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COMMISSION DECISION

of 28 April 1987

**on the list of establishments in the United States of America approved for the purpose of
importing fresh meat into the Community**

(87/257/EEC)

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► <u>M3</u>	Commission Decision 91/344/EEC of 17 June 1991	L 187	50	13.7.1991
► <u>M4</u>	Council Decision 91/522/EEC of 24 September 1991	L 283	14	11.10.1991
► <u>M5</u>	Commission Decision 92/178/EEC of 16 March 1992	L 81	24	26.3.1992
► <u>M6</u>	Commission Decision 92/225/EEC of 31 March 1992	L 108	49	25.4.1992
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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 72/462/EEC of 12 December 1972 on health and veterinary inspection problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from third countries⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Directive 87/64/EEC⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 4 (1) and 18 (1) thereof,

Whereas establishments in third countries cannot be authorized to export fresh meat unless they satisfy the general and special conditions laid down in Directive 72/462/EEC;

Whereas the United States of America has forwarded, in accordance with Article 4 (3) of Directive 72/462/EEC, a list of establishments authorized to export to the Community;

Whereas, on the basis of a first inspection, no establishments were judged satisfactory and Commission Decision 86/189/EEC⁽³⁾ prohibited Member States, on a Community basis, from importing fresh meat from establishments in the United States of America, while still allowing those Member States whose national legislation so permitted not to interrupt existing trade flows with the establishments proposed by the American authorities for a period of seven months;

Whereas, following a re-examination of the establishments, the transitional arrangements were extended to 29 April 1987 by Commission Decision 87/134/EEC⁽⁴⁾ to correspond with the entry into force of amended Community rules; whereas the deadline for introduction into the Community of meat from these establishments is 22 May 1987;

Whereas a further inspection carried out pursuant to Article 5 of Directive 72/462/EEC and Article 2 (1) of Commission Decision 86/474/EEC of 11 September 1986 on the implementation of the on-the-spot inspections to be carried out in respect of the importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from non-member countries⁽⁵⁾ has shown that the standard of hygiene in certain establishments has been raised and can thus be regarded as satisfactory;

Whereas they may therefore be entered on an initial list of establishments authorized to export to the Community;

Whereas the case of other establishments proposed by the United States of America has to be re-examined on the basis of additional information regarding their hygiene standards and their ability to adapt quickly to Community legislation;

Whereas, to avoid any abrupt interruption of trade flows, these establishments may be authorized temporarily from 29 April 1987 to export fresh meat to those Member States prepared to accept them;

Whereas it will therefore be necessary to re-examine and, if necessary, amend this Decision in the light of measures taken to this end and of improvements made;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 302, 31. 12. 1972, p. 28.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 34, 5. 2. 1987, p. 52.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 140, 27. 5. 1986, p. 30.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 51, 20. 2. 1987, p. 55.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 279, 30. 9. 1986, p. 55.

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Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

1. The establishments in the United States of America appearing in the Annex hereto are hereby approved for the import of fresh meat into the Community pursuant to the said Annex.
2. Imports from establishments listed in the Annex shall remain subject to the Community veterinary provisions laid down elsewhere.

Article 2

Without prejudice to the provisions of Decision 86/189/EEC, after 29 April 1987 and until ►M1 31 March 1988 ◀ Member States may authorize imports of fresh meat coming from establishments appearing in a list which shall be forwarded by the Commission to the Member States.

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Fresh meat from these establishments may be introduced into the territory of the Community until 22 April 1988.

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Article 3

Member States shall prohibit imports of fresh meat coming from establishments not referred to in Articles 1 or 2.

Article 4

This Decision shall be reviewed and if necessary amended before 31 December 1987.

Article 5

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

*ANNEX***List of establishments in the United States of America approved for the purpose of importing fresh meat into the Community**

Approval Number	Establishment/address	Category (*)						SR
		SL	CP	CS	B	S/G	P	
3 W	Swift & Company, Worthington, MN	x	x				x	10(a), T
53	American Freezer Services, Norfolk, NE			x				1
I-113	US Cold Storage, Philadelphia, PA			x				1
I-149	C W Storage, Albany, NY			x				1
I-182	Garden State Cold Storage Inc., Mullica Hill, NJ			x				1, TF
I-183	Blue Grass Inspection Service, Philadelphia, PA			x				1
I-195	Rosenberger's Cold Storage Inc., Hatfield, PA			x				1
244 P	Transcontinental Cold Storage, Perry, IA			x				1, TF
244 W	IBP, Waterloo, IA	x	x			x		5, 16, TF, T
245 L	IBP, Lexington, NE	x	x		x			14
I-305	Georgia Ports Authority, Savannah, GA			x				1
320M	Premium Standard Foods, Milan, MO	x	x			x		T
I-335	Service Cold Storage, Miami, FL			x				1
382G	Smithfield Packing Co., Norfolk, VA			x				1
410	Green Bay Dressed Beef Inc., Green Bay, WI	x			x			10
E-713	Central Nebraska Packing Inc., North Platte, NE	x	x			x		15

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		SL	CP	CS	B	S/G	P	
889 A	J.F. O'Neill Packing Co., Omaha, NE	x	x	x		x		14
1620	Quality Pork Processors Inc., Austin, MN	x	x	x		x		7, 13
E-2018	Dallas Crow Inc., Kaufman, TX	x	x			x		15
2508	The Bruss Company, Chicago, IL	x	x	x		x		
3036	Termicor Inc., Wallula, WA		x					1
3131	Minnesota Freezer Warehouse Company, Worthington, MN		x					1, TF
3136	Cloverleaf Cold Storage of Fairmont, Fairmont, MN		x					1, TF
3149	Milliard Refrigerated Services, Des Moines, IA		x					1, TF
3157	Des Moines Cold Storage Co. Inc., Des Moines, IA		x					1, TF
3158	Freezer Services Inc., Amarillo, TX		x					1
3161	Monument Distribution Warehouse Inc., Indianapolis, IN		x					1
3170	Logansport Refrig Services, Logansport, IN		x					1
3190	American Freezer Services Inc., Fremont, NE		x					1
3198	Milliard Refrigerated Services, Denison, IA		x					1
3215	Napoleon Warehouse Inc., Napoleon, OH		x					1
3216	Freezer Services Inc. of Texas, Garden City, KS		x					1
3229	Iowa Beef Processors Inc., Emporia, KS		x					1
3241	AMC Warehouses, Grand Prairie, TX		x					1
3245	United Refrigerated Services, Marshall, MO		x					1

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3261	Rosenberger's Cold Storage Inc., Haftfield, PA			x				1
3283	Industrial Cold Storage, 2625 West 5th St., Jacksonville, FL			x				1
3338	Millard Refrigerated Services, Iowa City, IA			x				1
3363	Millard Refrigerated Services, Friona, TX			x				1
3396	Americold, Bettendorf, IA			x				1
3397	Alford Refrigerated Warehouse, Richardson, TX			x				1
3398	Millard Refrigerated Services, Grand Island, NE			x				1
3407	Bell Cold Storage, St Paul, MN			x				1
3431	Texas Cold Storage, Fort Worth, TX			x				1
3447	Mohawk Cold Storage Division, Wauwatosa, WI			x				1
3475	Atlas Cold Storage, Green Bay, WI			x				1
3505	Dakota Cold Storage, Huron, SD			x				1
3535	Ashland Cold Storage Co., Chicago, IL			x				1
3552	Cloverleaf Cold Storage Co. (No 2), Sioux City, IA			x				1
3554	Cloverleaf Cold Storage Co., Sioux City, IA			x				1
3555	Cloverleaf Cold Storage Co. (No 5), Sioux City, IA			x				1, TF
3573	Albert Lea Freezer Warehouse Co., Albert Lea, MN			x				1, TF
3610	Millard Refrigerated Services, Dodge City, KS			x				1
3688	Newport St Paul Cold Storage, Newport, MN			x				1

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3707	United States Cold Storage Inc., Omaha, NE			x				1
3738	Artesian Ice and Cold Storage Co., St Joseph, MO			x				1, TF
3748	Cloverleaf Cold Storage Co., Sioux City, IA			x				1
3854	Merchants Refrigerating Co., Vinita Park, MO			x				1
3860	Central Storage and Warehouse Inc., Eau Claire, WI			x				1
3871	York Cold Storage Co., York, NE			x				1
3910	United States Cold Storage, East Peoria, IL			x				1
3942	Wilkerson Cold Storage, Lubbock, TX			x				1
4104	Goldberg & Solyov Foods, 5925 Alcor, CA 90058		x	x				
4816	Frontier Game Company, Whiteface, TX	x	x	x				
E-7041	Beltex Corporation, Fort Worth, TX	x	x	x				x 15, 18
7271	Custom Meat Corp., Dallas, TX		x	x	x	x		
8904	Bell Cold Storage, St Paul, MN			x	x	x		1
8984	Provimi Veal Corp., Seymour, WI	x	x	x	x	x		3
9400	Taylor Packing Inc., Wyalusing, PA	x	x	x	x	x		9
13182	Millard Refrigerated Services, Omaha, NE			x				1, TF
13225	Quality Refrigerated Services, Omaha, NE			x				1
13331	Millard Processing Services, Omaha, NE (West)			x				1, TF
13331	Beef America Operating Co., York, NE			x	x	x	x	

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E-15849	Cavel International, De Kalb, IL	x	x				x	15
17054	RCS/Smithfield Inc., Smithfield, VA			x				1
17068	US Coldstorage, Cumberton, NC			x				1
17354	CSW Central Storage & Warehouse Co. Inc., Madison, WI			x				1
17461	Millard Refrigerated Services, Greeley, CO		x					1
17624	Wiscold Inc. Rochelle, Rochelle, IL		x					1, TF
17756	Millard Refrigerated Services, Sioux City, IA		x					1, TF
17993	Richmond Cold Storage, 2501 Corrugated Road, Sandston, VA		x					1, TF
18163	Quality Refrigerated Services, Spencer, IA	x						1, TF
18265	Alford Refrigerated Warehouses, Houston, TX		x					1
18294	Marshall Cold Store, Marshalltown, IA		x					TF, 1
18435	Carolina Cold Storage, Tar Heel, NC		x					TF, 1
18674	Millard Refrigerated Services, Edwardsville, KS		x					1, TF
18793	Cloverleaf Cold Storage, Austin, MN		x					TF, 1
18859	North American Bison Cooperative, New Rockford, ND	x	x	x				
18930	Jacintoport Corp., 16203 Peninsula Blvd, Houston, TX			x				1
18986	Alford Refrigerated Warehouse, Laporte, TX			x				1, TF
19086	Gress Refrigerated Services, Scranton, PA			x				1
19087	Inter Cities Cold Storage, Inc., Pittston, PA			x				1

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19246	Cloverleaf Cold Storage, Sioux City, IO			x				1, TF
19288	United States Cold Storage, PO Box 242, Milford, DE			x				1
19470	Nordic Warehouse Inc., 403 Commerce Ct., Goldsboro, NC			x				1, TF
19593	Ball Packing Inc., Idaho Falls, ID			x				1
19690	T & T Freezers, 2192 NV Blvd, Vineland, NJ			x				1
19797	Burris Refrigerated Svcs, Gilbert Rd, Benson, NC			x				1, TF
19870	United States Cold Storage, PO Box 627, Warszaw, NC			x				1
20012	Lakeway International Food Group LLC, Omaha, NE			x	x			1
20190	Interstate Warehousing, Newport News, VA			x				1
20374	Quality Refrigerated Services, Omaha, NE			x				1

- (*) SL: Slaughterhouse
 CP: Cutting premises
 CS: Coldstore
 B: Bovine meat
 S/G: Sheep meat/goat meat
 P: Pig meat
 SP: Meat from solideds
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 Special remarks
 1 = Only storage of meat already finally packaged in approved slaughterning or cutting establishments.
 2 = Offal only.
 3 = Also for sliced bovine livers.
 4 = Only sliced bovine livers.
 5 = Tongues, hearts and carcase meat only.
 6 = Tongues, hearts and kidneys only.
 7 = Tongues, hearts, kidneys and livers only.
 8 = Tongues, hearts, kidneys, livers and brains only.
 9 = Tongues, hearts, stomachs and carcase meat only.
 10 = Tongues, hearts, kidneys, livers and stomachs only.
 10(a) = Tongues, hearts, kidneys, livers, stomachs and carcase meat only.
 11 = Carcasse meat, tongues, hearts, kidneys, livers and brains only.
 12 = Hearts and stomachs only.
 13 = Only packaged offal which has undergone the freezing treatment provided for in Article 3 of Directive 77/96/EEC.
 14 = Offal excluded.

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15 = Livers and kidneys excluded.

16 = Only carcase meat and packaged offal which has undergone the freezing treatment provided for in Article 3 of Directive 77/96/EEC.

17 = Tongues, hearts, kidneys, livers, brains and tails.

18 = Bison included.

TF = The establishments with the indication 'TF' are authorised, within the meaning of Article 4 of Directive 77/96/EEC, to perform the freezing treatment provided for in Article 3 of the same Directive.

T = This establishment is authorised, within the meaning of Article 4 of Directive 77/96/EEC, to perform the examination for detection of trichinae provided for in Article 2 of the abovementioned Directive.
