ANNEX I

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION: Art. 5 ( ) Art. 17 (X)

PDO (X) PGI ( )
National application No: EE(PDO) 13

1. Responsible department in the Member State:
Name: Ministry of Agriculture: Directorate for the Processing, Standardization and Quality Control of Products of Plant Origin.
Tel.: 5291-347 Fax: 5243-162

2. Applicant group:
(a) Name: The Agricultural Cooperative of Rovies, Euboea
(b) Address: Robies, Euboea 340 05
(c) Composition: producer/processor (X) other ( )

3. Name of product: Table olives

4. Type of product: (see list in Annex VI)
1.6 Fruit and vegetables

5. Specification:
(summary of Article 4(2))

(a) Name: (see 3) PDO "KONSERVOLIA ROVION Table Olives".

(b) Description: A table olive of the Konservolia variety for which olive beetle control is achieved, where necessary, by bait-spraying from the ground and biological methods.

(c) Geographical area: The administrative boundaries of the Rovies commune in the Euboea prefecture.

(d) Evidence: The product is cropped exclusively from olive trees within the defined geographical area.

(e) Method of production: The olives are harvested by hand. De-souring is achieved by immersion in a caustic soda solution for 12 hours. The olives are then placed in kegs of saturated brine solution to which lactic bacilli are added. They are packaged in 150gr and 280gr glass jars, in 5kg and 13kg plastic containers and in 13kg tin containers, in either olive oil or brine and with the addition of aromatic herbs, spices, almond paste etc.

(f) Link: The olives are produced from a variety traditionally cultivated in the area and via the application of traditional treatment methods within the defined geographical area.

(g) Inspection structure: Name: The directorate of agriculture of the Euboea prefecture.
Address: Papanastasiou 10a, Halkida 341 00

(h) Labelling: PDO "KONSERVOLIA ROVION Table Olives". The inspection code PO, the label serial number and the two final numbers of the year of production.

(i) National requirements (if any): The general provisions of Presidential Decree 81/93 on the PDO and PGI production procedures are applicable as appropriate.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE COMMISSION
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