



Review of Marketing Standards for eggs

Civil Dialogue Group

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Context

- Revision of Marketing standards within the framework of Farm to Fork strategy
- Roadmap: https://ec.europa.eu/info/law/better-regulation/have-your-say/initiatives/12772-Agricultural-products-revision-of-EU-marketing-standards_en
- Commission Impact Assessment still ongoing
- Internal work on legal drafting

Member State's expert group 25 August 2022

- Commission presented 4 working documents:
 - Delegated Regulation amending the Annex to CMO Reg. 1308/2013
 - Implementing Regulation (replacing Reg. 589/2008)
 - Delegated Regulation (replacing Reg. 589/2008)
 - Annexes to Delegated Regulation (replacing Annexes to Reg. 589/2008)

Changes proposed compared to current legislation

- Marking of eggs on farm – but Member States can authorise packing centres
- Housing order for free range hens adjusted to Organic rules
- Solar panels for open air runs
- Marketing of aromatised eggs (intended foreign smell)
- Minimum durability of eggs - will fall under horizontal rules on date marking FIC Regulation 1169/2001

Next steps

- Member States' comments by mid September
- Finalising legal drafting on egg marketing standards
- Parallel work on poultry (and other) marketing standards
- Coordinated adoption by the Commission (expected 2023)

Thank you for your comments



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