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ROYAL DECREE amending Royal Decree 140/2003 of 7 February 2003 setting out the health criteria for the quality of water for human consumption, and the analysis method specifications of Royal Decree 1798/2010 of 30 December 2010 governing the exploitation and marketing of natural mineral waters and spring waters packaged for human consumption, and of Royal Decree 1799/2010 of 30 December 2010 governing the processing and marketing process for waters prepared in packaging for human consumption

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No abre el plazo - Nezhahajuje 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 - Não inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - He се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

E

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Sampling, analysis methods and risk assessment for water for human consumption.

Analysis methods for packaged waters. Water health plans. Quality guarantee for Analysis Units.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

First Article. Amendment of national law on the quality of water for human consumption

One. Substances for water treatment

Two. Quality control laboratories

Three. Self-monitoring of managing bodies

Four. Objectives of the Supply management and self-monitoring protocol

Five. Health surveillance

Six. Tap tests

Seven. Water Health Plans as well as the drafting and adoption thereof

Eight. Analysis methods

Nine. Sampling and frequencies thereof

Ten. Risk assessment



Second Article. Amendment of national law on natural mineral waters and spring waters packaged for human consumption. Analysis methods

Third Article. Amendment of national law on waters prepared in packaging for human consumption. Analysis methods

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

This bill was prompted by the publication of Commission Directive (EU) 2015/1787 of 6 October 2015 amending Annexes II and III to Council Directive 98/83/EC on the quality of water intended for human consumption.

The main objective is to protect consumers from the potential health risks of water contamination. In addition to maintaining current guarantees on water health quality, the bill provides for improvement in managing the health quality of water for human consumption, given that implementation of the Water Health Plans will enable testing parameters and frequencies to be adapted to the findings of the risk assessment.

In turn, the scope of Commission Directive (EU) 2015/1787 of 6 October 2015 impacts the processing and marketing of natural mineral waters and spring waters packaged for human consumption and waters prepared in packaging for human consumption; the latter are the subject matter of Regulation (EC) Nos 852/853/854 on the hygiene of foodstuffs.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference(s) to basic text(s): Commission Directive (EU) 2015/1787 of 6 October 2015 amending Annexes II and III to Council Directive 98/83/EC on the quality of water intended for human consumption;
Royal Decree 140/2003 of 7 February 2003 setting out the health criteria for the quality of water for human consumption;
Royal Decree 1798/2010 of 30 December 2010 governing the exploitation and marketing of natural mineral waters and spring waters packaged for human consumption;
Royal Decree 1799/2010 of 30 December 2010 governing the processing and marketing process for waters prepared in packaging for human consumption.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

Yes

12. Grounds for the Emergency

Failure to meet the deadline for national adoption of the necessary legal, regulatory and administrative provisions in order to meet the requirements of Commission Directive (EU) 2015/1787 of 6 October 2015

13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

Yes



16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - the draft is compliant with an international standard.

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

SPS aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

No - the draft is neither a sanitary nor phytosanitary measure.

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