Fresh meat: health conditions for the production and marketing

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OBJECTIVE: to amend Directive 64/433/EEC with a view to permitting trade in cuts of all types of offal. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Directive 95/23/EC amending Directive 64/433/EEC on conditions for the production and marketing of fresh meat. SUBSTANCE: . Clarification of the requirement to indicate the official veterinary approval number on the accompanying commercial document or certificate for meat from approved cold stores; . Simplification of the provisions relating to the accompanying document or certificate. . In light of the application of the maximum handling limits provided for in Article 4 for low-capacity slaughterhouses and cutting plants, the directive aligns these maximum quantities with those adopted by the Council in Directive 92/120/EEC and extends the provisions laid down for low-capacity establishments to low-capacity cold stores; . Low-capacity establishments must be authorised to market their products throughout the Community and to stamp their meat with the oval stamp; . Member States may derogate from the weekly handling limits where justified to take account of particular circumstances; . Member States must comply with this Directive no later than 1 July 1995.