply with the criteria set out in Article 1(1) of Commission Regulation (EC) No 2230/2004. The organisations were found to meet the criteria and are therefore considered eligible for inclusion in the Article 36 List.

### III. Technical changes and withdrawals

The Management Board is informed that the organisations listed below were predecessors to or parts of organisations, and are withdrawn from the Article 36 List upon notification from the respective Permanent Representations:

Czech Republic (2):

- Entry no. 8. Institute of Chemical Technology Prague, Faculty of Food and Biochemical Technology
- Entry no. 10. Faculty of Veterinary Hygiene and Ecology, University of Veterinary and Pharmaceutical Sciences Brno

Italy (31):

- Entry no. 1. Istituto Superiore di Sanità – ISS – Operative structure (Food safety and Veterinary Public Health, Food quality and risk assessment)
- Entry no. 2. Istituto Nazionale di Ricerca per gli Alimenti e la Nutrizione – INRAN
- Entry no. 4. Centro Internazionale per gli Antiparassitari e la Prevenzione Sanitaria
- Entry no. 11. National Reference Centre for Animal Encephalopathies (CEA)
- Entry no. 12. National Reference Centre for Surveillance and Monitoring Animal Feed (C.Re.A.A.)
- Entry no. 13. Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale Piemonte, Liguria e V. d'Aosta (Laboratorio Controllo Alimenti)
- Entry no. 15. Università di Milano – Dipartimento di Scienze Veterinarie e Tecnologie per la Sicurezza Alimentare
- Entry no. 16.1 Dipartimento di Chimica Generale ed Inorganica, Chimica Analitica, Chimica Fisica
- Entry no. 16.2 Dipartimento di Scienze Ambientali (Division of Genetics and Environmental Biotechnologies)
- Entry no. 16.3 Dipartimento Produzione Animale, Qualità e Sicurezza Alimenti
- Entry no. 16.4 Dipartimento di Medicina Sperimentale
- Entry no. 16.5 Dipartimento della Salute Pubblica
- Entry no. 16.6 Dipartimento di Ingegneria Industriale
- Entry no. 16.7 Department of Organic and Industrial Chemistry

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D) They must "have the capacity to operate in a network on scientific actions".

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- Entry no. 16.8 Department of Animal Health
- Entry no. 17. Università di Pavia – Dipartimento di Scienze Pediatriche
- Entry no. 18. Università di Perugia – Medicina Veterinaria - Laboratorio di Ispezione degli Alimenti di O.A.
- Entry no. 19. Università di Napoli – Dipartimento di Medicina Clinica e Sperimentale, Università Federico II
- Entry no. 21. University “La sapienza” of Rome – Hygiene Section of Clinical Medicine and Public Health– Department of Experimental Medicine and Pathology
- Entry no. 22. CNR Institute of Sciences of Food Production
- Entry no. 23. Reference National Laboratory for Toxoplasmosis (Ce.Tox.) IZS Sicily
- Entry no. 25. University of Bari, Department of Public Health
- Entry no. 26. Alma Mater Studiorum Università di Bologna (Alma Food IRT)
- Entry no. 27. University of Bologna, Degree Course of Aquaculture and Hygiene of Fish Production
- Entry no. 28. Department of Veterinary Morphophysiology and Animal Productions, University of Bologna
- Entry no. 29. Università di Bologna, Dipartimento di Sanità Pubblica Veterinaria e Patologia Animale (DSPVPA)
- Entry no. 30. Università degli Studi di Milano, Facoltà di Medicina Veterinaria
- Entry no. 31. Department of Food Science University of Napoli “Federico II”
- Entry no. 32. Sezione di Fisiologia e Nutrizione Umana del Dipartimento di Medicina, Pneumologia, Fisiologia e Nutrizione Umana Università degli Studi di Palermo
- Entry no. 33. “Sapienza” University of Rome Medical Physiopathology Department
- Entry no. 34. Università La Sapienza di Roma – Sezione di Patologia Vegetale e Micologia – Dipartimento di Biologia

### Romania (1):

- Entry no. 8. University Dunarea De Jos - Faculty of Food Science and Engineering

### Sweden (6):

- Entry no. 11. Swedish University of Agricultural Science (Department of Food Science, EFOP (the Environmental Fate of Pesticide Group), Faculty of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine)
- Entry no. 15. Faculty of Natural Resources and Agricultural Sciences, SLU
- Entry no. 16. Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU), Dept Plant Biology & Forest Genetics
- Entry no. 17. Unit for Agricultural Entomology, Dept. of Ecology, SLU
- Entry no. 18. Department of Crop Production Ecology, SLU
- Entry no. 20. Linnaeus University, School of Natural Sciences.

The Management Board is also informed of the technical changes adopted by the Acting Executive Director in his Decision dated 25/11//2013 (Annex II).

## IV. Conclusion

The Management Board is presented for possible adoption, the updated Article 36 List of competent organisations (Annex I) after adding the newly designated organisations from the Czech Republic, Italy, Romania and Sweden and deleting those entries for which designation has been withdrawn.

## Art. 36 of Regulation EC 178/2002 and Art. 1 of Regulation EC 2230/2004

**LIST OF COMPETENT ORGANISATIONS DESIGNATED BY THE MEMBER STATES WHICH MAY ASSIST THE AUTHORITY WITH ITS MISSION**

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT ORGANISATIONS <sup>1</sup>
AUSTRIA	1. Agentur für Gesundheit und Ernährungssicherheit GmbH (AGES - Austrian Agency for Health and Food Safety)
	2. Umweltbundesamt GmbH (Austrian Federal Environment Agency Ltd)
BELGIUM	1. Belgian Federal Agency for the Safety of the Food Chain (FASFC) and Scientific Committee of the Federal Agency for the Safety of the Food Chain (Sci Com-FASFC)
	2. Belgian Superior Health Council
	3. Belgian Biosafety Advisory Council
	4. Commission for Advice on Plant preparations
	5. Scientific Institute of Public Health
	6. CODA-CERVA (Veterinary and Agrochemical Research Centre)
	7. Walloon Agricultural Research Centre (CRA-W)
	8. Institute for Agricultural and Fisheries Research (ILVO)
	9. Ghent University - Faculty of Veterinary Medicine
	10. Ghent University - Laboratory of Phytopharmacy / Fytolab
	11. Ghent University - Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Department of Food Analysis
	12. Ghent University - Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences
	13. Ghent University - Faculty Bioscience Engineering
	14. Centre d'Economie Rurale (CER Group)
	15. Gembloux Agricultural University - Laboratory of Ecology
	16. Gembloux Agricultural University - GLP Pesticide Science Laboratory
	17. Université Catholique de Louvain - Unité de Phytopathologie
	18. K.U.Leuven
	19. Zootechnical Centre - K.U.Leuven R&D / Laboratory Quality Care in Animal Production
	20. University of Liège - Faculty of Veterinary Medicine
	21. Université Libre de Bruxelles - Biological Control and Spatial Ecology Laboratory
BULGARIA	1. Food Research and Development Institute
	2. National Centre of Public Health Protection (NCPHP)
	3. National Diagnostic and Research Veterinary Medical institute (NDRVMI)
	4. Institute of Cryobiology and Food Technology (ICFT)
	5. Agricultural University Plovdiv
	6. Central Laboratory of Veterinary Control and Ecology

<sup>1</sup> When only a specific part of an organisation is designated, it is indicated in the same line; where more parts of an organisation are designated, they are listed as sub-entries.

<b>BULGARIA</b>	7. University of Food Technologies
	8. The Stephan Angeloff Institute of Microbiology, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
	9. Maritsa Vegetable Crops Research Institute
	10. Department of Food Hygiene, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Trakia University
	11. Joint Genomic Center to Sofia University
	12. Risk Assessment Center
	13. Institute of Biology and Immunology of Reproduction Acad. "Kiril Bratanov", BAS
<b>CYPRUS</b>	14. Institute of Soil Science, Agrotechnology and Plant Protection
	1. State General Laboratory (SGL)
	2. Veterinary Services, Ministry of Agriculture Natural Resources and Environment
	3. Department of Agriculture, Ministry of Agriculture Natural Resources and Environment
	4. Agricultural Research Institute
<b>CZECH REPUBLIC</b>	5. Public Health Services
	1. Mendel University in Brno, Faculty of Agronomy, Department of Animal Breeding
	2. National Institute of Public Health
	3. Veterinary Research Institute (VRI)
	4. Crop Research Institute
	5. Institute of Animal Science
	6. Czech University of Life Sciences Prague, Faculty of Agrobiology, Food and Natural Resources, Department of Quality of Agricultural Products
	7. Food Research Institute Prague
	8. Biology Centre, Academy of Sciences (BCAS)
	9. Institute of Chemical Technology Prague
10. University of Veterinary and Pharmaceutical Sciences Brno	
<b>DENMARK</b>	1. Technical University of Denmark 1.1 National Food Institute 1.2 National Veterinary Institute
	2. National Environmental Research Institute (NERI)
	3. Faculty of Life Sciences, University of Copenhagen
	4. The Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Aarhus University (DJF)
<b>ESTONIA</b>	1. Estonian Environmental Research Centre (EERC)
	2. Estonian Veterinary and Food Laboratory
	3. Health Protection Inspectorate Tartu Laboratory
	4. University of Tartu
	5. Estonian Research Institute of Agriculture
	6. Tallinn University of Technology
	7. Institute of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Sciences of Estonian University of Life Sciences
	8. National Institute for Health Development
<b>FINLAND</b>	1. Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority (STUK)
	2. Finnish Food Safety Authority (EVIRA)
	3. Finnish Environment Institute (SYKE)
	4. University of Helsinki 4.1 Faculty of Veterinary Medicine 4.2 Department of Food and Environmental Sciences
	5. University of Kuopio, Institute of Applied Biotechnology
	6. Aalto University School of Science and Technology, Department of Biotechnology and Chemical Technology
	7. National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL)
	8. MTT Agrifood Research Finland
	9. University of Turku, Functional Foods Forum
	10. Finnish Safety and Chemicals Agency (Tukes)
<b>FRANCE</b>	1. National Institute for Agricultural Research / Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique (INRA)

<b>FRANCE</b>	2.	Laboratoire National de la Protection des Végétaux
	3.	French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety (Agence nationale de sécurité sanitaire de l'alimentation, de l'environnement et du travail, ANSES)
	4.	High Council for Biotechnology (Haut Conseil des biotechnologies, HCB)
	5.	French Agriculture Research Centre for International Development (Centre de Coopération Internationale en Recherche Agronomique pour le Développement - CIRAD)
	6.	Ecole Nationale Vétérinaire d'Alfort
	7.	Institut Pasteur (Paris)
	8.	Institut Pasteur de Lille
	9.	Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS)
	10.	Ecole Supérieure d'Agronomie et des Industries Alimentaires
	11.	Institute for Higher Education and Research in Food, Animal Health, Agronomic and Environmental Sciences (Institut d'enseignement supérieur et de recherche en alimentation, santé animale, sciences agronomiques et de l'environnement, VetAgro Sup)
	12.	Laboratoire de Toxicologie Alimentaire, EA 3880, Université de Bretagne Occidentale
	13.	ENSBANA, Laboratoire de Toxicologie Alimentaire, Université de Bourgogne
	14.	Ecole Nationale Vétérinaire de Toulouse (ENVT)
	15.	Agrocampus Ouest
	16.	Cemagref
	17.	Ifremer
	18.	Institut de Veille Sanitaire (InVS – French Institute for Public Health Surveillance)
	<b>GERMANY</b>	1.
2.		Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)
3.		Robert Koch Institute 3.1 Unit Infectious Disease Epidemiology 3.2 Unit L-2-Gene Technology
4.		Julius Kuhn Institute – Federal Research Institute for Cultivated Plants
5.		Federal Office of Consumer Protection and Food Safety (BVL)
6.		Friedrich-Loeffler-Institut, Federal Research Institute for Animal Health
7.		Max-Rubner-Institute (MRI), Federal Research Institute of Nutrition and Food
8.		German Nutrition Society
9.		Research Institute of Child Nutrition
10.		Federal Environment Agency (Umweltbundesamt)
<b>GREECE</b>	1.	Hellenic Food Authority (E.F.E.T)
	2.	General Chemical State Laboratory
	3.	National Agricultural Research Foundation-Institute of Technology of Agricultural Products
	4.	MS and Dioxin Analysis Lab, NCSR DEMOKRITOS
	5.	Institute of Food Hygiene
	6.	Food Industrial Research & Technology Development Company (ETAT S.A.)
	7.	Benaki Phytopathological Institute
	8.	Directorate of Plant Produce Protection, Department of Pesticides
	9.	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens 9.1 Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, Public Health Nutrition and Nutritional Epidemiology Unit, Medical school 9.2 Laboratory of Analytical Chemistry, Department of Chemistry)
	10.	University of Crete/Faculty of Medicine (Laboratory of Clinical Bacteriology, Parasitology, Zoonoses and Geographical Medicine/WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mediterranean Zoonoses)
	11.	Agricultural University of Athens
	12.	Department of Science of Dietetics-Nutrition, Harokopio University
	13.	NTUA, School of Chemical Engineering, Laboratory of Food Chemistry and Technology
	14.	Department of Forensic Medicine & Toxicology
	15.	Technological Educational Institute

<b>GREECE</b>	16. University of Thessaly, Veterinary Faculty
	17. Hellenic Health Foundation
<b>HUNGARY</b>	1. Hungarian Authority for Consumer Protection, Laboratory of Foodstuffs and Chemicals
	2. National Institute for Food and Nutrition Science
	3. Hungarian Dairy Research Institute
	4. Environmental Protection and Water Management Research Institute
	5. Central Food Research Institute (CFRI)
	6. Szent István University Faculty of Veterinary Science
	7. Institute of Materials and Environmental Chemistry, Chemical Research Center of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences
	8. Agricultural Research Institute of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences
	9. Plant Protection Institute of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences
	10. University of Debrecen, Centre of Agricultural Sciences and Engineering
	11. Cereal Research Non-Profit Company
	12. Corvinus University of Budapest, Faculty of Food Science
	13. Corvinus University of Budapest Research Institute for Viticulture & Enology
	14. Hungarian Meat Research Institute (Public Benefit Company) /OHKI KHT
	15. National Center of Epidemiology
	16. Research Institute for Fisheries, Aquaculture and Irrigation
	17. National Food Chain Safety Office
<b>ICELAND</b>	1. The Icelandic Food and Veterinary Authority
	2. The Public Health Institute of Iceland
	3. Matis Ltd
	4. Unit for nutrition research, Landspítali-University Hospital and University of Iceland
<b>IRELAND</b>	1. Central Veterinary Research Laboratory
	2. Department of Agriculture and Food, Pesticide Registration Division
	3. Dublin Public Analyst's Laboratory
	4. Department of Agriculture and Food, Residues Division of the Pesticide Control Service
	5. Saferood, the Food Safety Promotion Board
	6. Cork Public Analyst's Laboratory
	7. The National Food Centre, Teagasc
	8. Marine Institute
	9. Teagasc, Moorepark Food Research Centre
	10. University College Cork
	10.1 Department of Epidemiology and Public Health
	10.2 Department of Nutrition
	11. University College Dublin
	11.1 Centre for Food Safety, School for Agriculture, Food Science and Veterinary Medicine, College of Life Sciences
	11.2 National Nutrition Surveillance Centre
	12. National University of Ireland Galway
13. Food Safety Authority of Ireland	
14. University of Limerick, Department of Life Sciences	
15. Athlone Institute of Technology	
16. Dublin Institute of Technology (DIT)	
<b>ITALY</b>	1. Italian National Institute of Health (Istituto Superiore di Sanità, ISS)
	2. Agricultural Research Council (Consiglio per la Ricerca e la Sperimentazione in Agricoltura, CRA)
	3. National Research Council (Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, CNR)
	4. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Abruzzo and Molise (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Abruzzo e del Molise "G.Caporale", IZSAM)
	5. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Apulia and Basilicata (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Puglia e della Basilicata, IZSPB)

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<b>ITALY</b>	6. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Lazio and Tuscany (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Regioni Lazio e Toscana, IZSLT)	
	7. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Lombardy and Emilia-Romagna "Bruno Ubertini" (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Lombardia e dell'Emilia-Romagna "Bruno Ubertini", IZSLER)	
	8. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Piedmont, Liguria and Aosta Valley (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale del Piemonte Liguria e Valle d'Aosta, IZSPLVA)	
	9. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Sicily (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Sicilia "A.Mirri", IZSSIC)	
	10. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Umbria and Marche Regions (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Umbria e delle Marche, IZSUM)	
	11. Veterinary Public Health Institute of Venetie (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Venetie, IZSVe)	
	12. Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna (Alma Mater Studiorum – Università di Bologna - UNIBO)	
	13. Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UNICATT)	
	14. University Hospital "Luigi Sacco" (Azienda Ospedaliera – Polo Universitario "Luigi Sacco")	
	15. University of Eastern Piedmont (Università degli Studi del Piemonte Orientale "Amedeo Avogadro", UNIPMN)	
	16. University of Foggia (Università degli Studi di Foggia, UNIFG)	
	17. University of Milan (Università degli Studi di Milano, UNIMI)	
	18. University of Palermo (Università degli studi di Palermo, UNIPA)	
	19. University of Parma (Università degli Studi di Parma, UNIPR)	
	20. University of Pavia (Università degli Studi di Pavia, UNIPV)	
	21. University of Perugia (Università degli Studi di Perugia, UNIPG)	
	22. "Sapienza" University of Rome ("Sapienza" Università di Roma, UNIROMA1)	
	<b>LATVIA</b>	1. State Plant Protection Service – Plant Protection Department
		2. Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment "BIOR"
		3. Food and Veterinary Service
		4. Latvia University of Agriculture: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 Faculty of Food Technology (FFT)</li> <li>4.2 Faculty of Veterinary Medicine (FVM)</li> <li>4.3 Research Institute of Biotechnology and Veterinary Medicine "Sigra" (RIBVMS)</li> </ul>
		5. University of Latvia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Faculty of Biology</li> <li>5.2 Faculty of Chemistry</li> </ul>
6. Riga Stradiņš University (Rīgas Stradiņa universitāte)		
<b>LITHUANIA</b>	1. State Food and Veterinary Service	
	2. Health Education and Disease Prevention, Ministry of Health	
	3. State Plant Service under the Ministry of Agriculture	
	4. National Food and Veterinary Risk Assessment Institute	
<b>LUXEMBOURG</b>	1. Centre de Recherche Public de la Santé	
	2. Laboratoire National de Santé (CRP Santé)	
	3. Centre de Recherche Public-Gabriel Lippmann (CRP-GL)	
<b>MALTA</b>	1. Technical Regulations Division within the Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority	
<b>NORWAY</b>	1. Bioforsk - Norwegian Institute for Agricultural and Environmental Research, Plant Health and Plant Protection Division	
	2. National Institute of Nutrition and Seafood Research (NIFES)	
	3. Norwegian Veterinary Institute	
	4. Norwegian Forest and Landscape Institute	
	5. Norwegian Institute for Air Research (NILU)	
	6. Norwegian Institute for Water Research (NIVA)	
	7. Norwegian Institute of Public Health	

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<b>NORWAY</b>	7.1 Division of Environmental Medicine
	7.2 Division of Infectious Disease Control
	8. Norwegian School of Veterinary Science
	9. Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Department of Animal- and Aquacultural Sciences
	10. Department of Nutrition, Institute of Basic Medical Sciences, University of Oslo
	11. Norwegian Food Safety Authority
<b>POLAND</b>	12. Norwegian Scientific Committee for Food Safety
	1. National Veterinary Research Institute
	2. National Research Institute of Animal Production
	3. Institute of Natural Fibres and Medicinal Plants
	4. National Institute of Public Health - National Institute of Hygiene
	5. The National Food and Nutrition Institute
	6. Institute of Soil Science and Plant Cultivation – State Research Institute (IUNG – PIB)
	7. Sea Fisheries Institute in Gdynia
	8. Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Department of Food Hygiene and Public Health
	9. University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn
<b>PORTUGAL</b>	10. Research Institute of Pomology and Floriculture
	1. Instituto Nacional de Saude Doutor Ricardo Jorge, I.P.
	2. Direcção-Geral de Protecção das Culturas (DGPC)
	3. National Institute of Pharmacy and Medicines –INFARMED
	4. Direcção Geral de Veterinária – DSCQ
	5. Laboratório Nacional de Investigação Veterinária
	6. National Institute for Engineering, Technology and Innovation – INETI-DTIA
	7. Faculdade de Farmácia da Universidade de Lisboa
	8. Universidade de Lisboa Faculdade de Medicina Veterinária
	9. Instituto Superior de Engenharia – Universidade do Algarve
	10. Universidade de Lisboa
	11. University of Coimbra
	12. Clínica Universitária de Medicina - Faculdade de Medicina - Coimbra
	13. Instituto Superior de Ciências da Saúde Egas Moniz
	14. University of Porto, Faculty of Nutrition and Food Sciences
	15. Faculdade de Medicina da Universidade do Porto
	16. Faculdade de Farmacia da Universidade do Porto (FFUP)
	17. ICETA Instituto de Ciências e Tecnologias Agrárias e Agro-Alimentares
	18. Área Departamental de Ciencia e Tecnologia de Alimentos, Escola Superior Agrária Instituto Politécnico de Beja
	19. Instituto Politécnico de Leiria (IPL)
	20. Instituto Politécnico de Santarém
	21. Instituto Superior de Agronomia
	22. Universidade Lusófona de Humanidades e Tecnologia
	23. Universidade Católica Portuguesa - Escola Superior de Biotecnologia
	24. ASAE - Economy and Food Safety Standards Authority
	25. ITQB-UNL
	26. Escola Superior Agrária (ESAB) - Instituto Politécnico de Bragança
	27. University of Aveiro - Food Biochemistry Group
	28. Faculty of Sciences and Technology / UNL
	29. Universidade do Minho
30. Instituto de Ciências Agrárias Mediterrânicas	
<b>ROMANIA</b>	1. Institute for Diagnosis and Animal Health
	2. Ministry of Public Health
	2.1 Department of Public Health Authority (PHA)

<b>ROMANIA</b>	2.2 Department of Sanitary State Inspection
	3. Romanian Sanitary Veterinary and Food Safety Authority
	4. Institute for Hygiene and Veterinary Public Health
	5. Banat's University of Agricultural Science and Veterinary Medicine
	6. Sanitary Veterinary and Food Safety Directorate of Bucharest - Sanitary Veterinary Laboratory of State
	7. University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine – Cluj Napoca
	8. National Institute of Research and Development for Food Bioresources - IBA Bucharest
	9. Dunarea de Jos University
<b>SLOVAKIA</b>	1. Public Health Authority of Slovak Republic
	2. Regional Public Health Authority in Poprad
	3. Animal Production Research Centre Nitra
	4. Central Controlling and Testing Institute in Agriculture
	5. Food Research Institute
	6. State Veterinary and Food Institute - Bratislava
	7. State Veterinary and Food Institute - Dolny Kubin
	8. State Veterinary and Food Institute - Košice
	9. State Veterinary Institute Zvolen
	10. Faculty of Pharmacy, Comenius University
	11. Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra
	12. Slovak University of Technology, Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology
	13. Slovak Medical University
	14. University of Veterinary Medicine and Pharmacy in Kosice
	15. Institute of Neuroimmunology, Slovak Academy of Sciences
	16. Institute of Parasitology, Slovak Academy of Sciences
	17. Institute of Plant Genetics and Biotechnology, Slovak Academy of Sciences
<b>SLOVENIA</b>	1. National Institute of Public Health
	2. Agricultural Institute of Slovenia
	3. Slovenian Institute for Hop Research and Brewing
	4. Veterinary Faculty University of Ljubljana
	5. University of Ljubljana, Dept. Food Science and Technology, Biotechnical Faculty
	6. University of Maribor, Faculty of Agriculture and Life Sciences and Medical Faculty
	7. Jozef Stefan Institute
	8. National Institute of Biology (NIB) Department of Biotechnology and Systems Biology
	9. University of Ljubljana, Biotechnical Faculty, Dept. of Agronomy, Chair of Entomology and Phytopathology
	10. University of Ljubljana, Biotechnical Faculty, Zootechnical department
	11. Public Health Institute of Maribor
	12. Slovenian Forestry Institute
<b>SPAIN</b>	1. Centro Nacional de Alimentación (CNA)
	2. Consejo Superior Investigaciones Científicas
	3. Community Reference laboratory on Marine Biotoxins (CRLMB)
	4. Laboratorio Regional de Salud Pública de la Comunidad de Madrid
	5. Laboratori Agroalimentari
	6. Laboratorio de Salud Pública de la Delegación Provincial de la Consejería de Sanidad de Lugo
	7. Departamento de Nutrición, Bromatología y Tecnología de los Alimentos, Facultad de Veterinaria, Universidad Complutense
	8. Universidad de Córdoba
	9. Universidad Complutense de Madrid
	10. Universidad de las Islas Baleares (Laboratorio de Biología Molécula, Nutrición y Biotecnología)
	11. Drug Analysis Service - Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona (Facultad de Veterinaria)

<b>SPAIN</b>	12. Grupo de Investigación Dh03 - Universidad de León - (Facultad de Veterinaria)
	13. Centre de Recerca en Sanitat Animal (CRESA)
	14. Laboratorio Arbitral Agroalimentario de Madrid
	15. Agència Catalana de Seguretat Alimentària (ACSA)
	16. Institute of Agriculture and Food Research and Technology (IRTA)
	17. Laboratorio Central de Veterinaria
	18. Laboratory of Mycology (UCM)
	19. Nutrición y Bromatología, Facultad de Veterinaria, Universidad de Murcia
	20. Institute of Nutrition and Food Technology (INYTA)
	21. Saluvet Group
	22. ELIKA - Basque Foundation For Agrofood Safety (Fundación Vasca Para La Seguridad Agroalimentaria)
	23. University of Santiago de Compostela
	24. Basque Institute for Agrarian Research and Development (NEIKER)
	<b>SWEDEN</b>
2. Swedish Chemicals Inspectorate	
3. The Swedish Institute for Food and Biotechnology (SIK)	
4. Swedish Museum of Natural History, Contaminant Research Group	
5. National Food Agency	
6. Swedish Environmental Protection Agency	
7. Swedish Institute for Infectious Disease Control	
8. Karolinska Institute	
8.1 Veterinary resources,	
8.2 Institute of Environmental Medicine-IMM	
8.3 Microbiological and Tumor Biological Center	
9. Stockholm University	
9.1 Department of Applied Environmental Science (ITM)	
9.2 Department of Environmental Chemistry	
10. Örebro University Hospital, Department of Occupational and Environmental Medicine	
11. Göteborg University, Department of Home Economics	
12. MTM Research Centre at Örebro University	
13. Lund University, Department of Food Technology, Engineering and Nutrition	
14. Uppsala University Department of Public Health and Caring Sciences/Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism	
15. Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences	
16. Linnaeus University	
<b>THE NETHERLANDS</b>	1. RIKILT – Institute of Food Safety
	2. National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM)
	3. Central Institute for Animal Disease Control CIDC-Lelystad
	4. Plant Protection Service
	5. Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority (VWA)
	6. Institute for Environmental Studies, Vrije Universiteit
	7. Board for the Authorisation of Pesticides (CTB)
	8. Alterra B.V.
	9. Plant Research International B.V.
	10. ASG Veehouderij BV
	11. Landbouw-Economisch Instituut (LEI)
	12. Utrecht University – Faculty of Veterinary Medicine
<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>	1. UK Food Standard Agency
	2. Hampshire Scientific Service
	3. Glasgow Scientific Services
	4. Animal Health and Veterinary Laboratories Agency

<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>	5.	Staffordshire County Laboratory and Scientific Services
	6.	Leicestershire County Council Scientific Services
	7.	Centre for Environment Fisheries and Aquaculture Science (CEFAS)
	8.	Somerset Scientific Services
	9.	Institute of Food Research
	10.	Aberdeen City Council, Aberdeen Scientific Services Laboratory
	11.	Food and Environment Research Agency (FERA)
	12.	City of Edinburgh Council
	13.	Chemicals Regulation Directorate (CRD)
	14.	Health and Safety Laboratory
	15.	MRC Collaborative Centre for Human Nutrition Research
	16.	Dundee City Council Scientific Services
	17.	Durham Scientific Services
	18.	Royal Veterinary College
	19.	University of Plymouth
	20.	University of Birmingham, Food Safety and Production Group
	21.	Institute of Environment and Health (as part of the Food and Environment Group), Cranfield University
	22.	University of Southampton
	23.	Natural Resources Institute of the University of Greenwich
	24.	University of Newcastle upon Tyne
	25.	University of Glasgow, Research and Enterprise
	26.	Food and Nutrition for Health Unit, University of Central Lancashire
	27.	University of Aberdeen
	28.	Agri-Food and Biosciences Institute (AFBI)
	29.	Health Protection Agency
	30.	Institute of Occupational Medicine
	31.	Kent Scientific Services
	32.	LGC Limited
	33.	University of Liverpool
	34.	Worcestershire Scientific Services
	35.	University of Hull, Department of Diabetes and Endocrinology
	36.	The James Hutton Institute

Submitted for adoption in Parma  
on 19 December 2013

For EFSA's Management Board

Sue Davies  
Chair of the Management Board

**DECISION OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
OF THE EUROPEAN FOOD SAFETY AUTHORITY**

**Concerning technical changes to and withdrawals from the List of competent organisations designated by the Member States which may assist the Authority (Article 36 List)**

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN FOOD SAFETY AUTHORITY<sup>1</sup>,

Having regard to the Treaty on the functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 of 28 January 2002 of the European Parliament and the Council laying down the general principles of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety<sup>2</sup>, and in particular to Article 36 thereof, regarding the networking of organisations operating in the fields within the Authority's mission,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2230/2004 of 23 December 2004 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of European Parliament and Council Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 with regard to the network of organisations operating in the fields within the European Food Safety Authority's mission<sup>3</sup>, and in particular to Article 1(3) thereof,

Having regard to the Decision of the Management Board of the 18 December 2008<sup>4</sup> concerning the delegation given by the Management Board to the EFSA's Executive Director to adapt the list of competent organisations designated by the Member States which may assist the Authority (Article 36 List) in case of technical changes submitted by a Member State on one of the existing entities on the list,

Whereas:

EFSA received requests sent by existing Article 36 organisations from Bulgaria, Cyprus, Finland, France, Greece, Italy, Latvia, Romania, Slovakia and Slovenia in which EFSA was informed of editorial changes to the names of the organisations and technical updates of their profiles, including changes regarding new contact persons, with no changes in the criteria for inclusion in the Article 36 List;

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<sup>1</sup> In the present Decision also referred to as 'the Authority' or 'EFSA'.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 31, 1.2.2002, p. 1–24, as last amended.

<sup>3</sup> OJ L 379, 24.12.2004, p. 64–67.

<sup>4</sup> Decision of the Management Board on the "technical changes to the list of competent organisations designated by the Member States which may assist the Authority", Annex 3 of the Management Board document: mb 18 12 08 item 8 doc 6b - Update on Art. 36 list of organisations.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*  
*Update of the Article 36 List*

The technical changes to the following competent organisations on the Article 36 List shall be approved, EFSA's Article 36 Organisations Database shall be updated, and Article 36 List published, accordingly:

Bulgaria	Food Research and Development Institute
Bulgaria	Institute of Cryobiology and Food Technology
Bulgaria	Maritsa Vegetable Crops Research Institute
Bulgaria	Risk Assessment Center
Bulgaria	University of Food Technologies
Cyprus	Agricultural Research Institute
Finland	MTT Agrifood Research Finland
France	Agrocampus Ouest
France	French Agriculture Research Centre for International Development (Centre de Coopération Internationale en Recherche Agronomique pour le Développement - CIRAD)
France	High Council for Biotechnology (Haut Conseil des biotechnologies, HCB)
France	Institute for Higher Education and Research in Food, Animal Health, Agronomic and Environmental Sciences (Institut d'enseignement supérieur et de recherche en alimentation, santé animale, sciences agronomiques et de l'environnement, VetAgro Sup)
Greece	Hellenic Food Authority
Italy	Veterinary Public Health Institute of Lombardy and Emilia-Romagna "Bruno Ubertini" (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Lombardia e dell'Emilia-Romagna "Bruno Ubertini", IZSLER)
Italy	Veterinary Public Health Institute of Apulia and Basilicata (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Puglia e della Basilicata, IZSPB)
Italy	Veterinary Public Health Institute of Umbria and Marche Regions (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Umbria e delle Marche, IZSUM)
Italy	Veterinary Public Health Institute of Lazio and Tuscany (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Regioni Lazio e Toscana, IZSLT)
Italy	Veterinary Public Health Institute of Abruzzo and Molise (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Abruzzo e del Molise "G.Caporale", IZSAM)
Italy	University of Foggia (Università degli Studi di Foggia, UNIFG)
Italy	Veterinary Public Health Institute of Venezie (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Venezie, IZSVE)
Latvia	Food and Veterinary Service
Romania	Banat's University of Agricultural Science and Veterinary Medicine

Romania	Institute for Hygiene and Veterinary Public Health
Romania	Romanian Sanitary Veterinary and Food Safety Authority
Slovakia	State Veterinary and Food Institute – Košice
Slovakia	State Veterinary Institute Zvolen
Slovakia	University of Veterinary Medicine and Pharmacy in Kosice
Slovenia	National Institute of Public Health

Including re-naming the following organisations:

France	Entry no. 4 on the current Article 36 List <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From “Haut Conseil des biotechnologies”</li><li>• To “High Council for Biotechnology (Haut Conseil des biotechnologies, HCB)”</li></ul> Entry no. 5 on the current Article 36 List <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From “Centre de Coopération Internationale en Recherche Agronomique pour le Développement – CIRAD”</li><li>• To “French Agriculture Research Centre for International Development (Centre de Coopération Internationale en Recherche Agronomique pour le Développement - CIRAD)”</li></ul> Entry no. 11 on the current Article 36 List <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From “VetAgro Sup”</li><li>• To “Institute for Higher Education and Research in Food, Animal Health, Agronomic and Environmental Sciences (Institut d’enseignement supérieur et de recherche en alimentation, santé animale, sciences agronomiques et de l’environnement, VetAgro Sup)”</li></ul>
Italy	Entry no. 7 on the current Article 36 List <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Lombardia e dell’Emilia-Romagna”</li><li>• To “Veterinary Public Health Institute of Lombardy and Emilia-Romagna “Bruno Ubertini” (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Lombardia e dell’Emilia-Romagna “Bruno Ubertini”, IZSLER)”</li></ul> Entry no. 8 on the current Article 36 List <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Puglia e della Basilicata”</li><li>• To “Veterinary Public Health Institute of Apulia and Basilicata (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Puglia e della Basilicata, IZSPB)”</li></ul> Entry no. 10 on the current Article 36 List <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell’Umbria e delle Marche”</li><li>• To “Veterinary Public Health Institute of Umbria and Marche Regions (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell’Umbria e delle Marche, IZSUM)”</li></ul>

Entry no. 11 on the current Article 36 List

- From “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Regioni Lazio e Toscana”
- To “Veterinary Public Health Institute of Lazio and Tuscany (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Regioni Lazio e Toscana, IZSLT)”

Entry no. 12 on the current Article 36 List

- From “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell’Abruzzo e del Molise”
- To “Veterinary Public Health Institute of Abruzzo and Molise (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell’Abruzzo e del Molise “G.Caporale”, IZSAM)”

Entry no. 16 on the current Article 36 List

- From “Università di Foggia”
- To “University of Foggia (Università degli Studi di Foggia, UNIFG)”

Entry no. 29 on the current Article 36 List

- From “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Venezie”
- To “Veterinary Public Health Institute of Venezie (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale delle Venezie, IZSve)”

Slovakia

Entry no. 10 on the current Article 36 List

- From “University of Veterinary Medicine (UVM)”
- To “University of Veterinary Medicine and Pharmacy in Kosice”.

## *Article 2* *Withdrawals of organisations*

In accordance with the request sent by the Permanent Representations of the Czech Republic and Italy, the following organisations are to be deleted from the Article 36 List adopted by EFSA’s Management Board in Parma on 24 October 2013:

Czech Republic

Entry no. 6 on the current Article 36 List

- “Regional Public Health Institute of Ostrava”

Entry no. 7 on the current Article 36 List

- “Regional Public Health Institute of Ústí nad Labem”

Italy

Entry no. 4 on the current Article 36 List

- “Stazione Sperimentale per l’Industria delle Conserve Alimentari – SSICA”

Entry no. 5 on the current Article 36 List

- “Stazione Sperimentale per le Industrie degli Oli dei Grassi – SSOG”

Entry no. 20 on the current Article 36 List

- “Università di Torino e del Piemonte Orientale – Centro Interateneo Sicurezza, Qualità e Tipicità degli Alimenti (CeSQTA)”

Entry no. 21 on the current Article 36 List

- “Università di Torino – Agroinnova”

Entry no. 27 on the current Article 36 List

- “Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale del Mezzogiorno”

Entry no. 40 on the current Article 36 List

- “Faculty of Veterinary Medicine - University of Teramo”.

***Article 3***  
***Entry into Force***

The present Decision shall enter into force on the day of its signature.

EFSA’s Management Board shall be informed of the present Decision at its next meeting.

Done at Parma, on 25/11/2013

Bernhard Url  
Acting Executive Director

[SIGNED]