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# Decree on the nutritional quality of meals served by school catering services

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# Message

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 késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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#### 4. Notification Number

2010/0697/F - C50A

#### 5. Title

Decree on the nutritional quality of meals served by school catering services

#### 6. Products Concerned

Food products intended for school canteen services

#### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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#### 8. Main Content

This decree sets out the nutritional requirements concerning the daily composition of meals served in school canteens, the frequency dishes are served over a minimum number of successive meals and portion size, the content of these requirements being provided for in an order. The rules defined are intended to reduce simple-glucoside and fat content and to increase fibre, vitamin, iron and calcium content. Secondly, it specifies that the products delivered by suppliers must be accompanied by technical data sheets to enable compliance with the rules of the daily composition of meals, dish serving frequencies and portion sizes described above, and finally that all documents supporting compliance with these rules must be kept for 6 months in order to facilitate inspection.

## 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Child obesity is a major public health issue. Good eating habits are notably acquired at school, where many children take meals. The recommendation-based actions taken to date have proven ineffective. The introduction of these requirements will enable the widespread implementation of nutritional rules for the composition of menus and an improvement in the quality of meals served in school canteens.

#### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference texts: This regulatory text sets out the legislatory provisions of Article L.230-5 of the Rural and Sea-Fishing Code.

## 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 -
16. TBT and SPS aspects TBT relevance
No - The draft does not have a significant effect on international trade.
SPS relevance  No - The draft does not have a significant effect on international trade.
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