

REGULATIONS NOT HARMONISED AT EUROPEAN LEVEL

DIETETIC AND WEIGHT-LOSS PRODUCTS

SCOPE

The regulatory provisions apply to:

1. Preparations for infants and follow-on formulas
2. Cereal-based foodstuffs and baby food for infants and toddlers
3. Food for low calorie weight-loss diets
4. Dietetic food for special medical purposes
5. Food for intense muscular effort, especially for athletes
6. Food for persons with perturbations of their glucidic metabolism (diabetics)

FRENCH REGULATIONS

- [Order of 20 July 1977](#) (amended) implementing the [Decree of 24 July 1975](#) on dietetic and weight-loss products

EU REGULATIONS

- [Commission Regulation \(EC\) N° 953/2009](#) of 13 October 2009 on substances that may be added for specific nutritional purposes in foods for particular nutritional uses
- [Directive 2009/39/EC](#) of 6 May 2009 on foodstuffs intended for particular nutritional uses (recast)

CONTACTS

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