

Decision

EFSA – European Food Safety Authority	Decision of the Executive Director of the European Food Safety Authority on the policy of the European Food Safety Authority on the technical changes to the list of organisations designated by the Members States which may assist the Authority (Article 36 List)	Decision No.: EFSA/2018/03/ENCO
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Approvals	Signature	Name
Originator	ENCO	VV
Executive Director	see Decision	BU
Management Board	N/A	N/A

Introduction	See citations and recitals of the annexed Decision
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Description	Decision of the Executive Director adapting the list of competent organisations, designated by the Member States which may assist the Authority (Article 36 list), following technical changes to existing entities on the list.
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References	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commission Regulation (EC) No 2230/2004 Decision 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
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Relevant Documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Amended Article 36 List
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Decision History

Date	Revision No.	Description of Change
N/A	N/A	N/A

Abbreviations	<i>Cf. Decision</i>
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DECISION OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN FOOD SAFETY AUTHORITY

Concerning technical changes to 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 AUTHORITY¹,

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 safety², 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 mission³, and in particular to Article 1(3) thereof,

Having regard to the Decision of the Management Board of the 18 December 2008⁴ 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 update requests sent by the existing Article 36 organisations from Belgium, Germany, Italy and Portugal, which updates those organisations profiles; specifically those changes regard new contact persons (editorial changes) and/or update of their resources with no changes in the criteria for inclusion in the Article 36 List (technical changes).

Ireland notified EFSA about withdrawal of their three entries which are not legal entities.

¹ In the present Decision also referred to as 'the Authority' or 'EFSA'.

² OJ L 31, 1.2.2002, p. 1-24, as last amended.

³ OJ L 379, 24.12.2004, p. 64-67.

⁴ 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 List shall be approved and the EFSA Article 36 Database shall be updated accordingly:

- Belgium (2): **Own Capital of the Institute for Agricultural and Fisheries Research**
Hasselt University (Universiteit Hasselt)
- Italy (1): **Veterinary Public Health Institute of Apulia and Basilicata (Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Puglia e della Basilicata, IZSPB).**

Notification of editorial changes only, i.e. update of contact person details has already been proceeded for:

- Germany (1): **German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (Bundesinstitut für Risikobewertung - BfR)**
- Portugal (1): **Portuguese Authority for Food and Economic Safety (ASAE).**

Withdrawal of the following entries (due not being legal entities) will update the List of competent organisations:

- Ireland (3): **Department of Life Sciences of the University of Limerick**
Dublin Public Analyst's Laboratory
Cork Public Analyst's Laboratory.

Article 2

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 in Parma, on 13/09/2018

[signed]
Bernhard Url
Executive Director