

DECISION No. 54/2002/QĐ-BNN OF JUNE 20, 2002 PROHIBITING THE PRODUCTION, IMPORT, CIRCULATION AND USE OF SOME ANTIBIOTICS AND CHEMICALS IN ANIMAL FEED PRODUCTION AND TRADING

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Pursuant to the Government's Decree No. 73-CP of November 1, 1995 on the functions, tasks, powers and organizational structure of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development;

Pursuant to the Government's Decree No. 86-CP of December 8, 1995 prescribing the assignment of State management responsibility over goods quality;

Pursuant to the Prime Minister's Directive No. 07/2002/CT-TTg of February 25, 2002 on enhancing the management over the use of antibiotics and chemicals in the production and trading of foodstuff of animal origins;

At the proposals of the director of the Department for Agriculture and Forestry Promotion, and the director of the Department for Sciences, Technologies and Product Quality,

DECIDES:

Article 1.- To prohibit the production, import, circulation and use of the following antibiotics and chemicals in animal feeds production and trading:

Ordinal Number	Names of antibiotics and chemicals
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| 1 | Carbuterol |
| 2 | Cimaterol |
| 3 | Clenbuterol |
| 4 | Chloramphenicol |
| 5 | Diethylstilbestrol (DES) |
| 6 | Dimetridazole |
| 7 | Fenoterol |
| 8 | Furazolidon and Nitrofurans derivatives |
| 9 | Isoxuprin |
| 10 | Methyl-testosterone |

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| 11 | Metronidazole |
| 12 | 19 Nor-testosterone |
| 13 | Ractopamine |
| 14 | Salbutamol |
| 15 | Terbutaline |
| 16 | Stilbenes |
| 17 | Trerbolone |
| 18 | Zeranol |

The Agriculture and Rural Development Ministry's written opinions are required for those produced on orders of goods production for export.

The Department for Agriculture and Forestry Promotion and the provincial/municipal Agriculture and Rural Development Services shall, within the assigned functions and tasks, have to guide, monitor and inspect the implementation of this Decision by enterprises and individuals that produce and/or trade in animal feeds.

Article 2.- This Decision takes effect 15 days after its signing. All the previous provisions contrary to this Decision are hereby annulled.

Article 3.- The director of the Department for Agriculture and Forestry Promotion, the director of the Department for Sciences, Technologies and Product Quality, the directors of the Agriculture and Rural Development Services of the provinces and centrally-run cities, as well as domestic and foreign enterprises and individuals engaged in the production and/or trading of animal feeds in Vietnam shall have to implement this Decision.

For the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development
Vice Minister
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