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### GROUP 3(e) - BASIC DOCUMENTATION

### Inventory of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Regulations Notified

# EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AND I'TS MEMBER STATES

#### Corrigendum

### EEC

BTN Nos. 08.04, ex 16.02 and ex 20.01-02. New sheets attached. DENMARK

BIN Nos. 01.02, 16.02, 21.04 and 21.05. New sheets attached. GERMANY

BTN 20.05. New sheet attached.

#### NETHERLANDS

BIN 16.02. New sheet attached.

#### UNITED KINGDOM

Bill chapters 1 to 24, and BTN No. 01.02. New sheets attached.

Product: (BTN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Countries indicating an interest:
Fresh table grapes (ex 08.04)	European Communities	Romania
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(a) <u>Description</u>:

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(b) <u>Comments by other sountries</u>:

Product: (BTN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Countries indicating an interest:
Preserved meat and meat offal of the bovine species or of swine (ex 16.02)	European Communities	Romania
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# (a) <u>Description</u>:

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(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

Product: (BTN)	Country or group maintaining measure	Countries indicating an interest:
Vegetables, prepared or	European Communities	Romania
preserved (ex 20.01-02)	•	

(a) <u>Description</u>:

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(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

Product: (BTN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Countries indicating an interest:
Cattle for breeding (01.02)	Denmark	Switzerland

(a) <u>Description</u>:

H.S.

## (b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

<u>Switzerland</u> - The veterinary regulations are very complicated and difficult to comply with; it is consequently almost impossible to export to Denmark.

(c) <u>Comments by countries maintaining the measures</u>:

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Product:	Country or group	Countries indicating
(BTN)	maintaining measure:	an interest:
Preserved meat, sauces, soups (16.02)	Denmark	Switzerland

# (a) <u>Description</u>:

H.S.

(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>

<u>Switzerland</u> - For all these meat-based products, a veterinary certificate is compulsory. The sanitary regulations and methods of analysis are considered extremely stringent. (also applies to headings 21.04 and 21.05.

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Product:	Country or group	Countries indicating
(BTN)	maintaining measure:	an interest:
Preserved meat, sauces, soups (21.04)	Denmark	Switzerland

(a) <u>Description</u>

(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>

Switzerland - See heading 16.02 (MTN/3E/DOC/9/Add.5/Corr.2 page 6).

Product: (BIN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Countries indicating an interest:
Preserved meat, sauces, soups (21.05)	Denark	Switzerland
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(a) <u>Description</u>:

(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

Switzerland - See heading 16.02 (MTN/3E/DOC/9/Add.5/Corr.2 page 6).

Product: (BTN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Courtries indicating an interest;
Jams (20.05)	Germany	Switzerland
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(a) <u>Description</u>:

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(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

<u>Switzerland</u> - Prohibition of importation of jams with less than a certain minimum sugar content. This measure is based on an order dating from 1938.

Product: (BTN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Countries indicating an interest:
Preserved meat and meat- based products (16.02)	Netherlands	Switzerland
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# (a) <u>Description</u>:

H.S.

(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

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<u>Switzerland</u> — The very stringent sanitary regulations require complicated and in some cases expensive analyses. Veterinary inspection of pig meat-based products is so strict that it constitutes a serious obstacle to exportation of these products.

Product: (BTN) Country or group maintaining measure:

Countries indicating an interest:

Food products (general)

United Kingdom

Switzerland

(a) <u>Description</u>:

The use of sorbate as a preservative is forbidden.

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(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

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Product: (BIN)	Country or group maintaining measure:	Countries indicating an interest:
Cattle for breeding (01.02)	United Kingdom	Switzerland

# (a) <u>Description</u>:

H.S.

(b) <u>Comments by other countries</u>:

<u>Switzerland</u> - Veterinary inspection and quarantine are very exacting and expensive, so much so that it is practically impossible to export cattle to the United Kingdom.