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The delegation of the Czech Republic submitted the attached table to update the designations of seed potato categories and generations used in EC countries.

Classification scheme of Labelled classes for seedpotatoes in the EC											
	TC/MT*	Prebasic					Basic			Certified	
Class Country	Plant passport white with violet diagonal line					Plant passport white			Plant passport blue		
Austria		V1	V2	V3			S	SE	E	Z	
Belgium	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5		S CE1	SE CE2	E CE3	A/B <sup>5</sup>	
Czech Republic		SE1	SE2				E			C1	C2
Denmark	MK	S1 SE1-SE3 <sup>4</sup>	S2 SE1-SE3 <sup>4</sup>	S3 SE1-SE3 <sup>4</sup>	S4 SE1-SE3 <sup>4</sup>	S5 SE1-SE3 <sup>4</sup>	E1	E2	E3	A	
England & Wales	TC	PB1	PB2				VTSC1-2 EEC1	SE1-3 EEC2	E1-3, EEC2 AA, EEC2	CC	
Estonia		SS	S	SE			E1	E2		A	
Finland	SS	S	SEE	SE			E1 EC1	E2 EC2	E3 EC3	A/B <sup>5</sup>	
France	V0 B0	V1 B1	V2 B2	V3 B3			SE1 CE1	E <sup>6</sup> CE2	CE3	A/B	
Germany	M1 <sup>7</sup>	M2 <sup>7</sup>	M3 <sup>7</sup>				S EEC1	SE EEC2	E EEC3	Z1	
Greece										A	
Ireland	MK	G1	G2				F1-F2 EC1	SE1-SE3 <sup>1</sup> EC2	EC2 H, EC3		
Italy							S	SE	E	A/B	
Lithuania	TC	m0	m1	m2			SSE	SE	E	A	
Luxembourg	MK	F1	F2				S	SE	E	A	
Netherlands	G0	G1	G2 S <sup>4</sup>	G3 S <sup>4</sup>	G4 S <sup>4</sup>		SE	E		A	C
Northern Ireland	PB (TC)	PB1 <sup>3</sup>	PB2 <sup>3</sup>				VTSC1 VTSC2	SE1-SE3	E-A		
Poland	PB <sub>M</sub>	PB <sub>III</sub>	PB <sub>II</sub>				B <sub>I</sub>	B <sub>II</sub>		C <sub>A</sub>	C <sub>B</sub>
Portugal		S					EC1	SE EC2	E EC3	A/B <sup>5</sup>	

<b>Scotland</b>	TC	PB1	PB2				VTSC1-2 EEC1	SE1-3 EEC2	E1-3, EEC2 AA, EEC3		
<b>Spain</b>		G0	G1	G2		G7	SE <sup>1</sup>	E <sup>6</sup>		A	B
<b>Sweden</b>	SS	S1	S2	S3			SE1	SE2	E	A	
<b>Switzerland</b>	F1	F2	F3	F4			S	SE1-SE3 <sup>1</sup>	E	A	
<b>Hungary</b>		SE					E1	E2	E3	A	
<b>Latvia</b>	IS	PB1	PB2				B1	B2		C1	C2

<sup>1</sup> = Super Elite   <sup>2</sup> = Consumer potatoes   <sup>3</sup> = Prebasic   <sup>4</sup> = Sales class   <sup>5</sup> = Quality differences   <sup>6</sup> = Elite   <sup>7</sup> = Comercial category is „V “

\* Tissue culture/miresten   Mother Tubes, clonal selection.)