Commission Directive 96/8/EC of 26 February 1996 on foods intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction (Text with EEA relevance)

| Article 1 | (1) This Directive is a 'specific Directive' within the meaning |
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| Article 2 | Member States shall ensure that the products referred to in |
| Article 3 | Foods covered by this Directive shall comply with the compositional |
| Article 4 | All individual components making up the products referred to in |
| Article 5 | (1) The name under which the product is sold shall |
| Article 6 | Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations and |
| Article 7 | This Directive shall enter into force on the 20th day |
| Article 8 | This Directive is addressed to the Member States. |

ANNEX I

ESSENTIAL COMPOSITION OF FOODS FOR ENERGY RESTRICTED DIETS

The specifications refer to the products ready for use, marketed...

- 1. Energy
 - 1.1. The energy provided by a product mentioned in Article 1...
 - 1.2. The energy provided by a product mentioned in Article 1...
- 2. Protein
 - 2.1. The protein contained in products mentioned in Article 1 (2)...
 - 2.2. The abovementioned provisions on protein refer to a protein the...
 - 2.3. The 'chemical index' shall mean the lowest of the ratios...
 - 2.4. In all cases, the addition of amino acids is permitted...
- 3. Fat
 - 3.1. The energy derived from fat shall not exceed 30 %...
 - 3.2. For products mentioned in Article 1 (2) (a), the linoleic...
 - 3.3. For products mentioned in Article 1 (2) (b), the linoleic...
- 4. Dietary fibre
- 5. Vitamins and minerals
 - 5.1. The products mentioned in Article 1 (2) (a) shall provide...
 - 5.2. The products mentioned in Article 1 (2) (b) shall provide...

ANNEX II

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- (1) OJ No L 186, 30.6.1989, p. 27.
- (2) OJ No L 33, 8.2.1979, p. 1.
- (**3**) OJ No L 291, 29.11.1993, p. 14.