

## Import tariff rules for poultrymeat, eggs, and beef

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Draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/2834 as regards fixing representative prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin and Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/1988 as regards the administration of import tariff quotas in accordance with the 'first come, first served' principle, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1484/95 [*scroll down to download*]

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### What is changing and why?

For consistency and simplification, in two draft Regulations it is proposed to incorporate the rules for the poultrymeat and egg sectors from Regulation [1484/95](#) into Regulation [2023/2834](#), which also covers rice, cereals, sugar, and hops. It is also proposed to publish the updated representative prices for poultrymeat and eggs on a dedicated [Taxation and Customs Union](#) webpage instead of in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

The water/protein ratio for category B frozen beef is corrected from 3:2 to **3.2:1**.

### Actions

Stakeholders can give feedback via the European Commission's Have Your Say webpages until **19 January 2026**:

- Agri-food markets – representative prices (poultry and egg products) and water/protein ratio (certain beef products)
- Poultry and eggs – simplifying the publication of representative prices.

### Timeline

Adoption is planned for the first quarter of 2026.

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