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Monitoring of air temperatures for transport of
perishable foodstuffs quick-frozen

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The transport equipment must be fitted with a suitable recording instrument to monitor, at frequent and regular intervals, the air temperatures to which quick-frozen foodstuffs intended for human consumption are subjected.

The measuring instruments must be approved by the competent authorities of the country in which the means of transport is registered. They should comply to standards EN 13485:2001. (Thermometers for measuring the air and product temperature for the transport, storage and distribution of chilled, frozen, deep-frozen/quick-frozen food and ice cream) and EN 13486:2001. (Thermometer recorders and thermometers for the transport, storage and distribution of chilled, frozen, deep-frozen/quick-frozen food and ice cream).

Temperature recordings obtained in this manner must be dated and stored by the operator for at least one year or longer, according to the nature of the food.