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Order extending an inter-branch agreement concluded within the framework of the National Inter-Branch Potato Committee (Comité National Interprofessionnel de la Pomme de Terre, CNIPT) and concerning various measures to promote potato quality and consumer information

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Message 002

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - He ce предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Ware potatoes produced in France

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The Order is an extension of an agreement, the purpose of which is to establish specific measures relating to the quality of potatoes and consumer information for ware potatoes produced in France. Article 1 of the agreement aims to provide consumers with a guarantee as to the culinary aptitude of the potatoes contained in packaging containing such a recommendation.

Keywords: potatoes – quality – culinary test

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

This order serves to enforce the rules defined in the inter-branch agreement in France, in particular Article 1 thereof, which includes a labelling requirement associated with a technical specification. The obligation to perform culinary tests meets the demand from consumers to know the culinary use of the potatoes. It involves making a connection between information provided on potato packaging and the performance of culinary tests, based in particular on the recommendations of CNIPT and ARVALIS (French research and experimentation body for arable crops). Performance of such tests ensures the credibility of the segmentation of the ware potato market.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference texts: - Inter-branch agreement concerning various measures to promote potato quality and



consumer information (Article 1)

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

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16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT

No - The draft has no significant effect on international trade.

SPS

No - The draft has no significant effect on international trade.

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