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Amendment to the Proposal to the COUNCIL DIRECTIVE

on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to flavourings for use in foodstuffs and to source materials for their production (COM(80) 286 final - 22.5.1980)

(Presented by the Commission to the Council pursuant to the second paragraph of Article 149 of the EEC Treaty)

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Amendment to the Proposal to the Council Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to flavourings for use in foodstuffs and to source materials for their production (COM(80)286

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1. Summary

This modified proposal implements certain modifications suggested by the European Parliament at its meeting 19 February 1982 relating to Article 1(2)(b) and Article 5(2)(c).

2. Modifications to the proposal for Directive

- 2.1 Article 1(2)(b) first indent is modified as follows:
 - " "natural" when isolated from natural flavouring materials, natural flavouring preparations or foodstuffs <u>exclusively</u> by appropriate physical processes (including distillation, solvent extraction)."
- 2.2 Article 5(2) is modified by the addition of a paragraph (c) as follows:
 - "(c) specify the physical processes for the production of natural flavouring preparations and natural flavouring substances referred to in paragraph 1(c)."