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# COUNTRY PROFILE Follow-up status of FVO recommendations

FVO

Health and  
Food Safety

**2.B.10 Animal welfare**

Inspection 2013-6825 of 02 June 2013 in order to evaluate the implementation of the requirements on the protection of animals at the time of slaughter		
Recommendation	Basis of assessment	Assessment
<p><b>2013-6825-3</b></p> <p>To enforce the stunning parameters specified in Annex I of Regulation (EC) No 1099/2009, particularly parameters for electrical waterbath stunners, so as to ensure the loss of consciousness and sensibility of the animals from the moment of stunning until the moment of death, as required by Article 4(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1099/2009.</p>	<p><b>CCA response:</b> “As the deficiency was not eliminated, the CA issued a warning to business operator about next possible sanctions which the CA will implement because the stunning parameters did not conform to requirements specified in Annex I of Regulation (EC) 1099/2009.”</p> <p><b>In the context of the administrative up-date of the country profile, carried out in 2014, the CCA provided</b> documentary evidence demonstrated that the necessary enforcement action was taken and that the correction of the relevant deficiencies was verified.</p>	Action taken