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Draft Royal Decree approving the quality standards for cheese and processed cheese

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Message

Message 002

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Directive 98/34/EC

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2. Member State

Spain

3. Department Responsible

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4. Notification Number

2005/0724/E - C50A

5. Title

Draft Royal Decree approving the quality standards for cheese and processed cheese

6. Products Concerned

Cheese and processed cheese.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The draft Royal Decree lays down the quality standards for cheese and processed cheese produced in Spain, placed on the market

The sole additional provision of the Royal Decree contains the mutual recognition clause applicable to cheese and processed cheese.

Annex 1 to the text contains the quality standards for cheese and Annex 2 contains the quality standards for processed cheese.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The reasons justifying the drawing up of the draft Royal Decree are the adaptations to the current situation in such a way that competition and the defence of consumers and the unification of dispersed national legislation are supported.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

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11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

NO

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

NO

14. Fiscal measures

NO

15. Impact assessment

NO

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT Aspects

B) This is not a standard that must be notified within the framework of the agreement on technical barriers to free trade.

SPS Aspects

B) This is not a sanitary or phytosanitary standard within the framework of the agreement on the implementation of sanitary and phytosanitary measures.

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