

## The EU feed legislation








Companies which are active in the feed sector and which are established within one of the EU Member States must comply with the EU feed legislation. Feeds imported into the EU must also comply with EU legislation or must be at least equivalent to this. In addition, the GMP+ standards are based on the EU legislation.





As an aid to companies, GMP+ International publishes a selection of the key EU feed legislation. It uses the so-called consolidated legal texts. These are legal texts which the EU makes available, where as many changes as possible have been incorporated. These consolidated versions have, however, no official status and are generally not updated to include the latest change to the law.

There is, however, an indication of how far the text has been updated.

The most recent EU feed legislation and other public documents of the European Union are freely accessible via EUR-Lex.

**Note: this is only part of the EU feed legislation. Companies are and will remain responsible for being aware of all of the provisions which apply to them.**

Number	Title	Document
183/2005	Regulation (EC) No 183/2005 of the European parliament and of the Council of 12 January 2005 laying down requirements for feed hygiene.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
178/2002	Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28 January 2002 laying down the general principles and requirements of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
767/2009	Regulation (EC) No 767/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009 on the placing on the market and use of feed, amending European Parliament and Council Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003 and repealing Council Directive 79/373/EEC, Commission Directive 80/511/EEC, Council Directives 82/471/EEC, 83/228/EEC, 93/74/EEC, 93/113/EC and 96/25/EC and Commission Decision 2004/217/EC.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
575/2011	Commission Regulation (EU) No 575/2011 of 16 June 2011 on the Catalogue of feed materials.	 <a href="#">Catalogue</a>
1831/2003	Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 September 2003 on additives for use in animal nutrition.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
	European Union Register of Feed Additives pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003.	 <a href="#">Register</a>
1069/2009	Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 October 2009 laying down health rules as regards animal by-products and	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>

	derived products not intended for human consumption and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002 (Animal by-products Regulation).	
142/2011	Commission Regulation (EU) No 142/2011 of 25 February 2011 implementing Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down health rules as regards animal by-products and derived products not intended for human consumption and implementing Council Directive 97/78/EC as regards certain samples and items exempt from veterinary checks at the border under that Directive.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
999/2001	Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2001 laying down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
90/167	Council Directive 90/167/EEC of 26 March 1990 laying down the conditions governing the preparation, placing on the market and use of medicated feeding stuffs in the Community.	 <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
	EU pesticides database	 <a href="#">Database</a>