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I

(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2441/77**of 7 November 1977****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 1386/77⁽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 1729/77⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending
Regulations ;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1729/77 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 8 November
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 November 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 191, 30. 7. 1977, p. 5.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 November 1977 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal

(u.a./tonne)		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levies
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	81.54
10.01 B	Durum wheat	120.38 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	67.73 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	73.66
10.04	Oats	60.30
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	73.51 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	53.93 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	71.98 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	125.35
11.01 B	Rye flour	106.01
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	197.47
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	134.85

⁽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./tonne.

⁽²⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the French overseas departments, the levy is reduced by 6 u.a./tonne 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./tonne.

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

⁽⁵⁾ Where durum 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./tonne.

⁽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 1180/77 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2442/77**of 7 November 1977****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 1386/77 ⁽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
1730/77 ⁽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 8 November
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 November 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 191, 30. 7. 1977, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 November 1977 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 11	1st period 12	2nd period 1	3rd period 2
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
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	0	0	0
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0.72	0.72	3.61
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0	0	0
10.07 D	Other cereals	0	0	0	0
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	0	0	0	0

B. Malt

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 11	1st period 12	2nd period 1	3rd period 2	4th period 3
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 2443/77
of 7 November 1977
fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds

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⁾, and in particular Article 27 (4) thereof,

Whereas the amount of the subsidy referred to in
Article 27 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC was fixed by
Regulation (EEC) No 1443/77⁽³⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2407/77⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1443/77

to the information at present available to the Commis-
sion that the amount of the subsidy at present in force
should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regu-
lation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The amount of the subsidy referred to in Article 27 of
Regulation No 136/66/EEC is hereby fixed as shown
in the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 November
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 November 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

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

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 175, 29. 6. 1973, p. 5.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 161, 1. 7. 1977, p. 31.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 279, 1. 11. 1977, p. 43.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 November 1977 fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds

Subsidy applicable from 8 November 1977 to colza and rape seeds (CCT heading No ex 12.01) and sunflower seeds (CCT heading No ex 12.01) (u.a./100 kg)

	Colza and rape seed	Sunflower seed
Subsidy	9.540	11.766
Subsidy in the case of advance fixing :		
— for the month of November 1977	9.540	11.766
— for the month of December 1977	10.043	12.361
— for the month of January 1978	10.347	12.636
— for the month of February 1978	11.240	13.067
— for the month of March 1978	11.508	—
— for the month of April 1978	11.641	—

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2444/77

of 7 November 1977

fixing the world market price 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 markets 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⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 of 23 August 1973 laying down detailed rules for applying differential amounts for colza and rape seed and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 1464/73⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1234/77⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 9 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73, the Commission must determine the world market price for colza and rape seed;

Whereas the world market price should be determined in accordance with the rules and the criteria set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1443/77 of 30 June 1977 fixing the amount of the subsidy on

oil seeds⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2443/77⁽⁸⁾;

Whereas, to enable the price system to operate normally, the world market price 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, applying all these provisions, the world market price for colza and rape seed should be fixed as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The world market price referred to in Article 9 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 and the rates to be used for converting them into national currencies shall be as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 November 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 November 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽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 143, 10. 6. 1977, p. 9.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 161, 1. 7. 1977, p. 31.

⁽⁸⁾ See page 5 of this Official Journal.

ANNEX

World market price applicable from 8 November 1977 for colza and rape seed (CCT heading No ex 12.01)

	u.a./100 kg ⁽¹⁾
World market price	19.902
World market price where the subsidy is fixed in advance :	
— for the month of November 1977	19.902
— for the month of December 1977	19.703
— for the month of January 1978	19.703
— for the month of February 1978	19.114
— for the month of March 1978	19.150
— for the month of April 1978	19.017

⁽¹⁾ The conversion rates from units of account into national currency as foreseen by Article 9 (5) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 are the following :

1 u.a. = DM	3.15665
1 u.a. = Fl	3.35507
1 u.a. = Bfr/Lfr	48.6572
1 u.a. = FF	6.70205
1 u.a. = Dkr	8.56656
1 u.a. = £	0.772559
1 u.a. = I £	0.772559
1 u.a. = Lit	1 215.12

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2445/77
of 7 November 1977
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 1110/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1436/77⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2439/77⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1436/77 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 8 November 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 November 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 161, 1. 7. 1977, p. 9.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 282, 5. 11. 1977, p. 13.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 November 1977 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

<i>(unit/100 kg)</i>		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid :	
	A. White sugar	26.21
	B. Raw sugar	22.15 ⁽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.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 October 1977

fixing the maximum amount of the export refund for the 13th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued under Regulation (EEC) No 1634/77

(77/685/EEC)

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 1110/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 19 (4) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1634/77 of 19 July 1977 on a standing invitation to tender to determine export refunds for white sugar⁽³⁾ requires partial invitations to tender to be issued for the export of this sugar;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 4 (3) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 766/68 of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1489/76⁽⁵⁾, the maximum amount of the refund is fixed for partial invitations to tender within three working days following the expiry of the time limit for the submission of tenders;

Whereas, when the maximum amount of the refund is being calculated, account must be taken of the supply situation and prices within the Community, prices and potential outlets on the world market and costs incurred in exporting sugar;

Whereas, following an examination of the tenders submitted in response to the 13th partial invitation to tender, the provisions set out in Article 1 should be adopted;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum amount of the export refund for the 13th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued under Regulation (EEC) No 1634/77 is hereby fixed at 23.150 units of account per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 26 October 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 181, 21. 7. 1977, p. 35.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 13.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 October 1977

specifying the extent to which applications lodged during the month of October 1977 for import licences in respect of young male bovine animals for fattening may be accepted

(77/686/EEC)

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 425/77⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 13 (4) (a) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2120/77
of 26 September 1977⁽³⁾ fixed the quantity of young
male bovine animals which may be imported on
special terms during the fourth quarter of 1977;
whereas, having regard to the applications for import
licences lodged by each of the categories of applicant
referred to in that Decision, such licences should be
issued as provided below;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision
are in accordance with the opinion on the Manage-
ment Committee for Beef and Veal,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Import licences for young male bovine animals for
fattening in respect of which applications were lodged
between 1 and 10 October 1977 shall be issued as
follows:

- (a) the quantities requested in Italy:
 - (aa) by agricultural producers or their organiza-
tions shall be allocated in full,
 - (bb) by other applicants shall be reduced by
66.08 %;
- (b) the quantities requested in the other Member
States shall be allocated in full.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 26 October 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 247, 28. 9. 1977, p. 15.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 October 1977

on the reimbursement by the Guidance Section of the EAGGF to the French Republic of aid granted to recognized producer groups in the hop sector during 1976

(Only the French text is authentic)

(77/687/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 729/70 of 21 April 1970 on the financing of the common agricultural policy⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2788/72⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (1) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1696/71 of 26 July 1971 on the common organization of the market in hops⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1170/77⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 17 (3) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 879/73 of 26 March 1973 on the granting and reimbursement of aid accorded by the Member States to recognized producer groups in the hop sector⁽⁵⁾, and in particular Article 14 thereof,

Whereas the French Republic has made an application for reimbursement in connection with all its expenditure incurred in respect of aids granted during 1976;

Whereas this application is in accordance with the provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1460/73 of 16 May 1973 on applications for reimbursement of aid granted by the Member States to recognized groups of hop producers⁽⁶⁾ and with the provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1010/73 of 13 April 1973 defining the administrative costs of recognized groups of hop producers⁽⁷⁾;

Whereas an examination of the information provided shows that aids amounting to FF 628 208·28 (113 105·30 u.a.) were paid under the conditions laid down in Articles 8 and 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1696/71 and its detailed rules of application; whereas the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund should therefore reimburse 50 % of FF 628 208·28 (Article 9), i.e. FF 314 104·14 (56 552·65 u.a.);

Whereas the EAGGF Committee has been consulted on the financial aspects and in particular as to the funds available,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The contribution by the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund towards the expenditure incurred by the French Republic during 1976 in respect of aids granted to recognized producer groups in the hop sector shall be FF 314 104·14 (56 552·65 u.a.).

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 27 October 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(¹) OJ No L 94, 28. 4. 1970, p. 13.

(²) OJ No L 295, 30. 12. 1972, p. 1.

(³) OJ No L 175, 4. 8. 1971, p. 1.

(⁴) OJ No L 137, 3. 6. 1977, p. 7.

(⁵) OJ No L 86, 31. 3. 1973, p. 26.

(⁶) OJ No L 145, 2. 6. 1973, p. 1.

(⁷) OJ No L 100, 14. 4. 1973, p. 32.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 October 1977

fixing the maximum export refund on barley in connection with the invitation
to tender issued in Regulation (EEC) No 1931/77

(77/688/EEC)

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 1386/77⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general
rules for granting export refunds on cereals and
criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾, and
in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No
1931/77 of 26 August 1977 on an invitation to tender
for the refund for the export of barley to Zones I, II,
III, IV and VI⁽⁴⁾,

Whereas in Regulation (EEC) No 1931/77 an invita-
tion to tender was issued for the export refund on
barley; whereas, according to the notice of invitation
to tender⁽⁵⁾ accompanying that Regulation, the total
quantity in respect of which the export refund may be
fixed is approximately 700 000 tonnes;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regula-
tion (EEC) No 279/75 of 4 February 1975 laying
down detailed rules for the application of the system
of tendering for export refunds on cereals⁽⁶⁾, the
Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in
Article 26 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, may
decide to fix a maximum export refund; whereas in
fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Arti-

cles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 must be
taken into account; whereas a contract is awarded to
any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the
maximum export refund;

Whereas the application of the abovementioned
criteria to the current market situation for the cereal
in question results in the maximum export refund
being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1;
whereas the quantities of barley in respect of which
refunds are fixed amount to 86 500 tonnes;

Whereas the Management Committee for Cereals has
not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by
its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum export refund on barley is hereby fixed
on the basis of the tenders submitted by 27 October
1977 at 62.00 units of account per tonne.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 27 October 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

(3) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

(4) OJ No L 219, 27. 8. 1977, p. 5.

(5) OJ No C 207, 30. 8. 1977, p. 7.

(6) OJ No L 31, 5. 2. 1975, p. 8.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 October 1977

**authorizing the United Kingdom to permit temporarily the marketing of seed
not complying with requirements of Council Directive 66/402/EEC**

(77/689/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 66/402/EEC of 14
June 1966 on the marketing of cereal seed ⁽¹⁾, as last
amended by Council Directive 75/444/EEC ⁽²⁾, and in
particular Article 17 thereof,

Having regard to the request made by the United
Kingdom,

Whereas in the United Kingdom the production of
common wheat (winter wheat) seed complying with
requirements of the said Directive has been insuffi-
cient in 1977 and is not adequate to supply the needs
of that country;

Whereas it has not been possible to cover these needs
immediately by 'certified seed' from other Member
States or even from third countries, meeting all the
requirements laid down in the said Directive;

Whereas the United Kingdom should therefore be
authorized to permit, for a period expiring on 15
November 1977, the marketing of seed of the above-
mentioned species of a category subject to less strin-
gent requirements;

Whereas it also appears desirable to authorize other
Member States which are able to supply the United
Kingdom with this seed not complying with require-
ments of the Directive to permit the marketing of
such seed provided that it is intended exclusively for
the United Kingdom;

Whereas the Standing Committee on Seed and Propa-
gating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Fore-
stry has not delivered an opinion within the time
limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The United Kingdom is authorized to permit for a
period expiring on 15 November 1977 the marketing

on its territory of common wheat seed (*Triticum
aestivum* L.) — winter wheat — up to a maximum of
13 000 tonnes of the categories 'Certified seed of the
first generation' or 'Certified seed of the second gener-
ation' subject to less stringent requirements with
regard to minimum germination capacity laid down
in Annex II to Council Directive 66/402/EEC
provided that the following requirements are satisfied:

- (a) the germination capacity is at least 80 % of pure
seed;
- (b) the official label shall bear the supplementary indi-
cation :
 - 'minimum germination 80 %',
 - 'intended exclusively for the United Kingdom'.

Article 2

The other Member States are authorized to permit,
subject to the conditions laid down in Article 1, the
marketing in their territories of a maximum of 13 000
tonnes of common wheat (winter wheat) seed provided
that such seed is intended exclusively for the United
Kingdom.

The official label shall state: 'Intended exclusively for
the United Kingdom'.

Article 3

The Member States shall notify the Commission
before 31 March 1978 of the quantities of seed
marketed in their territories pursuant to this Decision.
The Commission shall inform the other Member
States thereof.

Article 4

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 27 October 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2309/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 196, 26. 7. 1975, p. 6.

COMMISSION DECISION**of 28 October 1977****determining the extent to which applications lodged in the month of October 1977 for the issue of import licences in respect of frozen beef intended for processing may be accepted**

(77/690/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,*Article 1*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 425/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (4) (a) thereof,

1. Every application for an import licence lodged in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 597/77 for the quarter beginning 1 October 1977 shall be granted to the extent of the following quantities expressed as bone-in beef :

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2121/77 of 26 September 1977⁽³⁾ fixed the quantities of frozen beef intended for processing which may be imported under special terms in the fourth quarter of 1977 ;

- (a) 5.8 tonnes for meat intended for the manufacture of preserved foods which do not contain characteristic components other than beef and jelly ;
- (b) 22.9 tonnes for meat intended for the processing industry for the manufacture of products other than the preserved foods referred to in (a).

Whereas Article 11 (4) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 585/77 of 18 March 1977 on the system of import and export licences for beef and veal⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1384/77⁽⁵⁾, lays down that licences may be reduced ; whereas the applications lodged, in conformity with the conditions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 597/77 of 18 March 1977 laying down detailed rules for the application of special import arrangements for certain types of frozen beef intended for processing⁽⁶⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1384/77, relate to total quantities which far exceed the quantities available in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2121/77 ; whereas under these circumstances and taking care to ensure an equitable distribution of the available quantities, it is appropriate to satisfy each application up to a maximum quantity for the systems referred to in Article 14 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 ;

2. In conformity with Article 11 (5) of Regulation (EEC) No 585/77 all applications from any one applicant shall be regarded as a single application.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 October 1977.

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Beef and Veal,

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 1.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 247, 28. 9. 1977, p. 16.⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 75, 23. 3. 1977, p. 5.⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 157, 28. 6. 1977, p. 16.⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 76, 24. 3. 1977, p. 1.