REGULATION NO. 2005/47

ON THE PROMULGATION OF THE WINE LAW ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF KOSOVO

The Special Representative of the Secretary-General,

Pursuant to the authority given to him under United Nations Security Council resolution (UNSCR) 1244 (1999) of 10 June 1999,

In conformity with Chapter 8 and sections 9.1.44 and 9.1.45 of the Constitutional Framework for Provisional Self-Government in Kosovo (UNMIK Regulation No. 2001/9 of 15 May 2001),

Taking into account a communication from the President of the Assembly of Kosovo, dated 1 March 2005 concerning the Law on Wine adopted by the Assembly on 23 February 2005,

Noting that the provisions of the Law shall be without prejudice to the authority of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General under UNSCR 1244 (1999) or his reserved powers and responsibilities under the Constitutional Framework for Provisional Self-Government in Kosovo,

Hereby promulgates, effective as of the date of signature, the Law on Wine adopted by the Assembly of Kosovo (Law No. 02/L-8) attached to the present Regulation, provided that:

(a) The last sentence of article 3.4 shall be revised to read; “For this purpose, the viticulture territory of Kosovo shall be divided into viticulture territorial areas and regions to be set out in subsidiary legal instruments issued by the Ministry”; 

(b) As a consequence of (a) above, the last sentence of article 16.2 is not needed and is to be deleted;

(c) In article 19.4 the words “administrative decisions” shall be added at the end of the last sentence;
(d) In article 26.2 the words “in accordance with the applicable law” shall be added at the end of the sentence;

(e) The term “Kosova” wherever it appears throughout the English text of the law shall be replaced by the term “Kosovo”.

These changes shall be reflected in the final official text of the law.

Signed on this 14 October 2005

Søren Jessen-Petersen
Special Representative of the Secretary-General