

## COMMISSION DECISION

of 18 December 2006

**authorising Romania to postpone the application of certain provisions of Council Directive 2002/53/EC with regard to the marketing of seed of certain varieties of agricultural plant species**

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(Text with EEA relevance)

(2007/69/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania, and in particular Article 4(3) thereof,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania, and in particular Article 42 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Pursuant to Article 42 of the Act of Accession, the Commission may adopt transitional measures if these transitional measures are necessary to facilitate the transition from the existing regime in Bulgaria and Romania to that resulting from the application of the Community veterinary and phytosanitary rules. Those rules include the rules in respect of the marketing of seed.
- (2) Council Directive 2002/53/EC of 13 June 2002 on the common catalogue of varieties of agricultural plant species (<sup>(1)</sup>) provides that seed of varieties of agricultural plant species covered by the Directive 2002/53/EC as referred to in its Article 1(1) may be marketed only if the requirements of Articles 4(1), 7 and 11 of this Directive have been met.
- (3) Marketing of seed of certain varieties would have to be banned in Romania from the date of accession, unless a derogation from those provisions is granted.
- (4) In order to enable Romania to take and to implement the measures necessary to ensure that the varieties in question have been accepted in accordance with the principles of the Community system, it should be allowed to postpone for a period of three years following the date of accession, the application of Directive 2002/53/EC with regard to the marketing in its territory of seed of the varieties that are listed in its catalogue in accordance with principles other than those of that Directive and that are covered by the Romanian official request of 28 September 2006.

- (5) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

By way of derogation from Articles 4(1), 7 and 11 of Directive 2002/53/EC Romania may postpone, for a period of three years following the date of accession, the application of that Directive with regard to the marketing in its territory of seed of the varieties listed in the Annex to this Decision.

During that period, such seed shall only be marketed in the territory of Romania. Any label or document, official or otherwise, which is affixed to or accompanies the seed lot under the provisions of this Decision shall clearly indicate that the seed is intended to be marketed exclusively in the territory of Romania.

*Article 2*

This Decision shall apply subject to and as from the date of the entry into force of the Treaty of Accession of Bulgaria and Romania.

*Article 3*

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 18 December 2006.

*For the Commission*

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 193, 20.7.2002, p. 1. Directive as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 268, 18.10.2003, p. 1).

## ANNEX

Species/Variety
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L. — Sugar Beet
Graf
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L. — Fodder Beet
Lovrin 515
Lovrin 628
<i>Dactylis glomerata</i> L.
Magda
Marius (ant. Adrian)
Ovidiu
Poiana
Regent
Simina
<i>Festuca arundinacea</i> Schreber
Adela
Vio
<i>Festuca pratensis</i> Hudson
Postăvar
Tâmpa
Transilvan
<i>Festuca rubra</i> L.
Feruma
Măgurele 23 (ant. Pastoral)
Peisaj (ant. Tedi)
<i>Lolium multiflorum</i> Lam.
Ancuța (ant. Anca)
Iuliana (ant. Iulia)
<i>Lolium perenne</i> L.
Martarom (ant. Marta)
Măgura
<i>Lolium x boucheanum</i> Kunth
Cătălin
Florin
<i>Phleum pratense</i> L.
Horia
Rarău
Tirom

Species/Variety
<i>Poa pratensis</i> L.
Colina (ant. Fima)
<i>Lotus corniculatus</i> L.
Doru
Nicol (ant. Nico)
Oltim
<i>Lupinus albus</i> L.
Medi
<i>Medicago sativa</i> L.
Adin
Alina
Carina
Cosmina
Daniela (ant. Dana)
Dorinela (ant. Dorina)
Granat
Magnat
Mădălina
Opal (ant. Topaz)
Sandra
Satelit
Sigma
Tamas
<i>Pisum sativum</i> L.
Aurora
Dorica (ant. Dora)
Mona
Vedea
<i>Trifolium alexandrinum</i> L.
Viorel
<i>Trifolium repens</i> L.
Carmencita (ant. Carmen)
Carpatin
Danitim
Miorița
<i>Trifolium pratense</i> L.

Species/Variety
Novac
Rotrif (ant. Roza)
Sătmărean
<i>Vicia faba L.</i>
Montana
<i>Brassica napus L., var. napobrassica (L.) Rchb.</i>
Ana Maria
Montana
<i>Arachis hypogaea L.</i>
Solar
Venus
<i>Brassica napus L. partim.</i>
Diana
Doina
Perla
<i>Cannabis sativa L.</i>
Denise
Diana
Zenit
<i>Carthamus tinctorius L.</i>
CW1221
CW4440
<i>Linum usitatissimum L.</i>
Ada
Adria
Alexin
Alin
Bazil
Betalisa (ant. Elisa)
Codruța
Cosmin
Cristina
Ferdinand (ant. Carolina)
Floriana
Florinda
Fluin
Iunia 96
Louis
Luncavăț (ant. Elena)
Martin
Monica
Nineta
Paula
Radu
Rareș
Sabena
Şumuleu
Vasilelin (ant. Iordan)
<i>Sinapis alba L.</i>

Species/Variety
Alex
Petrana
<i>Glycine max. (L.) Merrill</i>
Balkan
Columna
Daciana
Danubiana
Eugen
Felix
Granat (ant. Agat)
Kiskun Daniela
Onix
Perla
Proteinka
Românesc 99
Safir
Stine 2250
Triumf
Venera
<i>Avena sativa L.</i>
Jeremy
Mureș
Lovrin 1
Lovrin 27
<i>Hordeum vulgare L.- 2 row barley</i>
Andreea
Bogdana (ant. Avânt)

Species/Variety
Capriana
Daciana
Hasdate (ant. Aura)
Jubileu
Kristal
Laura
Maria
NS 525
NS 529
Romanița
Stindard
<i>Hordeum vulgare L.- 6 row barley</i>
Amical (ant. Adi)
Andrei
Compact
Dana
Liliana
Mădălin
NS 313
Orizont
Regal
Univers
<i>Oryza sativa L.</i>
Brăila
Dunărea
Elida
Magic
Polizești 28
Speranța
Zefir
<i>Secale cereale L.</i>
Suceveana
<i>Sorghum bicolor (L.) Moench</i>
Andrea
Donaris
Dorina
F135ST
Fundulea 21
Fundulea 32
Marina
Regina
Siret
<i>Sorghum sudanense (Piper) Stapf.</i>
Sabin
Sorin
<i>Sorghum bicolor (L.) Moench x Sorghum sudanense (Piper) Stapf.</i>
Catinca (ant. Tinca)
Fundulea 235 (ant. Tereza)
<i>x Triticosecale Witt.</i>

Species/Variety
Gorun
Haiduc
Plai
Silver
Stil
Tristar
Țebea
<i>Triticum aestivum L.emend.Fiori et Paol.</i>
Albotă
Aniversar
Apullum
Ardeal 1
Arieșan
Beti
Boema
Briana
Ciprian
Crina
Crișana
Delabrad
Dor
Drobeta
Dropia
Dumbrava
Eliana
Esențial
Faur

Species/Variety	Species/Variety
Flamura 85	Generos
Gabriela	GS307
Gasparom	GS308
Gruia	Kiskun 4230
Iași 2	Kiskun 4255
Kraljevica	Kiskun 4297
Kristina	Kiskun 4344
Ljiljana	Kiskun 4380
Lovrin 34	Kiskun Aliz
Mina	Kiskun Blako
Moldova 83	Kiskun Cilike
Pădureni (ant. Rubin)	Kiskun Dori
PKB Romança	Kiskun Ermina
Romulus	Kiskun Galja
Sonata	Kiskun Gitta
Speranța	Kiskun Kristof
SV99	Kiskun Natalie (ant. Natalie)
Şimnic 30	Kiskun Nusi
Trivale	Kiskun Olika
Turda 95	Kiskun Piros
Turda 2000	Kiskun Reni
Voroneț	Kiskun Roy
<i>Triticum durum</i> Desf.	Kiskun Szoliani
Condurum (ant. Condur)	Kiskun Tamara
Grandur	Kiskun Vanda
Pandur	Kiskun Vivien
<i>Zea mays</i> L.	Kiskun Xintia
Andreea	
Boris 5	
Brates	
Campion	
Cera 6	
Cera 9	
Cera 10	
Cyclon	
Dacic	
Dáma	
Danubian (ant. Danubiu)	
F425M	
Falco	
Faur	
Fulger	
Fundulea 322	
Fundulea 365	
Fundulea 376	
Fundulea 475M	
Fundulea 515 (ant. Premier)	
Fundulea 540 (ant. Granit)	
Fundulea 625	

Species/Variety
Klausen
Krisztina
Laurina
Lorena
Lovrin 400
Milcov
Mv Major
Neptun
NS300
NS355
NS540
NSSC420YU
Octavian
Oituz
Olimpius (ant. Olimp)
Olt
Ozana (ant. Dana)
Paltin
Pamela
Panciu
Partizan
Patria
Podu Iloaiei 110
Rapid
Rapsodia
Rodna
Staniša
Star
Szegedi SC 276
Szegedi SC 516
Turda 145
Turda 165
Turda 167
Turda 200
Turda 201
Turda Favorit
Turda Mold 188
Turda Star
Turda Super
Turda SU181
Turda SU182
Turda SU210
ZP278
ZP335
ZP394
ZP409
ZP434
ZP471
ZP488

Species/Variety
ZP684
<i>Solanum tuberosum L.</i>
Alina
Alize (ant. Amelia)
Amicii
Astral N
Armonia
Christian
Claudiu
Coval
Cristela
Dacia
Dragomirna
Dumbrava
Eterna
Frumoasa
Harghita
Ioana
Loial
Luiza
Magic
Mikel
Milenium
Moldovița
Nana
Nativ
Nemere

Species/Variety	Species/Variety
Productiv	Ruxandra (ant. Nicoleta)
Rapsodia	Speranța
Rasant	Star
Redsec	Tâmpa
Robusta	Tentant
Roclas	Timpuriu de Brașov
Rozal	Transilvania