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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1942/76**of 5 August 1976****fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 1143/76⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 13 (5) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye
flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1882/76⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending
Regulations ;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1882/76, to the

offer prices and today's quotations known to the
Commission that the levies at present in force should
be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products listed in
Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 are hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August
1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 130, 19. 5. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 206, 31. 7. 1976, p. 62.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal

(u.a./metric ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levies
10.01 A	Common wheat and meslin	48.20
10.01 B	Durum wheat	86.67 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	37.57 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	20.94
10.04	Oats	13.86
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	32.17 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	3.80
10.07 B	Millet	32.99 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	37.83 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	78.23
11.01 B	Rye flour	63.33
11.02 A I a	Durum wheat groats and meal	145.09
11.02 A I b	Common wheat groats and meal	84.50

⁽¹⁾ Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./metric ton.

⁽²⁾ Where maize originated in the ACP or OCT is imported into the French overseas departments, the levy is reduced by 6 u.a./metric tons as provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 706/76.

⁽³⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 1.50 u.a./metric ton.

⁽⁴⁾ Where millet and sorghum originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 50 %.

⁽⁵⁾ Where wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./metric ton.

⁽⁶⁾ The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2754/75 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1943/76

of 5 August 1976

fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organ-
ization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 1143/76⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15 (6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on
cereals and malt were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
1883/76⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif
forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in
force, which are to be added to the levies, should be

altered as shown in the tables annexed to this Regula-
tion,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The scale of the premiums to be added, pursuant to
Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, to the
import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals
and malt is hereby fixed as shown in the tables
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August
1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 130, 19. 5. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 206, 31. 7. 1976, p. 64.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(u.a./metric ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 8	1st period 9	2nd period 10	3rd period 11
10.01 A	Common wheat and meslin	0	0	0	0
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0.40	0.40	0
10.02	Rye	0	2.42	2.42	0
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	1.61	1.61	1.81
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	3.23	3.23	7.66
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0.40	0.40	1.61
10.07 D	Other	0	0	0	0
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	0	0	0	0

B. Malt

(u.a./metric ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 8	1st period 9	2nd period 10	3rd period 11	4th period 12
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1944/76**of 5 August 1976****fixing the import levies on calves and adult bovine animals and on beef and veal
other than frozen**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization
of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 568/76 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the
second line of Article 10 (7), and Article 12 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on calves and adult bovine
animals and on beef and veal other than frozen were
fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1597/76 ⁽³⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1851/76 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1597/76
to the quotations and other information known to the
Commission that the levies at present in force should
be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The levies referred to in Articles 10 and 12 of Regula-
tion (EEC) No 805/68 are hereby fixed as shown in
the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

To be classified as products falling within subheadings
02.01 A II a) 1 aa) and 02.01 A II a) 1 bb), products
must correspond to the definition contained in Article
2 of Regulation (EEC) No 2249/73 ⁽⁵⁾.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 9 August
1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 28.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 177, 2. 7. 1976, p. 11.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 204, 30. 7. 1976, p. 11.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 230, 18. 8. 1973, p. 15.

ANNEX

Levies applicable from 9 August 1976 to imports from third countries ⁽¹⁾

CCT heading No	Description of goods	(in u.e./100 kg)	
		Austria Sweden Switzerland	Other third countries
01.02	Live animals of the bovine species : A. Domestic species : II. Other : a) Calves b) Other : 1. Not yet having any permanent teeth, of a weight of not less than 350 kg but not more than 450 kg in the case of male animals, or of not less than 320 kg but not more than 420 kg in the case of female animals (b) 2. Other	Live weight	
		46.240 (a)	46.240 (a)
		—	46.240
		46.240 (a)	46.240 (a)
02.01	Meat and edible offals of the animals falling within heading No 01.01, 01.02, 01.03 or 01.04, fresh, chilled or frozen : A. Meat : II. Of bovine animals : a) Of domestic bovine animals : 1. Fresh or chilled : aa) Of calves : 11. Carcasses and half-carcasses 22. Separated or unseparated forequarters 33. Separated or unseparated hindquarters bb) Of adult animals : 11. Carcasses, half-carcasses or 'compensated' quarters : aaa) Carcasses of a weight of not less than 180 kg but not more than 270 kg and half-carcasses or 'compensated' quarters of a weight of not less than 90 kg but not more than 135 kg, with a low degree of ossification of the cartilages (more especially those of the symphysis pubis and the vertebral apophyses), the meat of which is of a light pink colour and the fat of which, of extremely fine structure, is white to light yellow in colour (b) bbb) Other 22. Forequarters : aaa) Of a weight of not less than 45 kg but not more than 68 kg, with a low degree of ossification of the cartilages (more especially those of the vertebral apophyses), the meat of which is of a light pink colour and the fat of which, of extremely fine structure, is white to light yellow in colour (b) bbb) Other	Net weight	
		87.856	87.856
		70.285	70.285
		105.427	105.427
		—	87.856
		87.856	87.856
		—	70.285
		70.285	70.285
		—	70.285
		70.285	70.285
		—	70.285
		70.285	70.285

(in u.s./100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Austria Sweden Switzerland	Other third countries
02.01 (cont'd)	33. Hindquarters :	Net weight	
	aaa) Of a weight of not less than 45 kg but not more than 68 kg (not less than 38 kg but not more than 61 kg in the case of 'Pistola' cuts), with a low degree of ossification of the cartilages (more especially those of the vertebral apophyses), the meat of which is of a light pink colour and the fat of which, of extremely fine structure, is white to light yellow in colour (b)	—	105-427
	bbb) Other	105-427	105-427
	cc) Other cuts of veal and beef :		
	11. Unboned (bone-in)	131-784	131-784
	22. Boned or boneless	150-742	150-742
02.06	Meat and edible meat offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked :		
	C. Other :		
	I. Of domestic bovine animals :		
	a) Meat : 1. Unboned (bone-in) 2. Boned or boneless	131-784 150-742	131-784 150-742

(¹) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 706/76, which provides that the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.

(a) Where these products are imported under the conditions set out in Article 11 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 and in the provisions adopted for its application, the levy applicable is either refunded or not collected in accordance with those provisions.

(b) Entry under this subheading is subject to the production of the certificate referred to in paragraph 2 (c) of Annex I to the trade agreement between the EEC and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1945/76

of 5 August 1976

altering components used to calculate the differential amounts for colza and rape seed

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1707/73⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72 of 20 July 1972 laying down special measures for colza and rape seed⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3477/73⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Articles 2(2) and 3 thereof;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 of 23 August 1973⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 632/75⁽⁶⁾, laid down detailed rules of application for Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72; whereas the components used to calculate the differential amounts were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1580/76⁽⁷⁾, as last

amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1880/76⁽⁸⁾; whereas in the case of the pound sterling and the Irish pound the difference referred to in Article 3(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72 for the period 28 July to 3 August 1976 has changed, by reference to the representative rate valid from 9 August 1976, by at least one point from the percentage used for the previous fixing; whereas this fact should be taken into account when fixing the components used to calculate the differential amounts for colza and rape seed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 1580/76 is hereby replaced by the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 9 August 1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 175, 29. 6. 1973, p. 5.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 167, 25. 7. 1972, p. 9.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 357, 28. 12. 1973, p. 6.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 236, 24. 8. 1973, p. 28.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 66, 13. 3. 1975, p. 11.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 172, 1. 7. 1976, p. 61.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 206, 31. 7. 1976, p. 46.

ANNEX

	Target price corrective (coefficient to be applied)	Subsidy or refund corrective (coefficient to be applied)	Differential component (coefficient to be applied to the target price) (*)	
1. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in Germany or ex- ported from that country :	+ 0.0750	— 0.0750	+	—
— harvested in Germany			—	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			—	0.0619
— harvested in France			—	0.1419
— harvested in Denmark			—	0.0750
— harvested in Ireland			—	0.2177
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	0.2440
— harvested in Italy			—	0.1399
2. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in the BLEU and in the Netherlands or re-exported from that country :	+ 0.0140	— 0.0140	+	—
— harvested in Germany			0.0659	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			—	—
— harvested in France			—	0.0853
— harvested in Denmark			—	0.0140
— harvested in Ireland			—	0.1661
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	0.1941
— harvested in Italy			—	0.0832
3. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in Denmark or exported from that country :	Nil	Nil	+	—
— harvested in Germany			0.0811	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			0.0142	—
— harvested in France			—	0.0723
— harvested in Denmark			—	—
— harvested in Ireland			—	0.1542
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	0.1827
— harvested in Italy			—	0.0701
4. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in France or exported from that country :	— 0.0779	+ 0.0779	+	—
— harvested in Germany			0.1653	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			0.0932	—
— harvested in France			—	—
— harvested in Denmark			0.0779	—
— harvested in Ireland			—	0.0883
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	0.1190
— harvested in Italy			0.0023	—

	Target price corrective (coefficient to be applied)	Subsidy or refund corrective (coefficient to be applied)	Differential component (coefficient to be applied to the target price) ⁽¹⁾	
5. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in the United Kingdom or exported from that country :	— 0.2235	+ 0.2235	+	—
— harvested in Germany			0.3227	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			0.2409	—
— harvested in France			0.1351	—
— harvested in Denmark			0.2235	—
— harvested in Ireland			0.0348	—
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	—
— harvested in Italy			0.1377	—
6. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in Ireland or exported from that country :	— 0.1823	+ 0.1823	+	—
— harvested in Germany			0.2782	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			0.1991	—
— harvested in France			0.0969	—
— harvested in Denmark			0.1823	—
— harvested in Ireland			—	—
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	0.0336
— harvested in Italy			0.1034	—
7. Colza and rape seed, processed for oil production in Italy or exported from that country :	— 0.0754	+ 0.0754	+	—
— harvested in Germany			0.1626	—
— harvested in the BLEU or in the Netherlands			0.0907	—
— harvested in France			—	0.0023
— harvested in Denmark			0.0754	—
— harvested in Ireland			—	0.0937
— harvested in the United Kingdom			—	0.1210
— harvested in Italy			—	—

⁽¹⁾ For seed harvested in the United Kingdom and Denmark, the accession compensatory amount shall be deducted from the target price.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1946/76

of 5 August 1976

fixing the export refunds on fruit and vegetables

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 795/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 30 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 30 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 provides that, to the extent necessary to allow economically significant quantities to be exported, the difference between prices in international trade and prices in the Community for the products referred to in that Article may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2518/69 of 9 December 1969 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on fruit and vegetables and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2455/72⁽⁴⁾, provides that, when refunds are being fixed, account must be taken of the current situation or foreseeable developments with regard to prices and availabilities of fruit and vegetables on the Community market on the one hand and prices in international trade on the other; whereas account must also be taken of the costs indicated in (b) of that Article and of the economic aspects of the proposed exports;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2518/69, when prices on the Community market are being determined account must be taken of the prices which are most favourable from the exportation point of view; whereas, when prices in international trade are being determined, the prices and quotations referred to in paragraph 2 of that Article must be taken into account;

Whereas the situation with regard to international trade or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for a given product according to the destination of that product;

Whereas tomatoes, fresh lemons and apples and peaches of the common quality standards 'Extra' Class, Class I and Class II, 'Extra' Class and Class I hothouse and open ground grapes, almonds, shelled hazelnuts, and shelled walnuts may at present be exported in economically significant quantities;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market of the prospective development of this situation, and in particular to quotations and prices for fruit and vegetables in the Community and in international trade that the refund should be fixed as indicated below;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Fruit and Vegetables,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The export refunds on fruit and vegetables are hereby fixed at the amounts indicated in the Annex.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 93, 8. 4. 1976, p. 6.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 318, 18. 12. 1969, p. 17.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 266, 25. 11. 1972, p. 7.

2. The provisions of Article 6 (1) (b) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 of 17 January 1975 laying down detailed rules for the application of export refunds in respect of agricultural products ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2818/75 ⁽²⁾, shall apply to exports of unshelled walnuts, shelled hazelnuts, apples and peaches set out in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August 1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 25, 31. 1. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 280, 31. 10. 1975, p. 31.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 fixing the export refunds on fruit and vegetables

(u.a./100 kg net)		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Refund
ex 07.01 M II	Tomatoes 'Extra' Class, Class I and Class II	4.00
ex 08.02 C	Fresh lemons ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II) for export to :	
	— Countries or States with a planned economy in central and eastern Europe	2.50
	— Other destinations	1.44
ex 08.04 A I	Table grapes :	
	— fresh, open ground 'Extra' Class and Class I	4.00
	— fresh, hothouse 'Extra' Class and Class I	16.00
ex 08.05 A II	Shelled almonds other than bitter almonds	8.00
ex 08.05 B	Walnuts unshelled	10.00
ex 08.05 G	Shelled hazelnuts	8.00
ex 08.06 A II	Apples ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II) other than cider apples :	
	— for export to Botswana, Lesotho, Swaziland, Zambia, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Kenya, Rwanda, Burundi, Uganda, Somalia, Madagascar, Comore Islands, Mauritius, Sudan, Ethiopia, the French territory of the Afars and Issas, the countries of the Arabian peninsula ⁽¹⁾ Iran and Iraq	7.00
	— for export to countries and territories of Africa other than those mentioned above and South Africa, Syria, Jordan, countries with a planned economy in central and eastern Europe, Bolivia, Brazil, Venezuela, Peru, Panama, Iceland, Finland, Norway and Sweden	3.00
ex 08.07 B	Peaches (excluding nectarins) 'Extra' Class, Class I and Class II	8.00

⁽¹⁾ For the purpose of this Regulation the 'countries of the Arabian peninsula' are considered to be the following, including the territories attached thereto : Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Qatar, Kuwait, the Sultanate of Oman, United Arab Emirates (Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Ajman, Ummal-Quaiwain, Fujairah, Ras Al Kaiman) Yemen Arab Republic (North Yemen) and the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen (South Yemen).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1947/76**of 5 August 1976****altering the rates of the refunds applicable to sugar and beet or cane syrups
exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organi-
zation of the market in sugar ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 1487/76 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the
first sentence of the sixth subparagraph of Article 19
(2) thereof,

Whereas the rates of the refunds applicable from 1
August 1976 to sugar, to beet or cane syrups and to
molasses exported in the form of goods not covered
by Annex II to the Treaty were fixed by Regulation
(EEC) No 1906/76 ⁽³⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and
criteria contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1906/76 to

the information at present available to the Commis-
sion that the export refunds at present in force should
be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The rates of refund fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
1906/76 for white sugar, raw sugar and beet or cane
syrups containing by weight in the dry state 98 % or
more of sucrose, exported in the form of goods listed
in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No
3330/74 are hereby altered as shown in the Annex to
this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August
1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 207, 31. 7. 1976, p. 45.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 altering the rates of the refunds applicable to sugar and beet or cane syrups exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

<i>Rate of refund in u.a./100 kg :</i>	White sugar :	6.10
	Raw sugar :	0
	Syrups of beet sugar or cane sugar containing, in the dry state, 98 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) :	$6.10 \times \frac{S}{100}^{(1)}$

⁽¹⁾ S represents the weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) in 100 kilogrammes of syrup.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1948/76
of 5 August 1976

on the supply of a first lot of skimmed-milk powder to the Italian intervention agency for use in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 563/76, and amending Regulation (EEC) No 789/76

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 563/76 of 15 March 1976 on the compulsory purchase of skimmed-milk powder held by intervention agencies for use in feedingstuffs⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 9 thereof,

Whereas Article 8 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 753/76 of 31 March 1976 laying down detailed rules for the sale of skimmed-milk powder for use in animal feed pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 563/76⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1926/76⁽³⁾, provides that, where the intervention agency of a Member State does not have the required quantity of skimmed-milk powder, it shall request the intervention agency of another Member State, in accordance with Article 8 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 563/76, to deliver that quantity to one of its warehouses; whereas the Italian intervention agency is in that position; whereas a first lot of 5 700 metric tons of skimmed-milk powder can be delivered to the Italian intervention agency by the German and French intervention agencies;

Whereas it is therefore necessary to lay down detailed rules as referred to in Article 8 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 753/76 and in particular to deal with the matter of transport; whereas, in view of the urgency of the matter, it seems appropriate that the charges in respect of this particular delivery be determined by means of private contracts;

Whereas, in order to ensure that undertakings established in Italy are supplied, it is necessary to maintain the power provided for in Article 8 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 753/76 and hence to amend accordingly Article 1 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 789/76 of 6 April 1976 on the supply of skimmed-milk powder from public stocks to undertakings in Italy for use in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 563/76⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In accordance with Article 8 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 753/76, the German and French intervention agencies shall deliver to the Italian intervention agency 5 700 metric tons of skimmed-milk powder bought in in accordance with Article 7 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68.

Article 2

1. Delivery shall be effected between 16 August and 3 September 1976 into the storage depots of the Italian intervention agency as set out in the Annex hereto.

2. Delivery shall be regarded as completed when the goods are actually deposited on the delivery ramp of the recipient storage depot.

From that time onwards, the Italian intervention agency shall be responsible for the goods.

Article 3

1. Delivery charges in respect of the skimmed-milk powder shall be determined by the supplying intervention agencies concerned by means of private contracts concluded on the cheapest terms available. Such charges shall cover the following:

- (a) loading of the goods from loading ramp;
- (b) carriage;
- (c) unloading in accordance with Article 2 (2);
- (d) insurance in accordance with the value of the goods as determined by their intervention price.

2. The supplying intervention agencies shall immediately send the Commission a copy of every contract as above concluded by them.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 18.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 88, 1. 4. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 210, 4. 8. 1976, p. 17.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 92, 7. 4. 1976, p. 15.

Article 4

1. On dispatch of the skimmed-milk powder to Italy a removal voucher issued by the intervention agency shall be produced at the customs office of departure. Such voucher shall be numbered and shall include particulars as follows:

- (a) a description of the product;
- (b) the number and type of packages, together with the marks and numbers borne by them;
- (c) the gross and net weight of the skimmed-milk powder;
- (d) a reference to this Regulation;
- (e) the address of the recipient storage depot of the Italian intervention agency.

Vouchers shall be retained by the customs office of departure.

2. The Community transit document accompanying the skimmed-milk powder shall, in addition to a description of goods and the address of the recipient storage depot of the Italian intervention agency contain one of the following endorsements:

'Zur Lieferung an die italienische Interventionsstelle (Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1948/76)';

'Destiné à être livré à l'organisme d'intervention italien (règlement (CEE) n° 1948/76)';

'Destinato ad essere fornito all'organismo d'intervento italiano (regolamento (CEE) n. 1948/76)'.

3. Where a new document is issued in place of the Community transit document applicable, the new

document shall contain the same information as the original document.

4. Where Regulation (EEC) No 304/71 is applied to the carriage of the products in question, the endorsements provided for in paragraphs 1 and 2 of this Regulation shall be made on the International Consignment Note (CIM) in the appropriate space headed 'Designation of the goods' or, as the case may be, on the International Express Parcels Consignment note (TIEx). Such endorsements shall be authenticated by the stamp of the customs office of departure.

Article 5

Save in case of *force majeure*, the supplying intervention agency shall pay the amount specified in Article 3 (1) only on receipt of a delivery certificate issued by the Italian intervention agency on delivery of the goods.

Article 6

In Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 789/76 the words 'Pending the taking of measures to implement Article 8 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 753/76' are replaced by the words: 'Without prejudice to any measures taken in implementation of Article 8 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 753/76'.

Article 7

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

Supplying intervention agency	Quantities to be delivered (in metric tons)		Recipient warehouse of the Italian intervention agency
	Total	Partial quantities	
EVSt-F	2 600	500	Sorpoma Italy SpA, Padova (Veneto)
		1 000	MAGA, Mangimi bilanciati, Benevaggenna (Cuneo) (Piemonte)
		700	Arsol SpA, Calenzano (Firenze) (Toscana)
		400	Miscela SpA, Albano S. Alessandro (Bergamo) (Lombardia)
FORMA	3 100	1 000	SpA F.lli Martini & Co., Budrio di Longiano (Forlì) (Romagna)
		400	Mosa, Via Dismano 450, S. Zaccaria di Ravenna (Ravenna)
		700	SAIG SpA, Giulianova (Teramo) (Abruzzi)
		1 000	SIMEN SpA, Castelplanio Scalo (Ancona) (Marche)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1949/76

of 5 August 1976

fixing the export refunds on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽¹⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 17 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 17 of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1431/76 of 21 June 1976 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on rice and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽²⁾, provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of rice and broken rice on the Community market on the one hand and prices for rice and broken rice on the world market on the other; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on the rice market and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports and the need to avoid disturbance of the Community market;

Whereas Regulation No 669/67/EEC⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1057/68⁽⁴⁾, lays down the maximum percentage of broken rice allowed in rice for which an export refund is fixed and specifies the percentage by which that refund is to be reduced where the proportion of broken rice in the rice exported exceeds that maximum;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1431/76 defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the export refund on rice and broken rice is being calculated;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for certain products according to destination;

Whereas the refund must be fixed at least once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in rice and in particular to quotations or prices for rice and broken rice within the Community and on the world market, that the refund, should be fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 with the exception of those listed in paragraph 1 (c) of that Article, exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August 1976.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 36.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 241, 5. 10. 1967, p. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 179, 25. 7. 1968, p. 31.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 fixing the export refunds on rice and broken rice

(u.s./metric ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Amount of refund
10.06	Rice : A. Paddy rice ; husked rice : I. II. Husked rice : a) Round grain — b) Long grain : for export to : — Austria, Switzerland and Liechtenstein 60.00 — Other third countries — B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice : I. Semi-milled rice : a) Round grain — b) Long grain — II. Wholly milled rice : a) Round grain 85.00 b) Long grain : for export to : — Austria, Switzerland and Liechtenstein as well as destinations mentioned in Article 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 ⁽¹⁾ 75.00 — Other third countries — C. Broken rice —	

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 25, 17. 1. 1975, p. 1.

N.B. If no amount is fixed for the refund, the corrective amount for such refund is not fixed.
The zones are those defined in Regulation (EEC) No 306/76 (OJ No L 38, 13. 2. 1976).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1950/76

of 5 August 1976

fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice⁽¹⁾, and in particular the
second subparagraph of Article 17 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary
Committee,

Whereas the first subparagraph of Article 17 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 provides that the
export refund applicable to rice and broken rice on
the day on which application for an export licence is
made, adjusted for the threshold price which will be
in force during the month of exportation, must be
applied on request to exports to be effected during the
period of validity of the licence;

Whereas Regulation No 474/67/EEC⁽²⁾, as amended
by Regulation (EEC) No 1397/68⁽³⁾, lays down
detailed rules for the advance fixing of the export
refund on rice and broken rice;

Whereas that Regulation provides that the refund
applicable on the day on which application for an
export licence is made must, when it is fixed in
advance, be reduced by an amount no greater than the
difference between the cif forward delivery price and
the cif price, where the former exceeds the latter by
more than 0.25 unit of account per metric ton;
whereas, on the other hand, the refund must be
increased by an amount no greater than the difference
between the cif price and the cif forward delivery
price, where the former exceeds the latter by more
than 0.25 unit of account per metric ton;

Whereas the cif price is that determined in accor-
dance with Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76, whereas the cif forward delivery price is that

determined in accordance with Article 3 (2) of Regula-
tion 1428/76⁽⁴⁾, based, in respect of each month for
which the export licence is valid, on the cif price
calculated on the basis of offers for shipment during
the month of exportation;

Whereas if the refund system is to operate normally,
refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in
relation to each other, at any given moment,
within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based
on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the
arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each
of these currencies recorded for a given period, in
relation to the Community currencies referred to
in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying all these provisions
that the corrective amount applicable on 6 August
1976 must be fixed as shown in the table annexed to
this Regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation
are in accordance with the opinion of the Manage-
ment Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 17 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 which is applicable to
the export refunds fixed in advance in respect of rice
and broken rice is hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August
1976.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No 204, 24. 8. 1967, p. 20.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 222, 10. 9. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 30.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

(u.a. / metric ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 8	1st period 9	2nd period 10	3rd period 11	4th period 12	5th period 1
10.06	Rice :						
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :						
	I. Paddy rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Husked rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :						
	I. Semi-milled rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Wholly milled rice :						
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C. Broken rice	—	—	—	—	—	—

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1951/76

of 5 August 1976

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1143/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 12 (4) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1815/76⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1928/76⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed differs from the average levy by more than 2.5 units of

account per metric ton of basic product; whereas, pursuant to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74⁽⁶⁾, the levies at present in force must therefore be altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75⁽⁷⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 832/76⁽⁸⁾, as fixed in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 1815/76, are hereby altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August 1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 130, 19. 5. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 202, 28. 7. 1976, p. 19.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 210, 4. 8. 1976, p. 19.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 100, 14. 4. 1976, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

CCT heading No	Levies in u.a./metric ton	
	Third countries (other than ACP and OCT)	ACP and OCT
11.02 B II a) ⁽²⁾	66.95	64.45
11.02 C I ⁽²⁾	80.04	77.54
11.02 D I ⁽²⁾	51.93	49.43
11.02 E II a) ⁽²⁾	92.23	87.23
11.02 F I ⁽²⁾	92.23	87.23
11.02 G I	41.35	36.35
11.07 A I a)	95.26	86.26
11.07 A I b)	73.45	64.45
11.08 A III	79.61	62.61
11.09 A	263.84	113.84

⁽²⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading 23.02 A, products falling within headings Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

- a starch content (determined by the modified Ewers polarimetric method), referred to dry matter, exceeding 45 % by weight
- an ash content, by weight, referred to dry matter (after deduction of any added minerals), not exceeding 1.6 % for rice, 2.5 % for wheat, 3 % for barley, 4 % for buckwheat, 5 % for oats and 2 % for other cereals.

Germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground, falls in all cases within heading No 11.02.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1952/76

of 5 August 1976

altering the basic amount of the import levy on syrups and certain other sugar products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1487/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the basic amount of the import levy on syrups and certain other sugar products was fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1873/76⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1915/76⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1873/76

to the information at present available to the Commission that the basic amount of the levy at present in force should be altered as shown in this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The basic amount of the import levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 is hereby fixed, per 100 kilogrammes of product, at 0.1188 unit of account per percentage point of sucrose content.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August 1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 206, 31. 7. 1976, p. 32.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 209, 3. 8. 1976, p. 8.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1953/76
of 5 August 1976
fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1487/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1564/76⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1941/76⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1564/76 to the information at present available to the Commis-

sion that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The levies referred to in Article 15 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 are, in respect of white sugar and standard quality raw sugar, hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 August 1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 172, 1. 7. 1976, p. 31.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 211, 5. 8. 1976, p. 24.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 5 August 1976 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

<i>(u.a./100 kg)</i>		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid:	
	A. White sugar	11.88
	B. Raw sugar	11.25 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 %; if the yield is other than 92 %, the levy applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1954/76
of 5 August 1976
subjecting to authorization imports into Denmark of synthetic socks originating
in Taiwan

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1439/74 of 4 June 1974 on common rules for imports⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 12 thereof,

Having consulted the Advisory Committee set up under Article 5 of the said Regulation,

Whereas imports into Denmark of synthetic socks corresponding to Nimexe code 60.03-27, originating in Taiwan, have increased sharply and in substantial proportions in the past few years with the result that imports have increased in that region of the Community from one million pairs in 1974 to more than 2.2 million pairs in the first five months of 1976;

Whereas these products are offered for sale in Denmark at prices which are substantially below those prevailing for similar goods produced by Community producers;

Whereas according to the information available to the Commission these imports already represented at the end of 1975 a share of the market in Denmark of 19 % and that they may occupy a market share of over 50 % in 1976;

Whereas this development has been carried out to the detriment of the Community industry, whose production has fallen considerably over the past few years with resultant employment problems;

Whereas all these factors have caused market disruption and have caused serious damage to the Community producers;

Whereas in view of the imports effected during recent months a further sharp and substantial increase in imports of these products may be considered to be imminent; whereas in the absence of immediate protective measures this aggravation of the damage already caused to Community producers would make it difficult to repair;

Whereas, for these reasons it is necessary to take immediate action to safeguard the interests of the

Community, this action to consist of the introduction in Denmark of measures to limit temporarily imports originating in Taiwan;

Whereas the concentration of imports of the products concerned on the Danish market justifies the limitation, for the moment, of the application of these safeguard measures to imports into those regions of the Community,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The importation into Denmark of stockings, other than knee-length stockings and women's stockings, under-stockings, socks and ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of synthetic fibres, corresponding to Nimexe code 60.03-27, originating in Taiwan, is hereby made subject to the presentation of an import authorization issued by the competent authorities of the importing country.

The total quantity of the products for which import authorizations shall be issued during the periods mentioned hereunder shall not exceed the following amounts:

- 1976: 3 430 000 pairs,
- 1977: 3 515 000 pairs.

The quantity indicated above for 1976 shall be reduced by the quantity imported into Denmark, originating in Taiwan, since 1 January 1976.

Article 2

1. This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

2. It shall apply up to the entry into force of appropriate measures to be taken by the Council in accordance with Articles 12 (6) and 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 1439/74 and at the latest until the expiry of a period of six weeks after its entry into force.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1976.

For the Commission
Christopher SOAMES
Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 159, 15. 6. 1974, p. 1.

CORRIGENDA**Corrigendum to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1785/76 of 22 July 1976 on the offering for sale of olive oil held by the Italian intervention agency**

(Official Journal of the European Communities, No L 199 of 24 July 1976)

Page 22, Article 5 (1):

for: '1 p.m. (Italian time)',

read: '2 p.m. (Italian time)'.

Corrigendum to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1910/76 of 30 July 1976 altering the monetary compensatory amounts

(Official Journal of the European Communities, No L 208 of 2 August 1976)

Page 24, Annex I, part 8, subheading 21.07 F V b), column 'France':

for: '42,79',

read: '43,79'.
