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DOLPHINS DEVELOPMENT OF ORIGIN LABELLED PRODUCTS

WP4

Link between OLP and Consumers and citizens

Theme 1 : WTO negotiations

Policy implications on food standard in WTO negotiations

1. In my opinion the country of origin labelling is very different for a European consumer perspective and for an USA consumer (or later for a developing countris citiziens perspective).

Some pre-ideas :

PDO products exogenous for USA citiziens but endogenous or historical, etc. product for emigrants cultural identity or ... italian food traditions and social status.

2. WTO negotiations : based on TRIPS agreement . What implications ?

Why not country of origin agreemnt in the framework of

Rules of origin on the WTO

From WTO web site :

« Determining where a product comes from is no longer easy when raw materials and parts criss-cross the globe to be used as inputs in scattered manufacturing plants. Rules of origin are important in implementing such trade policy instruments as anti-dumping and countervailing duties, origin marking, and safeguard measures ».

Why not use geographical origin as safeguard measures and so on ?

The effect will be : more information for consumer on quality and price of foods. a reduction in asymetric information

a protection for the consumer in foreign countries but also protection for european citiziens.

3. The sinergy between safety guarantee and PDO. What not <u>assure</u> american consumers that PDO products are safe no GMO ?

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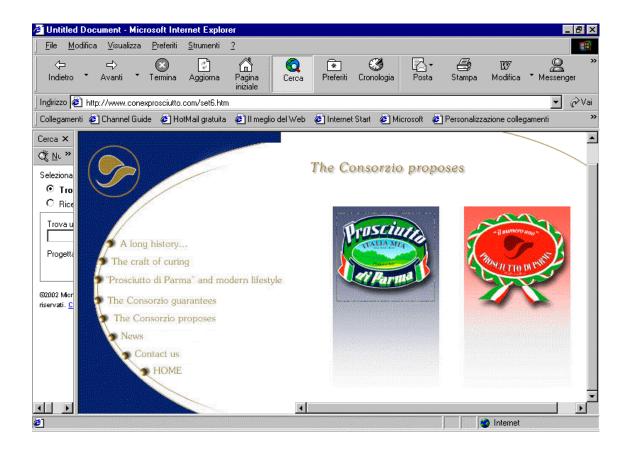
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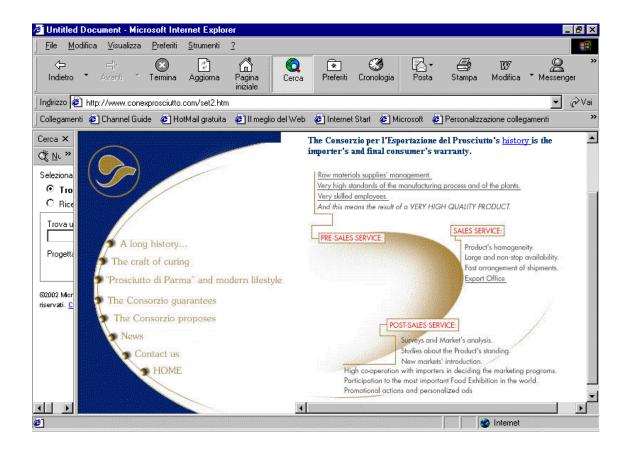
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