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**COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 639/79
of 29 March 1979
extending the 1978/79 marketing year for beef and veal**

THE COUNCIL 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 4 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas it has become necessary to reconsider all the
matters bearing on the fixing of prices for the coming
year, which will involve delay in the fixing of these

prices; whereas it is accordingly necessary to extend
the 1978/79 marketing year for beef and veal until 1
July 1979,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The 1978/79 marketing year for beef and veal shall
end on 1 July 1979 and the 1979/80 marketing year
shall commence on 2 July 1979.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 April
1979.

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

Done at Brussels, 29 March 1979.

For the Council

The President

P. MEHAIGNERIE

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 26.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 1.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 640/79**of 29 March 1979****extending the 1978/79 milk year and amending Regulations (EEC) No 880/77
and (EEC) No 1078/77**

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 Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1761/78⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 2 and 12 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1078/77 of 17 May 1977 introducing a system of premiums for the non-marketing of milk and milk products and for the conversion of dairy herds⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1041/78⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 13 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament⁽⁵⁾,

Whereas it has not been possible to fix the prices valid for the 1979/80 milk year in time; whereas it is therefore necessary to extend the 1978/79 milk year;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 880/77 of 26 April 1977 on the granting of a consumer subsidy for butter⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1040/78⁽⁷⁾, provides for special financing arrangements applicable until 31 March 1979 in respect of the subsidy granted in the United Kingdom; whereas, following the extension of the current milk year, provision should be made to extend until the end of the 1978/79 milk year these special financing arrangements which, as regards the subsidy of 18 units of account per 100 kilograms actually granted in the United Kingdom, are in accordance with Article 3 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 729/70 of 21 April 1970 on the financing of the common agricultural

policy⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2788/72⁽⁹⁾;

Whereas, under Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1078/77, the measures provided for in that Regulation are to apply until 31 March 1979; whereas, pursuant to Article 13 of the said Regulation, the Commission has proposed to the Council that the measures be maintained; whereas, pending the adoption or otherwise of this proposal, the period of validity of Regulation (EEC) No 1078/77 should be extended until the end of the 1978/79 milk year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The 1978/79 milk year shall end on 1 July 1979 and the 1979/80 milk year shall begin on 2 July 1979.

Article 2

In point (d) of the second subparagraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 880/77, the words 'during the period 1 January to 31 March 1979' are replaced by 'during the period from 1 January 1979 until the end of the 1978/79 milk year'.

Article 3

In Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1078/77, the second sentence is replaced by the following:

'The measures provided for in this Regulation shall apply until the end of the 1978/79 milk year.'

Article 4

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 April 1979.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 204, 28. 7. 1978, p. 6.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 131, 26. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 134, 22. 5. 1978, p. 9.

⁽⁵⁾ Opinion delivered on 15 March 1979 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 106, 29. 4. 1977, p. 31.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 134, 22. 5. 1978, p. 7.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 94, 28. 4. 1970, p. 13.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 295, 30. 12. 1972, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 29 March 1979.

For the Council

The President

P. MEHAIGNERIE

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 641/79**of 29 March 1979****amending Regulation (EEC) No 2967/76 laying down common standards for the water content of frozen and deep-frozen chickens, hens and cocks**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in poultrymeat⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 369/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 2 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the implementation of the control measures provided for in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2967/76 of 23 November 1976 laying down common standards for the water content of frozen and deep-frozen chickens, hens and cocks⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2238/78⁽⁴⁾, is causing administrative difficulties; whereas the entry into application of such measures should therefore be postponed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. In the second subparagraph of Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2967/76, the date '1 February 1980' shall be replaced by '1 November 1980'.
2. In the third paragraph of Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2967/76, the date '1 December 1979' shall be replaced by '1 September 1980'.
3. In the second paragraph of Article 10 of Regulation (EEC) No 2967/76, the date '1 April 1979' shall be replaced by '1 January 1980'.

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, 29 March 1979.

For the Council

The President

P. MEHAIGNERIE

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 77.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 45, 21. 2. 1976, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 339, 8. 12. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 272, 28. 9. 1978, p. 1.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 642/79

of 29 March 1979

fixing the flat-rate production aid and the guide price for certain dried fodder products for the period 1 April to 30 June 1979

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 Council Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 of 22 May 1978 on the common organization of the market in dried fodder ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Articles 3 (3), 4 (1) and (3), and 5 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽²⁾,

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 stipulates that the level of the fixed production aid for dried fodder must be such as to bring about an improvement in the Community's protein supplies;

Whereas, under Article 4 of the same Regulation, a guide price must be set for certain dried fodder products at a level that is fair to producers; whereas this price must be set for a standard quality representative of the average quality of dried fodder produced in the Community;

Whereas, under Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78, the supplementary aid provided for in paragraph 1 of that Article must be equal to a percentage of the difference between the guide price and the average world market price for the products in question; whereas in view of the characteristics of the market in question the percentage should be set at 70 % for the products referred to in Article 1 (b), first indent, and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 and at 40 % for the products referred to in the second indent of Article 1 (b) of that Regulation;

Whereas it has proved necessary to reconsider all the problems relating to the fixing of prices for the 1979/80 marketing year, which will involve delay in the fixing of these prices; whereas it is therefore necessary to fix the production aid and the guide

price for those dried fodder products for which the marketing year expires on 31 March 1979, for the period 1 April to 30 June 1979,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the period 1 April to 30 June 1979, the flat-rate production aid provided for in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 shall be five units of account per tonne for the products referred to in Article 1 (b) and (c) of the said Regulation.

Article 2

1. For the period 1 April to 30 June 1979, the guide price for the products referred to in the first indent of Article 1 (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 shall be 103 units of account per tonne.

2. This price refers to a product with:

- a moisture content of 11 %,
- a total gross protein content of 18 % of the dry weight.

Article 3

For the period 1 April to 30 June 1979, the percentages to be used to calculate the supplementary aid referred to in Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 shall be:

- 70 % for the products referred to in Article 1 (b), first indent, and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78,
- 40 % for the products referred to in the second indent of paragraph (b) of that Article.

Article 4

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 April 1979.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 142, 30. 5. 1978, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ Opinion delivered on 15 March 1979 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

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

Done at Brussels, 29 March 1979.

For the Council

The President

P. MEHAIGNERIE
