



Official controls Regulation: Update on derived legislation

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- **Work on derived legislation – state of play**
- **Planning of documents to be sent to MS**
- **Bundling of empowerments – initial ideas**
- **Calendar of upcoming meetings**



Structure of the OCR

General Principles (Articles 1 – 15)

Scope; definitions; transparency; responsibilities of Competent Authorities and business operators

Sector Specific Requirements (Articles 16 – 27)

e.g. products of animal origin; residues; animal welfare; plant health ,GMOs; organic, PDOs, PGIs, TSGs; new risks

Article 28–
33:
Delegation
of tasks

Article 34–
42:
Sampling,
analyses,
tests &
Diagnoses

Article 43–
76:
Import
controls

Article 77–
91:
Financing &
official
certification

Article 92–
101:
EURLs &
EURCs

Article 102–
108:
Administrative
Assistance &
Cooperation

Procedural and transitional provisions
(articles 142 – 167)

State of play (with units responsible)

Sector specific rules (units G1, G2 and G4 in charge)

- Meat inspection (latest MS meeting on 06/10/2017)
- The first AW reference centre, on pigs (call on 16/10/2017)
- EU reference laboratories for plant health (DA + IA in 2018)

Entry into the Union (G3 in charge)

- Document sent to MS on 20 July 2017 on for instance:
 - List of animals and goods (incl CN codes) to BCPs
 - Derogation from certain BCP requirements

Delegated and implementing acts

- **When could I expect a document from the Commission?**
- **And on which issues?**

Sector specific documents

Article 18 (meat inspection):	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Document sent
Article 19 (residues):	Early 2019
Article 22.3 (plant health control frequency):	April 2018

Currently no action planned for:

- Article 20 (animals, POAO, germinal products and ABP)
- Article 21 (animal welfare)
- Article 22.2 (plant health)
- Article 23 (GMO)
- Article 24 (plant protection products)
- Article 25 (organics)
- Article 26 (PDOs/PGIs/TSGs)

Entry into the Union: 2nd half of 2017

October 2017:

Art 47.2a (list of animals and goods, incl. CN codes)
Art 62.3 (partial withdrawal of BCP)
Art 64.2 (distant BCPs)
Art 64.5 (wood and unchipped logs etc)

November 2017:

Art 49.5 (training, physical checks at BCPs)
Art 126.1-2 (additional import conditions)

December 2017:

Art 90a+e (certificates)
Art 127.2 (list of countries subject to import conditions)

Entry into the Union: 1st half of 2018

January 2018:

Art 15.4 (manifest, pre-notification)
Art 47.2b (list of PNAO with temporary increase of controls)
Art 47.3 (composite products + hay and straw)
Art 54.4 (frequencies for checks of PNAO)
Art 58b (pre-notification)
Art 64.4 (BCP facilities)

March 2018:

Art 49.4 (presentation of consignments)
Art 52 (details of checks)
Art 60.2 (BCP listing)

May 2018:

Art 51.1 a (onward transportation of PNOA)
Art 51.1b (transshipment 1st BCP)
Art 51.1c (transshipment final BCP)
Art 51.1d (transit)
Art 51.2 (transshipment of plants)
Art 77.1c (ship supplying)
Art 77.1d (wood packaging material)
Art 77.1h (reimports)



Entry into the Union: 2nd half of 2018

September 2018:

- Art 50.4 (CHED as accompanying document)
- Art 53.1a (identity and physical checks at control points)
- Art 53.1b (physical checks in other MS)
- Art 53.1e (controls of plants elsewhere than BCPs)
- Art 54.3 (frequencies)
- Art 77.2 (channelling products and transit)
- Art 77.3a (certification)
- Art 77.3b (channelling and transit documents)

November 2018:

- Art 53.1d (i) (illegal introduction)
- Art 58a (CHED format)
- Art 65.6 (re-enforced/intensified controls)
- Art 66.2 (isolation)
- Art 70 (consistency of decisions)
- Art 75.2 (exchange between authorities)

Entry into the Union: 1st part of 2019

February 2019 (exemptions from BCP controls):

- Art 48a (trade samples)
- Art 48b (laboratory samples)
- Art 48c (goods on-board)
- Art 48 d (personal luggage)
- Art 48e (small personal consignments)
- Art 48f (pet animals)
- Art 48g (heat treated products)
- Art 48h (low risk products)
- Art 53.1d (ii) (personal luggage)
- Art 53.1d (iii) (distant sales)
- Art 53.1d (iv) (pet animals)
- Art 77.1a (direct landing of fish)
- Art 77.1b (unskinned games)
- Art 77.1e (accompanying food)
- Art 77.1f (distant sales)
- Art 77.1g (hay and straw)
- Art 77.1i (bulk consignments)
- Art 77.1j (Neum corridor)
- Art 77.1k (exempted goods)

Documents on other empowerments

Article 113 (MANCP report forms, F6): Document sent

Article 118 (COM control programme, F7): Spring of 2019

Article 134 (IMSOC, G5):

Summer of 2018

Very preliminary ideas of bundling

Some empowerments will be bundled together in the same delegated or implementing acts, such as:

Articles 62.3,
64.2 and 64.5
on BCP
redesignation?

Articles 15.4
and 58b on
manifests and
pre-notification?

Articles 47.2b
and 54.4 on
increased
controls?



Upcoming meetings

2017:

- 27/10: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)
- 20/11: Expert Group on Veterinary Import Checks
- 22/11: SANTE advisory forum (update to stakeholders)
- 28/11: COPHs meeting (import controls)
- 15/12: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)
- 15/12: WG meeting with MS (import conditions for live bivalve molluscs)

2018:

- End of February: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)
- End of April: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)
- Early July: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)
- Late September: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)
- Mid-November: OCR Expert Group (entry into the Union)



Thank you for your attention

DG Health and Food Safety website:

http://ec.europa.eu/food/safety/official_controls/legislation_en

https://ec.europa.eu/food/safety/official_controls/expert_working_groups_en