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BREAKING NEWS

European Food and feed law 2013

FAMI-QS is participating in the 7th European Food and Feed Law (EFFL) Conference – *Facing Crisis and Scandals – from Acrylamide to Horse Meat* - [24-25 October 2013](#) / University of Copenhagen.

FAMI-QS Workshop in Thailand!

FAMI-QS will organize a one-day workshop in Thailand (Bangkok), on the [06th of December 2013](#).

EUROPEAN COMMISSION CORNER

Here is the link pointing to the latest version of the Community Register of Feed Additives pursuant to Reg. (EC) 1831/2003 and released on 2013-08-08 (Appendixes 3 and 4, Annex: List of additives - Rev. 167)

[Community Register of Feed Additives \[Rev. 167\]](#)

Feed additives

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 651/2013 of 9 July 2013 concerning the authorization of clinoptilolite of sedimentary origin as a feed additive for all animal species and amending Regulation (EC) No 1810/2005 ([OJ L 189, 2013-07-10](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 667/2013 of 12 July 2013 concerning the authorization of diclazuril as a feed additive for chickens reared for laying (holder of authorization Eli Lilly and Company Ltd) and repealing Regulation (EC) No 162/2003 ([OJ L 192, 2013-07-13](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 636/2013 of 1 July 2013 concerning the authorisation of zinc chelate of methionine (1:2) as a feed additive for all animal species ([OJ L 193, 2013-07-02](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 601/2013 of 24 June 2013 concerning the authorisation of cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate, cobalt(II) carbonate, cobalt(II) carbonate

hydroxide (2:3) monohydrate, cobalt(II) sulphate heptahydrate and coated granulated cobalt(II) carbonate hydroxide (2:3) monohydrate as feed additives ([OJ L 172, 2013-06-25](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 544/2013 of 14 June 2013 concerning the authorisation of a preparation of *Bifidobacterium animalis* ssp. *animalis* DSM 16284, *Lactobacillus salivarius* ssp. *salivarius* DSM 16351 and *Enterococcus faecium* DSM 21913 as a feed additive for chickens for fattening (holder of authorisation Biomin GmbH) ([OJ L 163, 2013-06-15](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 642/2013 of 4 July 2013 concerning the authorisation of niacin and niacinamide as feed additives for all animal species ([OJ L 186, 2013-07-05](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 643/2013 of 4 July 2013 concerning the authorisation of Patent Blue V as a feed additive for non-food producing animals and amending Regulation (EC) No 358/2005 ([OJ L 186, 2013-07-05](#))

Methods of sampling and analysis

Commission Regulation (EU) No 691/2013 of 19 July 2013 amending Regulation (EC) No 152/2009 as regards methods of sampling and analysis ([OJ L 197, 2013-07-20](#))

GMOs

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 503/2013 of 3 April 2013 on applications for authorisation of genetically modified food and feed in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council and amending Commission Regulations (EC) No 641/2004 and (EC) No 1981/2006 ([OJ L 157, 2013-06-08](#))

FVO

[Austria 2013-6737](#) - evaluate measures in place for the identification of hazards and management risks along the feed chain

[Finland 2013-6738](#) - evaluate measures in place for the identification of hazards and management risks along the feed chain

[Estonia 2013-6740](#) - evaluate measures in place for the identification of hazards and management risks along the feed chain

[Overview report](#) of a series of audits carried out in Member States from 2006 to 2011 in order to evaluate the implementation of measures concerning Official Controls on feed legislation

Additional FVO reports made available [here](#).



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RASFF

[RASFF 2013.1017](#) - prohibited substance chloramphenicol (0.13; 9.07; 1.35; 672.07 µg/kg - ppb) in enzyme preparations from Belgium, with raw material from France, Denmark and Japan.

RASFF 2013.1017 is currently being investigated.

FAMI-QS has implemented its crisis response plan, which places the highest priority on the safety of feed and health of animals. In close cooperation with involved companies, we are working to determine the traceability and to collect information to identify the root cause(s) as quickly as we can. According to our latest updates, the source of the contamination is coming from a fraud product coming from India through Japan. We are continuing to cooperate with companies pertaining to this matter. We do not have all the details at this time since authorities and companies are still in the midst of investigating the situation.

[New Member of the network: Croatia](#)

[The Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed \(RASFF\) – 2012 Annual report](#)

About FAMI-QS

FAMI-QS Asbl is the management and coordination center for the FAMI-QS code of practice. It is the only certifiable code specifically aimed at Specialty Feed Ingredients and Their Mixtures (feed additives, functional feed ingredients, premixtures, specialty complementary feed, specialty complementary dietetic feed) for animal nutrition. The code addresses safety, quality and regulatory compliance in order to minimize the risk that unsafe specialty feed ingredients enter the food and feed chain. It offers independent certification for all operators placing these products on the market. Based on partnership with international certification bodies and third countries institutional partners, it includes more than 750 certified sites spread across more than 49 countries. The current FAMI-QS President is Dr. Dieter Greissing of *Evonik Industries AG*.

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