Standard qualities for common wheat, rye, barley, maize, sorghum and durum wheat

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OBJECTIVE: to authorize an extension to the derogation concerning the minimum size of barley grains granted to Finland and Sweden after their accession. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Regulation (EC) No 2594/97 amending Regulation (EEC) No 2731/75 fixing standard qualities for common wheat, rye, barley, maize, sorghum and durum wheat. SUBSTANCE: the amendment adopted by the Council permits the Commission, under the management committee procedure, to grant a derogation from the definition of shrivelled grains for the purposes of the intervention buying-in of barley in Finland and Sweden where, for climatic reasons, the varieties of barley grown produce smaller grains than those grown in the rest of the Union. DATE OF ENTRY INTO FORCE: 30/12/1997.