



EUROPEAN COMMISSION
DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Directorate B. Quality, Research & Innovation, Outreach
The Director

Brussels,
DdF/nb(2019)5257391

Dear Madam,

Thank you for your e-mail of 19 June 2019¹ asking clarification regarding our letter concerning the use of the EU Organic logo².

As you mentioned, I confirm that Articles 24 and 25 of Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 and Articles 57 and 58 of Regulation (EC) No 889/2008 provide that the EU organic logo presented in connection with a specific product must be accompanied in particular by the following compulsory indications:

- the code number of the control authority or control body referred to in Article 27(10) of Regulation (EC) No 834/2007, and
- the indication of the place where the agricultural raw materials of which the product is composed have been farmed

The present opinion is provided on the basis of the facts as set out in your e-mail of 19 June 2019 and expresses the view of the Commission services and does not commit the European Commission. In the event of a dispute involving Union law it is, under the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, ultimately for the European Court of Justice to provide a definitive interpretation of the applicable Union law.

Yours sincerely,



c.c.:



¹ Ares(2019)3910235

² Ares(2019)3254777

