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COMMISSION DELEGATED REGULATION (EU) 2024/2508

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amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891 as regards the Member States' notifications concerning producer prices of fruit and vegetables on the internal market

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 establishing a common organisation of the markets in agricultural products and repealing Council Regulations (EEC) No 922/72, (EEC) No 234/79, (EC) No 1037/2001 and (EC) No 1234/2007 ([1]) and in particular Article 223(2) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Pursuant to Article 55(1) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891 ([2]), Member States are to notify the Commission of the recorded producer prices of fruit and vegetables on the internal market corresponding to the types and varieties of products, sizes and presentations specified in Annex VI to that Delegated Regulation. In order to align the notifications by Member States and improve the comparability and transparency of the prices of the fruit and vegetables listed in that Annex, certain provisions need to be added to Article 55 of that Delegated Regulation.

(2) To take into account the developments of representative sizes and presentation of the fruit and vegetables on the market, and the production capacity of Member States for certain fruit and vegetables, it is necessary to update Annex VI to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891, based on the latest information available. Due to their economic importance, some products should be added to the list in that Annex. Certain fruits should be removed from that list as they are not deemed representative for the Union market as a whole. A new assessment of the production capacity of Member States also required an update of the list of representative markets.

(3) Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891 should therefore be amended accordingly.

(4) Given that there are new representative markets and new products in Annex VI to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891, Member States should be given sufficient time to adapt their communication systems. Therefore the application of this Delegated Regulation should be deferred to 1 January 2025,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891 is amended as follows:

(1) in Article 55(1), the following subparagraph is inserted after the second subparagraph:

([1]) Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 establishing a common organisation of the markets in agricultural products and repealing Council Regulations (EEC) No 922/72, (EEC) No 234/79, (EC) No 1037/2001 and (EC) No 1234/2007 (OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 671, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2013/1308/oj).

([2]) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/891 of 13 March 2017 supplementing Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to the fruit and vegetables and processed fruit and vegetables sectors and supplementing Regulation (EU) No 1306/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to penalties to be applied in those sectors and amending Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 543/2011 (OJ L 138, 25.5.2017, p. 4, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2017/891/oj).

'Member States shall notify only prices of fruit and vegetables produced within their territory. The prices shall cover conventional, non-organic fruit and vegetables for fresh consumption.';

(2) Annex VI is replaced by the text in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall apply from 1 January 2025.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 17 July 2024.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

'ANNEX VI

PRICE NOTIFICATION REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 55(1)

Product	Type/variety	Presentation/size	Representative markets
Tomatoes	Round	Size 47-102 mm, in bulk, in packages of 5 or 6 kg	Belgium Greece Spain France Italy Netherlands Poland Portugal Romania
	Truss	All kinds of trusses but only if the average size of the individual tomatoes is 47 mm or above 47 mm, in packages of 3 to 10 kg	
	Special/Cherry	Loose or truss tomatoes, special tomatoes, only if the average size of the individual tomatoes is below 47 mm (40 mm in case of cherry tomatoes), in packages of around 250 to 500 g	
Apricots	All types and varieties	Size 40-50 mm, trays or packages of around 5 to 10 kg or packages of 500 g to 1 kg	Bulgaria Greece Spain France Italy Hungary Romania
Nectarines	White flesh Yellow flesh	Size A/B, trays or packages of around 6 to 10 kg	Greece Spain France Italy
	Flat nectarines	Size A/B, trays or packages of around 5 kg	
Peaches	White flesh Yellow flesh	Size A/B, trays or packages of around 6 to 10 kg and packages of 500 g to 1 kg	Greece Spain France Italy
	Flat peaches	Size A/B, trays or packages of around 5 kg	
Table grapes	All types and varieties with seeds All type and varieties seedless	Trays of 300 to 700 g and packages of 3 to 10 kg	Greece Spain France Italy
Pears	Blanquilla	Size 55/60, packages of around 5 to 10 kg	Belgium Greece Spain France Italy Netherlands Austria Poland Portugal Romania
	Conference	Size 60/65+, packages of around 5 to 10 kg	
	Williams Rocha	Size 65+/75+, packages of around 5 to 10 kg	
	Abbé Fétel Kaiser	Size 70/75, packages of around 5 to 10 kg	
	Doyenné du Comice	Size 75/90, packages of around 5 to 10 kg	

Product	Type/variety	Presentation/size	Representative markets
Apples	Braeburn Cox orange Elstar Gala Golden delicious Jonagold (or Jonagored) Idared Fuji Shampion Granny Smith Red delicious and other red varieties Ligol Boskoop	Size 65/80, packages of around 4 to 20 kg	Belgium Germany Greece Spain France Italy Hungary Netherlands Poland Portugal Romania
Lemons	All varieties	Sizes 3-4, packages of around 10 to 20 kg	Greece Spain Italy
Clementines	All varieties	Sizes 1-X-3, packages of around 8 to 20 kg	Greece Spain Italy France
Mandarins	All varieties	Sizes 1-X-3, packages of around 8 to 20 kg	Greece Spain Italy
Oranges	National weighted average of main varieties covering at least 70 % of the representative market in the reference period of the notification	Size 3-6, packages of around 8 to 20 kg	Greece Spain Italy Portugal
Kiwis	Green Hayward	Sizes 85-90 and 95-125, packages of around 3 to 10 kg	Greece Spain France Italy Portugal
Cauliflowers	All types and varieties	Size 16 to 20 cm	Belgium Germany Greece Spain France Italy Netherlands Poland Portugal Romania

Product	Type/variety	Presentation/size	Representative markets
Eggplants (aubergines)	All types and varieties	Size 40+/70+	Greece Spain France Italy Netherlands Romania
Watermelons	National weighted average of most representative types and varieties covering at least 70 % of the representative market	Usual standards in the representative market	Bulgaria Greece Spain Italy Hungary Romania
Melons	National weighted average of most representative types and varieties covering at least 70 % of the representative market	Usual standards in the representative market	Greece Spain France Italy Portugal Romania
Cucumbers	Smooth varieties	350 to 500 g, arranged in the package	Bulgaria, Germany Greece Spain France Italy Hungary Netherlands Poland Romania Finland’