ANNEXI

Summary technical specifications

for registration of geographical indications

Name Of The Geographical Indication:

Suomalainen Marja-ZHedelmdlikoori/Finsk Bdr-ZFruktlikor/ Finnish Berry/Fruit Liqueur

Category Of The Product For Which The Name Is Protected

Liqueur, Category 32. Liqueur of Annex II of Reg. (EC) No 110/2008 Applicant:

Alcoholic Beverages Industries' Association of the Finnish Food and Drink Industries' Federation

Protection In EU Member State of Origin

1 January 1995, section 4 of the Finnish Alcohol Decree No 1344/1994

This geographical indication has been registered and protected in the European Union since 1 January 1995 in accordance with the Act concerning the conditions of accession of the Kingdom of Norway, the Republic of Austria, the Republic of Finland and the Kingdom of Sweden and the adjustments to the Treaties on which the European Union is founded (OJ C 241, 29.8.1994 (copy attached).

Description Of The Agricultural Product Or Foodstuff

Finnish Berry Liqueur is a spirit drink produced from Nordic berries, such as cloudberry, arctic bramble, cranberry, lingonberry and sea buckthorn, ethyl alcohol and sugar with an alcohol content of the minimum of 15% vol and with the colour of the raw material (berry or fruit) in its physical appearance. The berries used in the manufacture of the products are wild berries typically grown in the Finnish nature.

Finnish Berry Liqueur is a spirit drink defined and produced according to the rules laid down in Chapter I of Regulation (EC) 110/2008 on spirit drinks. In addition, a liqueur is a spirit drink that has been produced exclusively by the methods set out in point 32 of Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 110/2008.

All the production steps, including packaging of the product, must take place in the determined geographical area.

Concise Definition Of The Geographical Area

Finland

Link With The Geographical Area

The production of Finnish Berry Liqueur in Finland has a centuries-long tradition. Its longstanding reputation among the consumers extends well beyond the confines of its area of origin. The Finnish alcoholic companies have produced berry liqueurs since the 19th century.

Finnish Berry Liqueur identifies a spirit drink that originates in Finland, where its specific quality, reputation or other characteristics are essentially attributable to this geographical

origin. The raw materials and the traditional knowledge and methods specific to this region used in the production of this spirit drink determine its uniqueness. The aromatic taste of the wild berries used in the manufacture of Finnish berry liqueur derives from the long summer days with abundant daylight in the determined geographical region.

Specific Rules Concerning Labelling (If Any)

[...]

Control authority/control body

The control authority for checking conformity with the product specification is:

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TREATY

between

the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of Denmark, the Federal Republic of Germany, the Hellenic Republic, the Kingdom of Spain, the French Republic,

Ireland, the Italian Republic, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, the Kingdom of the Netherlands, the Portuguese Republic, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (Member States of the European Union)

and

the Kingdom of Norway, the Republic of Austria, the Republic of Finland the Kingdom of Sweden,

concerning the accession of the Kingdom of Norway, the Republic of Austria, the Republic of Finland and the Kingdom of Sweden to the European Union.

(94/C 241/07)

his majesty the king of the belgians,

her majesty the queen of denmark,

the president of the federal repubuc of germany.

the president of the hellenic repubuc,

his majesty the king of spain,

the president of the french repubuc, -

the president of ireland,

the president of the italian repubuc,

his royal highness the grand duke of luxembourg,

her majesty the queen of the netherlands,

his majesty the king of norway,

the federal president of the repubuc of austria,

the president of the portuguese repubuc,

I. Basic quantities A

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Regions | (a) Basic quantity A for sugar (') | (b) Basic quantity Afor iso­glucose (') |
| Denmark | 328 000,0 |   |
| Germany | 1 990 000,0 | 28 882,0 |
| Greece | 290 000,0 | 10 522,0 |
| Spain | 960 000,0 | 75 000,0 |
| France (metropolitan) | 2 530 000,0 | 15 887,0 |
| French overseas departments | 466 000,0 |   |
| Ireland | 182 000,0 | — |
| Italy | 1 320 000,0 | 16 569,0 |
| Netherlands | 690 000,0 | 7 426,0 |
| Austria | 316 529,0 | — |
| Portugal (mainland) | 54 545,5 | 8 093,9 |
| The autonomous region of the Azores | 9 090,9 |   |
| Finland | 133 433,0 | 10 845,0 |
| Sweden | 336 364,0 | — |
| Belgium /Luxembourg Economic Union | 680 000,0 | 56 667,0 |
| United Kingdom | 1 040 000,0 | 21 696,0 |

(') In tonnes of white sugar. C) In tonnes of dry matter.

(f) In Article 24 (3) the following is added as the second and third subparagraphs;

'However, as regards sugar producing under­takings established in:

1. Austria, the A and B quota of the sugar producer shall be equal to the base A and base B quantities respectively laid down in paragraph 2, point I (a) and point II (a) for Austria;
2. Finland, the A and B quota of the sugar producer shall be equal to the base A and base B quantities respectively laid down in paragraph 2, point I (a) and point II (a) for Finland;
3. Sweden, the A and B quota of the sugar producer shall be equal to the base A and base B quantities respectively laid down in paragraph 2, point I (a) and point II (a) for Sweden.

As regards the producer of isoglucose established in Finland, its A and B quota shall be equal to the base A and B quantities respectively laid down in paragraph 2 point I (b) and point II (b) for Finland.'

II. Basic quantities b

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Regions | (a) Basic quantity B for sugar (') | (b) Basic quantity Bfor iso­glucose (') |
| Denmark | 96 629,3 |   |
| Germany | 612 312,9 | 6 802,0 |
| Greece | 29 000,0 | 2 478,0 |
| Spain | 40 000,0 | 8 000,0 |
| France (metropolitan) | 759 232,8 | 4 135,0 |
| French overseas |  |  |
| departments | 46 600,0 | — |
| Ireland | 18 200,0 | — |
| Italy | 248 250,0 | 3 902,0 |
| Netherlands | 182 000,0 | 1 749,0 |
| Austria | 73 881,0 | — |
| Portugal (mainland) | 5 454,5 | 1 906,1 |
| The autonomous |  |  |
| region of the Azores | 909,1 | — |
| Finland | 13 343,0 | 1 085,0 |
| Sweden | 33 636,0 | — |
| Belgium/Luxembourg |  |  |
| Economic Union | 146 000,0 | 15 583,0 |
| United Kingdom | 104 000,0 | 5 787,0 |

(') In tonnes of white sugar. (') In tonnes of dry matter.

VII. Wine and spirit drinks

* 1. 386 R 2392; Council Regulation (EEC) No 2392/86 of 24 July 1986 establishing a Community vineyard register (OJ No L 208, 31.7.1986, p. 1), as last amended by:
* 390 R 3577; Council Regulation (EEC) No 3577/90 of 4 December 1990 (OJ No L 353, 17.12.1990, p. 23).

The following sentence is added to Article 4 (1), first subparagraph:

'In Austria it shall be established within 2 years from the date of accession'.

* 1. 387 R 0822; Council Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 of 16 March 1987 on the common organization of the market in wine (OJ No L 84, 27.3.1987, p. 1), as last amended by;
* 393 R 1566: Council Regulation (EEC) No 1566/93 of 14 June 1993 (OJ No L 154, 25.6.1993, p. 39).

In Article 9(1), second subparagraph under (a), first indent, 'and Austria' is added after 'in German/.

3. 387 R 0823: Council Regulation (EEC) No 823/87 of 16 March 1987 laying down special provisions relating to quality wines produced in specified regions (OJ No L 84, 27.3.1987, p. 59), as last amended by:

— 391 R 3896: Council Regulation (EEC) No 3896/91 of 16 December 1991 (OJ No L 368, 31.12.1991, p. 3).

The following point is added to Article 15 (2):

'(h) for Austria:

the following terms which accompany an indi­cation of the origin of the wine:

* "QualitStswein mit staatlicher Prilfnummer", "Qualitatswein"
* "Kabinett" or "Kabinettwein"
* "Qualitatswein besonderer Reife und Leseart" or "PrSdikatswein"
* "SpStlese" or "Spatlesewein"
* "Auslese" or "Auslesewein"
* "Beerenauslese" or "Beerenauslesewein"
* "Ausbruch" or "Ausbruchwein"
* "Trockenbeerenauslese" or "Trockenbeeren- auslesewein"
* "Eiswein", "Strohwein".'

4. 389 R 1576: Council Regulation (EEC) No 1576/89 of 29 May 1989 laying down general rules on the definition, description and presentation of spirit drinks (OJ No L 160, 12.6.1989, p. 1), as amended by:

— 392 R 3280: Council Regulation (EEC) No 3280/92 of 9 November 1992 (OJ No L 327, 13.11.1992, p. 3).

1. The following is inserted as point (3) in Article 1 (4) (r):

'(3) The name "Jagertee", "Jagertee" and "Jagatee" shall be reserved for the liqueur originating in Austria and prepared from ethyl alcohol of agricultural origin, essences of certain spirit drinks or tea, with the addition of several natural flavouring substances such as those defined in Article 1 (2) (b) (i) of Directive 88/388/EEC. The alcoholic strength shall be at least 22,5 % vol. The sugar content, expressed as invert sugar, shall be at least 100 grammes per litre.'

1. The following is added to Article 1 (4) as (u):

'(u) VakevS gltigi/Spritgldgg

A spirit drink produced by flavouring ethyl alcohol of agricultural origin with natural or nature identical aroma of cloves and/or cinnamon using one of the following processes: maceration and/or distillation, redistillation of the alcohol in the presence of parts of the plants specified above, addition of natural or nature identical flavour of cloves or cinnamon or a combination of these methods.

Other natural or nature identical plant extracts of flavours in conformity with Directive 88/388/EEC may also be used, but the flavour of the specified spices must be predominant. The content of wine or wine products may not exceed 50 percent.'

1. In Article 4 (5), second subparagraph (a), the following indents are added:

'— cloudberry,

* arctic bramble,
* cranberry,
* lingonberry,
* sea buckthorn;'
1. In Annex II: the following are added to '5. Brandy':

'Wachauer Weinbrand, Weinbrand Dtlmstein';

the following are added to '7. Fruit spirit': "Wachauer Marillenbrand';

the following are added to '12. Caraway- flavoured spirit drinks':

'Norsk Akevitt/Norsk Akvavit/Norsk Aquavit/ Norwegian Aquavit'

'Svensk Aquavit/Svensk Akvavit/Swedish Aqua­vit';

the following are added to '14. Liqueur':

'Finnish berry/fruit liqueur Grofiglockner Alpenbitter Mariazeller Magenlikdr Mariazeller Jagasaftl Puchheimer Bitter Puchheimer Schlossgeist Steinfelder Magenbitter Wachauer Marillenlik5r';