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I would like to thank you for your email of 11 June 2021, in which you ask for a table of correspondence between current and future EU rules on organic production.

As mentioned in your email, no such table has been published in Regulation (EU) 2018/848¹. Please note also that several legal references in the current organic legislation (Regulation (EC) No 834/2007², Regulation (EC) No 889/2008³ and Regulation (EC) 1235/2008⁴) have no correspondence in Regulation (EU) 2018/848 itself but rather in the secondary legislation currently being finalised. In addition, the delegated acts amending Regulation (EU) 2018/848 will change in several instances the current numbering of the legal references of Regulation (EU) 2018/848.

However, we consider putting on our website a table with all the acts of the secondary legislation containing a short summary of their respective contents and a link to their latest consolidated version as published in EUR-Lex.

In addition, a version of Regulation (EU) 2018/848 integrating all of the provisions of the delegated acts amending this Regulation will be consolidated by Publications Office of the European Union and will be available in EUR-Lex;

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Finally, I would like to remind you that these would only be tools to ease the reading of the future organic rules and that the only authentic versions of the relevant acts, including their preambles, are those published in the Official Journal of the European Union and available in EUR-Lex.

¹ <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A02018R0848-20201114&qid=1623757881790>

² <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A02018R0848-20201114&qid=1623757881790>

³ <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A02018R0848-20201114&qid=1623757881790>

⁴ <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:02008R1235-20210318&qid=1624286424624&from=EN>

Our priority now is to finalise the secondary legislation necessary to ensure a smooth transition between the current and future organic rules from 1 January 2022.

Yours sincerely,

