

Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 of the European Parliament  
and of the Council of 20 December 2006 on the addition of  
vitamins and minerals and of certain other substances to foods

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Yohimbe bark and its preparations originating from Yohimbe ( Pausinystalia...

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- (3) [OJ L 183, 12.7.2002, p. 51.](#) Directive as amended by Commission Directive 2006/37/EC ([OJ L 94, 1.4.2006, p. 32](#)).
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- (7) [OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23.](#)

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