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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 késésekét - Non fa decorrere la mora - Atidējimai 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. 2025/0092/EE - C00A - AGRICULTURE, FISHING AND FOODSTUFFS

5. Requirements for the quality scheme and recognition of the quality scheme

6. The final product of the quality scheme shall be an agricultural product with specific characteristics or food marketed in retail trade.

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8. The introduction of the Regulation on the recognition of the quality scheme will create conditions for the emergence of new quality schemes, which will increase the competitiveness of farmers and contribute to their sustainable development. The quality schemes will bring to the market products with a higher added value, the specific characteristics of which result from production requirements that are stricter than those of conventional products or from specific production methods that the producers who have joined the scheme have chosen to implement. The specific characteristics of the product help consumers to distinguish it from other similar products, and consistent checks of the participants in the quality scheme assure consumers that the product or production process is of high quality. Recognition under the quality scheme gives the producer groups implementing the scheme the possibility to apply, once recognised, for support for the development of quality schemes under the intervention '3.2 Support for the implementation of Union and national quality schemes' of the 'Strategic Plan for Estonia under the Common Agricultural Policy of the European Union 2023–2027' (hereinafter 'the Strategic Plan') and for support for information provision and promotion of the product produced under the quality scheme.

9. Quality schemes enable to increase the visibility of products on the market and to obtain a higher price for them and therefore they play an important role in improving the competitiveness of producers. As of August 2024, Estonia has two nationally recognized quality schemes: 'Production of Grassland Beef' and 'Grassland Cattle and Cheep in Biosphere Reserves'. As of 31 December 2023, 53 participants had joined the quality scheme 'Production of Grassland Beef'. As of 8 March 2024, 27 participants had joined the quality scheme 'Grassland Cattle and Cheep in Biosphere Reserves'.

10. References to related legislation:

11. No

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13. No

14. No

15. Yes

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TBT aspects: No

SPS aspects: No

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