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# Order laying down the conditions for the importation and transit, in France, of apiculture products intended for human consumption

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#### 1. Structured Information Line

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#### 2. Member State

**FRANCE** 

#### 3. Department Responsible

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#### 4. Notification Number

2006/0026/F - C50A

#### 5. Title

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#### 6. Products Concerned

The following apiculture products intended for human consumption:

honey;

royal jelly;

propolis

#### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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#### 8. Main Content

The draft Order is intended to:

- define the apiculture products concerned;
- define the list of countries authorised on the basis of the amended Decision 92/118/EC of 17 December 1992;
- lay down the health conditions for the importation of apiculture products intended for human consumption, pending Community harmonisation;
- inform operators of the applicable health provisions.

These products must come from production establishments declared to the veterinary authority of origin.

#### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The health provisions specified by the draft Order are already applicable in France.

These provisions have been laid down pending harmonised Community legislation.

#### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

- Council Directive 92/118/EEC of 17 December 1992 laying down animal health and public health requirements governing trade in and imports into the Community of products not subject to the said requirements laid down in specific Community rules referred to in Annex A(I) to Directive 89/662/EEC and, as regards pathogens, to Directive 90/425/EEC:
- Council Directive 97/78/EC of 18 December 1997 laying down the principles governing the organisation of veterinary checks on products entering the Community from third countries:
- The Order of 5 May 2000, as amended, laying down the methods for veterinary checks upon the importation of products from third countries:

Directives and Decisions of the European Commission are available in all the official languages of the European Union.

## 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

Bundesministerium für Wirtschaft und Arbeit - Abteilung C2/1

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12. Grounds for the Emergency
13. Confidentiality No
14. Fiscal measures No
15. Impact assessment No impact assessment has been carried out. This draft Order enables operators to be informed of the health provisions applicable to this type of importation.
Measure laid down pending Community harmonisation of legislation.
16. TBT and SPS aspects TBT aspect a) No This draft is not a technical regulation or a conformity assessment procedure pursuant to Annex 1 to the TBT Agreement.
SPS Aspect a) Yes
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