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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

**COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2426/76
of 4 October 1976**

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 on sparkling wines produced in the Community and specified in item 12 of Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 and Regulation (EEC) No 817/70 laying down special provisions relating to quality wines produced in specified regions

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament⁽¹⁾,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 of 18 November 1974 on sparkling wines produced in the Community and specified in item 12 of Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 816/70⁽²⁾ and Council Regulation (EEC) No 817/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down special provisions relating to quality wines produced in specified regions⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1161/76⁽⁴⁾, introduced rules for the production of sparkling wines with effect from 1 September 1975; whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2152/75 of 18 August 1975 on detailed rules for the application of Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 and Regulation (EEC) No 2894/74 in respect of sparkling wines⁽⁵⁾ laid down provisions permitting the marketing until 31 August 1976 of sparkling wines that do not conform to the new rules and which were produced before such rules became applicable;

Whereas large stocks of these sparkling wines were not marketed by 31 August 1976; whereas provision should be made for these stocks to be marketed until they are exhausted;

Whereas in order to render easier the control over stocks of sparkling wines produced before 1

September 1975, the Member States concerned must be allowed to provide that anyone holding stocks of the said sparkling wines must declare any quantities of 10 hectolitres or more to the competent authorities;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1160/76⁽⁶⁾ amended Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 laying down additional provisions for the common organization of the market in wine⁽⁷⁾; whereas the amendments include an extension of the dates given under Article 26a of Regulation (EEC) No 816/70;

Whereas the corresponding articles of both Regulation (EEC) No 817/70 and Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 should therefore be similarly amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Article 22 of Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 shall be replaced by the following:

Article 22

1. Sparkling wines within the meaning of item 12 of Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 for which proof can be supplied that they were produced before 1 September 1975 and which do not conform to the provisions of Titles I, II or III of this Regulation, may be marketed provided that they conform to the previous national provisions with regard to production.

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 17 September 1976 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 310, 21. 11. 1974, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 20.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 27.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 219, 19. 8. 1975, p. 7.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

2. Member States may provide that quantities of 10 hectolitres or more of sparkling wines referred to in paragraph 1 and prepared before 1 September 1975 shall be declared to the competent authorities.

3. Without prejudice to other national provisions of the producer Member States in respect of description, the sparkling wines referred to in paragraph 1 may not bear the term "quality sparkling wine".

Article 2

A new Article 17 reading as follows shall be inserted into Regulation (EEC) No 817/70 :

Article 17

1. Sparkling wines bearing the name of a specified region for which proof can be supplied that they were produced before 1 September 1975 but which do not conform to the provisions laid down in the fourth subparagraph of Article 1 may be marketed under this name and, where applicable, any of the specific expressions traditionally used which are referred to in Article 12 (2a), provided that they conform to the previous national provisions.

2. Member States may provide that quantities of 10 hectolitres or more of sparkling wines referred

to in paragraph 1 and prepared before 1 September 1975 shall be declared to the competent authorities.'

Article 3

1. In the second subparagraph of Articles 12 (1) and 16 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74, the date of 31 August 1976 is replaced by 28 February 1977.

2. In Articles 12 (2) and 16 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74, the date of 30 June 1976 is replaced by 31 December 1976.

Article 4

1. In the second subparagraph of Article 10b (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 817/70, the date of 31 August 1976 is replaced by 28 February 1977.

2. In Article 10b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 817/70, the date of 30 June 1976 is replaced by 31 December 1976.

Article 5

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1976.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 4 October 1976.

For the Council

The President

A. P. L. M. M. van der STEE

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2427/76

of 4 October 1976

amending Regulation (EEC) No 827/68 on the common organization of the market in certain products listed in Annex II to the Treaty

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽¹⁾,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions for the common organization of the market in wine ⁽²⁾ was amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1160/76 ⁽³⁾; whereas one such amendment excluded argol from the products controlled by Regulation (EEC) No 816/70;

Whereas this product must therefore be added to those listed in the Annex to Council Regulation (EEC) No 827/68 of 28 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in certain products listed in Annex II to the Treaty ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1067/74 ⁽⁵⁾,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The following product is hereby added to the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 827/68 in the numerical order of the Common Customs Tariff:

CCT heading No	Description of goods
23.05	Wine lees; argol: B. Argol

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1976.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 4 October 1976.

For the Council

The President

A. P. L. M. M. van der STEE

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 17 September 1976 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 120, 1. 5. 1974, p. 2.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2428/76
of 4 October 1976
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1163/76 on the granting of a conversion
premium in the wine sector

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community, and in particular Article 43
thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parlia-
ment⁽¹⁾,

Whereas the first indent of Article 3 (1) of Council
Regulation (EEC) No 1163/76 of 17 May 1976 on the
granting of a conversion premium in the wine
sector⁽²⁾, provides that applications for premiums
shall be lodged with the appointed departments by
the Member States by 1 September 1976 for the
1976/77 wine year; whereas a thorough examination
which could not be completed within a short period
of time had to be carried out before the detailed rules
for the application of the said Regulation could be
drawn up; whereas because of the delay in informing
those concerned of the implementing provisions the
time limit of 1 September 1976 should be deferred to
1 December 1976; whereas for the 1976/77 wine year
the deadline laid down for the grubbing up of vines
should consequently be deferred to 1 May 1977,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

In the first indent of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC)
No 1163/76, the date of 1 September 1976 is replaced
by 1 December 1976.

Article 2

The first indent of Article 3 (2) (b) of Regulation
(EEC) No 1163/76 is replaced by the following text :

— by 1 May 1977 in respect of the 1976/77 wine
year and by 1 April of the year following that
in which an application is lodged in respect of
the following wine years, he will grub up or
have grubbed up the vines on the areas for
which the premium has been requested,'.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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 Luxembourg, 4 October 1976.

For the Council

The President

A. P. L. M. M. van der STEE

(¹) Opinion delivered on 17 September 1976 (not yet
published in the Official Journal).

(²) OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 34.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2429/76
of 4 October 1976

amending Annex III B to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 as regards the conversion factor applicable to long-finned tunny

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 of 19 January 1976 on the common organization of the market in fishery products⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 29 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the conversion factor of 1.25 applicable to long-finned tunny and set out in Annex III B to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 no longer corresponds to the actual difference between, amongst others, the producer price for long-finned tunny and that for yellow-finned tunny weighing not more than 10 kilograms each; whereas, in addition, the prices of long-finned tunny vary in relation to the weight of the product in question; whereas, therefore, different coefficients should be fixed according to weight,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The text of Annex III B to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 is replaced by the following:

'B. Conversion factors applicable to the various species of tunny

	<i>Conversion factor</i>
Yellow-finned tunny:	
weighing not more than 10 kg each ⁽¹⁾	1
weighing more than 10 kg each ⁽¹⁾	1.10
Long-finned tunny:	
weighing not more than 10 kg each ⁽¹⁾	1.60
weighing more than 10 kg each ⁽¹⁾	1.25
Other species	0.70

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1977.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 4 October 1976.

For the Council

The President

A. P. L. M. M. van der STEE

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 20, 28. 1. 1976, p. 1.

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2430/76
of 6 October 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 7 October
1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 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 6 October 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	68.82
10.01 B	Durum wheat	117.12 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	52.93 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	31.77
10.04	Oats	28.98
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	44.16 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	45.83 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	48.44 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Canary seed; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	107.38
11.01 B	Rye flour	85.12
11.02 A I a	Durum wheat groats and meal	192.24
11.02 A I b	Common wheat groats and meal	115.64

⁽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 2431/76**of 6 October 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 7 October
1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 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 6 October 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 10	1st period 11	2nd period 12	3rd period 1
10.01 A	Common wheat and meslin	0	0	0	0
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0	0	0
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	0.59
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	0.78	0.78	0
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	1.54	1.54	0.20
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0	0	0
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 10	1st period 11	2nd period 12	3rd period 1	4th period 2
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 2432/76
of 6 October 1976
fixing the import levies 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 Article
11 (2) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice
were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 2137/76 ⁽²⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2368/76 ⁽³⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2137/76
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 table annexed to
this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on the products listed
in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 are hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 7 October
1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 240, 1. 9. 1976, p. 5.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 268, 1. 10. 1976, p. 5.

to the Commission Regulation of 6 October 1976 fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

(²) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 706/76 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'.

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2433/76
of 6 October 1976**

fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies 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 Article
13 (6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on
rice and broken rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC)
No 2138/76 ⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 2369/76 ⁽³⁾;

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 table annexed to this Regula-
tion,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The premiums to be added to the import levies fixed
in advance in respect of rice and broken rice are
hereby fixed as shown in the table annexed to this
Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 7 October
1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 240, 1. 9. 1976, p. 8.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 268, 1. 10. 1976, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 6 October 1976 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on rice and broken rice

(u.a. / metric ton)

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

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2434/76
of 6 October 1976

fixing the refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in the natural state

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 the first sentence of the last subparagraph of Article 19 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 19 of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1)(a) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 766/68 of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1489/76⁽⁴⁾, provides that when refunds on white and raw sugar, undenatured and exported in the natural state, are being fixed account must be taken of the situation on the Community and world markets in sugar and in particular of the price and cost factors set out in Article 3 of that Regulation; whereas the same Article provides that the economic aspect of the proposed exports should also be taken into account;

Whereas the refund on raw sugar must be fixed in respect of the standard quality; whereas the latter is defined in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 431/68 of 9 April 1968 determining the standard quality for raw sugar and fixing the Community frontier crossing point for calculating cif prices for sugar⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas, furthermore, this refund should be fixed in accordance with Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 766/68; whereas candy sugar is defined in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 394/70 of 2 March 1970 on detailed rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽⁶⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1499/76⁽⁷⁾;

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

Whereas, in special cases, the amount of the refund may be fixed by other legal means;

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 the refund must be fixed every two weeks; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules to the present situation on the market in sugar and in particular to quotations or prices for sugar within the Community and on the world market that the refund should be fixed at the amounts 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 Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74, undenatured and exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed at the amounts shown in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 7 October 1976.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 13.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 89, 10. 4. 1968, p. 3.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 50, 4. 3. 1970, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 29.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 6 October 1976 fixing the refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in the natural state

(unit/100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Refund
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid :	
	A. White sugar	8.50
	B. Raw sugar :	
	(a) Candy sugar	10.67 ⁽¹⁾
	(b) Other raw sugar	7.80 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 % ; if the yield is other than 92 %, the refund applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 5 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 766/68.

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2435/76
of 6 October 1976**

authorizing the acidification of certain wine-growing products in zone C I a

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
816/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provi-
sions for the common organization of the market in
wine⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No
1167/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 20 (4) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 20 (2), in years when
climatic conditions have been exceptional, acidifica-
tion of fresh grapes, grape must, grape must in
fermentation and new wine still in fermentation may
be authorized in certain wine-growing zones;

Whereas an initial examination of the harvest reveals
that in the French departments of wine-growing zone
C I a, there is a lack of acidity caused by the abnormal
weather over the last few months, namely the excep-

tional amount of sunshine and the lack of rain;
whereas it is necessary to make use of the abovementioned option for that zone;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The acidification of fresh grapes, grape must, grape
must in fermentation and new wine still in fermenta-
tion shall be authorized in wine-growing zone C I a.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 42.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2436/76
of 6 October 1976

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on waste of man-made fibres, not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning, falling within heading No 56.03, originating in Yugoslavia, to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3004/75 of 17 November 1975 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3004/75 of 17 November 1975 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain textile products originating in developing countries⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) and (4) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to 166 % of the sum arrived at by adding together the value of the products in question, in metric tons, imported into the Community in 1968 and coming from countries listed in Annex B to that Regulation, but not including products coming from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the 1970 metric tonnage of such imports coming from other countries and from countries already covered by such arrangements; whereas, having regard to that ceiling, the amounts for products originating in any one of the countries listed in Annex B to that Regulation should be within a maximum Community amount representing 50 % of that ceiling, with the exception of certain products for which the maximum amount is to be reduced to the percentage indicated in Annex A to that Regulation; whereas, for those products, this reduced percentage will be 30 %;

Whereas Article 2 (2) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time in respect of imports of the products in question originating in any of the said countries once the relevant Community maximum amount has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of waste of man-made fibres not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning,

falling within heading No 56.03, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 1 654 metric tons, and therefore the maximum amount is 496.2 metric tons; whereas on 27 September 1976 the amounts of imports into the Community of waste of man-made fibres not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning, falling within heading No 56.03, originating in Yugoslavia, a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that maximum amount; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3004/75 which provides that maximum amounts should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question in relation to Yugoslavia,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 10 October 1976 the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3004/75 of 17 November 1975, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in Yugoslavia:

CCT heading No	Description of goods
56.03	Waste (including yarn waste and pulled or garnetted rags) of man-made fibres (continuous or discontinuous), not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning

Article 2

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, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 310, 29. 11. 1975, p. 24.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2437/76

of 6 October 1976

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on other sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of cotton, falling within subheading 62.03 B ex II, originating in developing countries to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75 of 17 November 1975 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75 of 17 November 1975 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain cotton textile and like products originating in developing countries⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to 166 % of the sum arrived at by adding together the metric tonnage of the products in question, imported into the Community in 1968 and coming from countries listed in Annex B to that Regulation, but not including products coming from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the 1970 metric tonnage of such arrangements; whereas Article 2 (1) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time once the Community ceiling has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of other sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of cotton, falling within subheading 62.03 B ex II, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 307 metric tons; whereas on 30 September 1976 the amounts of imports into the Community of the products in question, originating in countries covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that ceiling; whereas, bearing

in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75, which provides that the ceiling should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

As from 10 October 1976 customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75 of 17 November 1975, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community :

CCT heading No	Description of goods
62.03	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods : B. Of other textile materials : ex II. Other : — Of cotton

Article 2

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, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 310, 29. 11. 1975, p. 9.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2438/76

of 6 October 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 organi-
zation 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 organiza-
tion 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 2346/76⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 2411/76⁽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 there-
fore 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 2346/76, are hereby
altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regula-
tion.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 7 October
1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 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 265, 29. 9. 1976, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 272, 5. 10. 1976, p. 8.

⁽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 6 October 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
07.06 A	5.55 ⁽¹⁾	4.05 ⁽¹⁾⁽⁵⁾
11.01 C ⁽²⁾	60.49	55.49
11.02 A III ⁽²⁾	60.49	55.49
11.02 B I a) 1 ⁽²⁾	51.83	49.33
11.02 B I b) 1 ⁽²⁾	51.83	49.33
11.02 C III ⁽²⁾	82.08	77.08
11.02 D III ⁽²⁾	33.95	31.45
11.02 E I a) 1 ⁽²⁾	33.95	31.45
11.02 E I b) 1 ⁽²⁾	66.66	61.66
11.02 F III ⁽²⁾	60.49	55.49
11.06 A	8.05	2.55 ⁽⁵⁾
11.07 A II a)	63.88 ⁽⁴⁾	54.88
11.07 A II b)	50.00	41.00
11.07 B	56.79 ⁽⁴⁾	47.79

⁽¹⁾ This levy is limited to 6 % of the value for customs purposes.

⁽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.

⁽⁴⁾ In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2755/75 this levy is reduced by 0.45 u.a./100 kg for products originating in Turkey.

⁽⁵⁾ In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 706/76 the levy shall not be charged on the following products originating in the countries and territories:

- arrow-root falling within sub-heading ex 07.06 A
- flours and meal of arrow-root falling within subheadings ex 11.06 A, ex 11.06 B I and II
- arrow-root starch falling within sub-heading ex 11.08 A V.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2439/76
of 6 October 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 2422/76⁽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 7 October 1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 October 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 273, 6. 10. 1976, p. 14.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 6 October 1976 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

(t.u.t./100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid:	
	A. White sugar	17.37
	B. Raw sugar	16.82 ⁽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.

CORRIGENDA

**Corrigendum to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1290/76 of 1 June 1976 temporarily
suspending the autonomous Common Customs Tariff duties on certain industrial
products**

(Official Journal of the European Communities, No L 145 of 3 June 1976)

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for: 'ex 29.15 C III Dibenzyl phenylmalonate',

read: 'ex 29.15 C III Benzyl phenylmalonates'.
