

Message 001

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Notification of a draft text from a Member State

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Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délai - Kein Fristbeginn - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nezahajuje prodlení - Fristerne indledes ikke - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - No abre el plazo - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Ne otvara razdoblje kašnjenja - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Non fa decorrere la mora - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Atlikšanas laikposms nesākas - Ma jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dewmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Não inicia o prazo - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nezačína oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Inleder ingen frist - Ní osclaíonn sé na moilleanna

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4. 2025/0471/HU - C50A - Foodstuffs

5. Draft Decree amending Decree No 152/2009 of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of 12 November on the mandatory requirements of the Codex Alimentarius Hungaricus with regard to its regulation on wine vinegar and vinegar

6. Vinegar and wine vinegar

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8. The draft Decree amending Decree No 152/2009 of the Ministry for Agriculture and Rural Development of 12 November on the mandatory requirements of the Codex Alimentarius Hungaricus updates the Hungarian Food Code's regulation on wine vinegar and vinegar.

As stated in recital 6 of Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/263, "In some Member States only vinegars obtained from the fermentation of agricultural products are allowed to be named 'vinegars'. In other Member States, however, both products obtained from the dilution with water of acetic acid and vinegars obtained from the fermentation of agricultural products are marketed under the name 'vinegar'." Therefore, there are no uniform requirements for the use of the name 'vinegar' in the European Union, and the rules vary at Member State level.

The main objective of the draft is to create a legislative environment which ensures that only vinegar obtained by the fermentation of agricultural products may be placed on the market under the designation 'vinegar', and that no product obtained by the dilution of acetic acid may be referred to as 'vinegar'. The idea is to ensure that consumers of products marketed as 'vinegar' receive a product which was made by using a natural process. The standard contributes to the provision of adequate information to consumers and to the promotion of quality vinegar production.

9. The standard defines wine vinegar, fruit vinegar, fruit wine vinegar, spirit vinegar, balsamic vinegar, other vinegar, as well as apple vinegar and apple cider vinegar, specifies the labelling requirements for each product group or products, the ingredients that may be used in the production and the quality characteristics of the products.

10. References to basic texts: 2025/0272/HU, 2024/0714/HU, 2024/0713/HU

The basic texts were forwarded with an earlier notification:

2025/0272/HU

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