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# Order on the use of flavourings that are identical to natural substances in fermented milk, yoghourt and fresh white cheese.

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#### 5. Title

Order on the use of flavourings that are identical to natural substances in fermented milk, yoghourt and fresh white cheese

#### 6. Products Concerned

Fermented milk and yoghourt as defined by Decree 88-1203 of 30December1988
Fresh white cheese as defined by Decree 88-1206 of 30
December 1988
Food flavourings (91-366 of 11 April 1991)

#### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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#### 8. Main Content

The draft order is intended to make lawful the incorporation into fermented milk, yoghourt and fresh white cheese of flavourings that are identical to natural substances (as set out in List 'A' in the Fourth Edition of the Council of Europe's Blue Paper).

# 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Hitherto neither Article 3 of Decree 88-1203 nor Article 7 of Decree88-1206 permits the flavouring of milk products at issue other than by means of foodstuffs, spices or natural extracts. This draft order extends this option to flavourings that are identical to natural substances where it is known that the only ones authorized will be those covered by a full toxicological assessment (= List 'A') by the council of Europe's Panel of Experts.

### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Decree of 15 April 1912 implementing the Law of 1 August 1905 in respect of foodstuffs and in particular meats, reserved meats, fruit, vegetables, fish and preserves.

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Decree 88-1203 of 30 December 1988 on fermented milk and yoghourt.

Decree 88-1203 of 30 December 1988 implementing the Law of 1 August 1905 on fraud and falsification and the Law of 2 July 1935 intended to organize and improve the milk market in respect of cheeses



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**Single Market for goods**Prevention of Technical Barriers

Decree 91-366 of 11 April 1991 on flavourings intended to be used in foodstuffs

**11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure** No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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