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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 222/2002
of 7 February 2002
establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 of 21 December 1994 on detailed rules for the application of the import arrangements for fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1498/98 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 4(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 lays down, pursuant to the outcome of the Uruguay Round multilateral trade negotiations, the criteria whereby the Commission fixes the standard values for imports from third countries, in respect of the products and periods stipulated in the Annex thereto.

- (2) In compliance with the above criteria, the standard import values must be fixed at the levels set out in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The standard import values referred to in Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 shall be fixed as indicated in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 337, 24.12.1994, p. 66.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 198, 15.7.1998, p. 4.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

(EUR/100 kg)

CN code	Third country code ⁽¹⁾	Standard import value
0702 00 00	052	101,7
	204	75,8
	212	110,5
	999	96,0
0707 00 05	052	148,3
	628	178,8
	999	163,6
0709 90 70	052	186,5
	204	148,5
	999	167,5
0805 10 10, 0805 10 30, 0805 10 50	052	53,3
	204	51,5
	212	45,0
	220	43,6
	508	22,3
	624	85,5
	999	50,2
0805 20 10	052	64,1
	204	77,6
	999	70,8
0805 20 30, 0805 20 50, 0805 20 70, 0805 20 90	052	68,0
	204	37,0
	220	59,3
	464	138,7
	600	105,2
	624	88,7
	999	82,8
0805 50 10	052	57,3
	220	43,6
	600	46,5
	999	49,1
0808 10 20, 0808 10 50, 0808 10 90	060	37,3
	400	118,9
	404	92,1
	720	111,2
	728	111,7
	999	94,2
0808 20 50	388	109,6
	400	98,5
	528	105,1
	999	104,4

⁽¹⁾ Country nomenclature as fixed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2020/2001 (OJ L 273, 16.10.2001, p. 6). Code '999' stands for 'of other origin'.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 223/2002**of 7 February 2002****fixing the representative prices and the additional import duties for molasses in the sugar sector**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 of 19 June 2001 on the common organisation of the market in sugar ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 of 23 June 1995 laying down detailed rules of application for imports of molasses in the sugar sector and amending Regulation (EEC) No 785/68 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 1(2) and Article 3(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 stipulates that the cif import price for molasses, hereinafter referred to as the 'representative price', should be set in accordance with Commission Regulation (EEC) No 785/68 ⁽³⁾. That price should be fixed for the standard quality defined in Article 1 of the above Regulation.
- (2) The representative price for molasses is calculated at the frontier crossing point into the Community, in this case Amsterdam; that price must be based on the most favourable purchasing opportunities on the world market established on the basis of the quotations or prices on that market adjusted for any deviations from the standard quality. The standard quality for molasses is defined in Regulation (EEC) No 785/68.
- (3) When the most favourable purchasing opportunities on the world market are being established, account must be taken of all available information on offers on the world market, on the prices recorded on important third-country markets and on sales concluded in international trade of which the Commission is aware, either directly or through the Member States. Under Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 785/68, the Commission may for this purpose take an average of several prices as a basis, provided that this average is representative of actual market trends.
- (4) The information must be disregarded if the goods concerned are not of sound and fair marketable quality or if the price quoted in the offer relates only to a small

quantity that is not representative of the market. Offer prices which can be regarded as not representative of actual market trends must also be disregarded.

- (5) If information on molasses of the standard quality is to be comparable, prices must, depending on the quality of the molasses offered, be increased or reduced in the light of the results achieved by applying Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 785/68.
- (6) A representative price may be left unchanged by way of exception for a limited period if the offer price which served as a basis for the previous calculation of the representative price is not available to the Commission and if the offer prices which are available and which appear not to be sufficiently representative of actual market trends would entail sudden and considerable changes in the representative price.
- (7) Where there is a difference between the trigger price for the product in question and the representative price, additional import duties should be fixed under the conditions set out in Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95. Should the import duties be suspended pursuant to Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95, specific amounts for these duties should be fixed.
- (8) Application of these provisions will have the effect of fixing the representative prices and the additional import duties for the products in question as set out in the Annex to this Regulation.
- (9) 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 representative prices and the additional duties applying to imports of the products referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 are fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 178, 30.6.2001, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 141, 24.6.1995, p. 12.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 145, 27.6.1968, p. 12.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 fixing the representative prices and additional import duties to imports of molasses in the sugar sector

(in EUR)

CN code	Amount of the representative price in 100 kg net of the product in question	Amount of the additional duty in 100 kg net of the product in question	Amount of the duty to be applied to imports in 100 kg net of the product in question because of suspension as referred to in Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 ⁽²⁾
1703 10 00 ⁽¹⁾	8,60	—	0
1703 90 00 ⁽¹⁾	13,50	—	0

⁽¹⁾ For the standard quality as defined in Article 1 of amended Regulation (EEC) No 785/68.

⁽²⁾ This amount replaces, in accordance with Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95, the rate of the Common Customs Tariff duty fixed for these products.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 224/2002**of 7 February 2002****fixing the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in its unaltered state**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 of 19 June 2001 on the common organisation of the markets in the sugar sector ⁽¹⁾, and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 27(5) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Article 27 of Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 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.

(2) Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 provides that when refunds on white and raw sugar, undenatured and exported in its unaltered 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 28 of that Regulation. The same Article provides that the economic aspect of the proposed exports should also be taken into account.

(3) The refund on raw sugar must be fixed in respect of the standard quality. The latter is defined in Annex I, point II, to Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001. Furthermore, this refund should be fixed in accordance with Article 28(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001. Candy sugar is defined in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2135/95 of 7 September 1995 laying down detailed rules of application for the grant of export refunds in the sugar sector ⁽²⁾. The refund thus calculated for sugar containing added flavouring or colouring matter must apply to their sucrose content and, accordingly, be fixed per 1 % of the said content.

(4) The world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for sugar according to destination.

(5) In special cases, the amount of the refund may be fixed by other legal instruments.

(6) The refund must be fixed every two weeks. It may be altered in the intervening period.

(7) It follows from applying the rules set out above 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 as set out in the Annex hereto.

(8) Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 does not make provision to continue the compensation system for storage costs from 1 July 2001. This should accordingly be taken into account when fixing the refunds granted when the export occurs after 30 September 2001.

(9) 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 export refunds on the products listed in Article 1(1)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001, undenatured and exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed to the amounts shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 178, 30.6.2001, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 214, 8.9.1995, p. 16.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission
 Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 fixing the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in its unaltered state

Product code	Destination	Unit of measurement	Amount of refund
1701 11 90 9100	A00	EUR/100 kg	37,53 ⁽¹⁾
1701 11 90 9910	A00	EUR/100 kg	37,53 ⁽¹⁾
1701 11 90 9950	A00	EUR/100 kg	⁽²⁾
1701 12 90 9100	A00	EUR/100 kg	37,53 ⁽¹⁾
1701 12 90 9910	A00	EUR/100 kg	37,53 ⁽¹⁾
1701 12 90 9950	A00	EUR/100 kg	⁽²⁾
1701 91 00 9000	A00	EUR/1 % of sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080
1701 99 10 9100	A00	EUR/100 kg	40,80
1701 99 10 9910	A00	EUR/100 kg	40,80
1701 99 10 9950	A00	EUR/100 kg	40,80
1701 99 90 9100	A00	EUR/1 % of sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080

⁽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 19(4) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001.

⁽²⁾ Fixing suspended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2689/85 (OJ L 255, 26.9.1985, p. 12), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3251/85 (OJ L 309, 21.11.1985, p. 14).

NB: The product codes and the 'A' series destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 (OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1) as amended.

The numeric destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2020/2001 (OJ L 273, 16.10.2001, p. 6).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 225/2002**of 7 February 2002****fixing the maximum export refund for white sugar for the 26th partial invitation to tender issued within the framework of the standing invitation to tender provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1430/2001**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 of 19 June 2001 on the common organisation of the markets in the sugar sector ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 27(5) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1430/2001 of 13 July 2001 on a standing invitation to tender to determine levies and/or refunds on exports of white sugar ⁽²⁾ for the 2001/2002 marketing year, requires partial invitations to tender to be issued for the export of this sugar.
- (2) Pursuant to Article 9(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1430/2001 a maximum export refund shall be fixed, as the case may be, account being taken in particular of the state and foreseeable development of the Community and world markets in sugar, for the partial invitation to tender in question.

(3) Following an examination of the tenders submitted in response to the 26th partial invitation to tender, the provisions set out in Article 1 should be adopted.

(4) 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

For the 26th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1430/2001 the maximum amount of the export refund is fixed at 43,811 EUR/100 kg.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 178, 30.6.2001, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 192, 14.7.2001, p. 3.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 226/2002
of 7 February 2002
fixing export refunds on fruit and vegetables

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 2200/96 of 28 October 1996 on the common organisation of the market in fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 911/2001 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 35(3) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1961/2001 ⁽³⁾ lays down detailed rules on export refunds on fruit and vegetables.
- (2) Article 35(1) of Regulation (EC) No 2200/96, provides that, to the extent necessary for economically significant quantities of the products listed in that Article to be exported, the difference between the international market prices for those products and their prices in the Community may be covered by export refunds.
- (3) Article 35(4) of Regulation (EC) No 2200/96 provides that refunds must be fixed in the light of the existing situation or the outlook for fruit and vegetable prices on the Community market and supplies available on the one hand, and prices on the international market on the other hand. Account must also be taken of the costs referred to in Article 35(4)(b) of that Regulation and of the economic aspect of the exports planned.
- (4) Pursuant to Article 35(1) of Regulation (EC) No 2200/96, refunds are to be set with due regard to the limits resulting from agreements concluded in accordance with Article 300 of the Treaty.
- (5) In accordance with Article 35(5) of Regulation (EC) No 2200/96, prices on the Community market are to be established in the light of the most favourable prices from the export standpoint. International trade prices are to be established in the light of the prices referred to in the second subparagraph of that paragraph.

- (6) The international trade situation or the special requirements of certain markets may call for the refund on a given product to vary according to its destination.
- (7) Tomatoes, lemons, oranges and apples of classes Extra, I and II of the common trading standards can currently be exported in economically significant quantities.
- (8) The application of the abovementioned rules to the present and forecast market situation, and in particular to fruit and vegetable prices in the Community and international trade, gives the refund rates set out in the Annex hereto.
- (9) Pursuant to Article 35(2) of Regulation (EC) No 2200/96, the resources available should be used as efficiently as possible while avoiding discrimination between traders. Therefore, care should be taken not to disturb the trade flows previously induced by the refund arrangements. For those reasons and because of the seasonal nature of exports of fruit and vegetables, quotas should be fixed for each product.
- (10) Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2556/2001 ⁽⁵⁾, establishes an agricultural product nomenclature for export refunds.
- (11) Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1291/2000 ⁽⁶⁾, lays down common detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences and advance fixing certificates for agricultural products.
- (12) Owing to the market situation, in order to make the most efficient use of the resources available and given the structure of Community exports, the most appropriate method should be selected for export refunds on certain products and certain destinations and consequently refunds under the A 1, A 2 and A 3 licence arrangements referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1961/2001 should not be fixed simultaneously for the export period in question.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 297, 21.11.1996, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 129, 11.5.2001, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 268, 9.10.2001, p. 8.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 348, 31.12.2001, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 152, 24.6.2000, p. 1.

- (13) The quantities laid down for the various products should be distributed in accordance with the different systems for the grant of the refund, taking account in particular of their perishability.
- (14) The Management Committee for fresh Fruit and Vegetables has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

2. Quantities covered by licences issued for food aid as referred to in Article 16 of Regulation (EC) No 1291/2000 shall not count against the eligible quantities covered by the Annex.

3. Without prejudice to the application of Article 5(6) of Regulation (EC) No 1961/2001, the term of validity of A 2 and A 3 licences shall be two months.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The export refunds on fruit and vegetables shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 March 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 fixing the export refunds on fruit and vegetables

Product code	Destination	System							
		A1 Application periods 8.3 to 7.5.2002		A2 Application periods 8 to 11.3.2002		A3 Application periods 8 to 11.3.2002		B Application periods 15.3 to 14.5.2002	
		Refund amount (EUR/t net weight)	Scheduled quantity (t)	Indicative refund amount (EUR/t net weight)	Scheduled quantity (t)	Indicative refund amount (EUR/t net weight)	Scheduled quantity (t)	Indicative refund amount (EUR/t net weight)	Scheduled quantity (t)
0702 00 00 9100	F08	16		16	5 786			16	10 952
0805 10 10 9100 0805 10 30 9100 0805 10 50 9100	A00	29				29	24 586	29	55 256
0805 30 10 9100	A00	16				16	9 838	16	19 236
0808 10 20 9100 0808 10 50 9100 0808 10 90 9100	F04, F09	15				15	3 622	15	7 244

NB: The product codes and the 'A' series destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 (OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1) as amended.

The numeric destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2020/2001 (OJ L 273, 16.10.2001, p. 6).

The other destinations are defined as follows:

F04 Sri Lanka, Hong Kong SAR, Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, Taiwan, Papua New Guinea, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam, Uruguay, Paraguay, Argentina, Mexico, Costa Rica and Japan.

F08 All destinations except Slovakia, Latvia, Lithuania and Bulgaria.

F09 Norway, Iceland, Greenland, Faeroe Islands, Poland, Hungary, Romania, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Slovenia, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro), Malta, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Ukraine, destinations referred to in Article 36 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 800/1999, African countries and territories except South Africa, countries of the Arabian Peninsula (Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman, United Arab Emirates (Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Ajman, Umm al Qalwain, Ras al Khaimah, Fujairah), Kuwait, Yemen), Syria, Iran, Jordan, Bolivia, Brazil, Venezuela, Peru, Panama, Ecuador and Colombia.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 227/2002**of 7 February 2002****setting export refunds on products processed from fruit and vegetables other than those granted for added sugar**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

resulting from agreements concluded in accordance with Article 300 of the Treaty.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 2201/96 of 28 October 1996 on the common organisation of the market in products processed from fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2699/2000 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 16(3),

Whereas:

(1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1429/95 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1962/2001 ⁽⁴⁾, sets implementing rules for export refunds on products processed from fruit and vegetables.

(2) Article 16(1) of Regulation (EC) No 2201/96 states that, to the extent necessary to permit exports in economically significant quantities of the products referred to in Article 1(1)(a) of that Regulation, on the basis of prices for those products in international trade, the difference between those prices and prices in the Community may be covered by export refunds; Article 18(4) of Regulation (EC) No 2201/96 provides that, if the refund on sugar incorporated into the products listed in Article 1(1) is insufficient to allow export of the products, the refund fixed in accordance with Article 17 is to be applicable to those products.

(3) Article 17(2) of Regulation (EC) No 2201/96 states that refunds must be fixed with regard to the existing situation and outlook for prices for products processed from fruit and vegetables on the Community market and supply availability, on the one hand, and prices in international trade on the other hand. Account must also be taken of the costs indicated at (b) in that paragraph and of the economic aspect of the envisaged exports.

(4) Refunds are, pursuant to Article 16(1) of Regulation (EC) No 2201/96, to be set with due regard to the limits

(5) Article 17(3) of Regulation (EC) No 2201/96 states that prices on the Community market are to be determined taking account of those most favourable from the exportation standpoint; whereas international trade prices are to be determined account taken of the prices indicated in the second subparagraph of that paragraph.

(6) The international trade situation or the special requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund on a given product depending on the destination of that product.

(7) Economically significant exports can be made at the present time of provisionally preserved cherries, peeled tomatoes, preserved cherries, prepared hazelnuts and some orange juices.

(8) Application of the rules mentioned above to the present and forecast market situation, in particular to prices of products processed from fruit and vegetables in the Community and in international trade, leads to the refund rates set in the Annex hereto.

(9) Pursuant to Article 16(2) of Regulation (EC) No 2201/96, the most efficient possible use should be made of the resources available without creating discrimination between traders. Therefore, care should be taken not to disturb the trade flows previously induced by the refund arrangements.

(10) Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2556/2001 ⁽⁶⁾, establishes an agricultural product nomenclature for export refunds.

(11) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1291/2000 ⁽⁷⁾ lays down common detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences and advance fixing certificates for agricultural products.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 297, 21.11.1996, p. 29.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 311, 12.12.2000, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 141, 24.6.1995, p. 28.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 268, 9.10.2001, p. 19.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 348, 31.12.2001, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 152, 24.6.2000, p. 1.

- (12) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Products Processed from Fruit and Vegetables,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The export refund rates in the processed fruit and vegetables sector shall be those fixed in the Annex hereto.
2. Quantities for which licences are issued in the context of food aid, as referred to in Article 16 of Regulation (EC) No 1291/2000 shall not count against the eligible quantities referred to in the first paragraph.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 22 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 setting export refunds on products processed from fruit and vegetables other than those granted for added sugar

Product code	Destination code	Licence issuing period: March to June 2002	
		Period for submission of applications: from 22 February to 21 June 2002	
		Refund rate (EUR/t net)	Quantities provided (in t)
0812 10 00 9100	F06	50	2 853
2002 10 10 9100	F10	45	42 477
2006 00 31 9000 2006 00 99 9100	F06	153	287
2008 19 19 9100 2008 19 99 9100	A00	59	344
2009 11 99 9110 2009 19 99 9110	A00	5	300
2009 11 99 9150 2009 19 99 9150	A00	29	301

NB: The product codes and the 'A' series destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 (OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1) as amended.

The numeric destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2020/2001 (OJ L 273, 16.10.2001, p. 6).

The other destinations are defined as follows:

F06 All destinations except the countries of North America,

F10 All other destinations except the United States of America, Slovakia, Latvia and Bulgaria.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 228/2002
of 7 February 2002
amending Regulation (EC) No 713/2001 on the purchase of beef under Regulation (EC) No 690/2001

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1254/1999 of 17 May 1999 on the common organisation of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2345/2001 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 690/2001 of 3 April 2001 on special market support measures in the beef sector ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 2595/2001 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 2(2),

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 690/2001 provides in its Article 2(2) in particular for the opening or the suspension of tendering for purchase of beef depending on the average market prices for the reference class during the two most recent weeks with price quotations preceding the tender.

- (2) The application of Article 2 referred to above results in the opening of purchase by tender in a number of Member States. Commission Regulation (EC) No 713/2001 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 97/2002 ⁽⁶⁾, on the purchase of beef under Regulation (EC) No 690/2001 should be amended accordingly.

- (3) Since this Regulation should be applied immediately it is necessary to provide for its entry into force on the day of its publication,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EC) No 713/2001 is replaced by the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 160, 26.6.1999, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 315, 1.12.2001, p. 29.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 95, 5.4.2001, p. 8.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 345, 29.12.2001, p. 33.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 100, 11.4.2001, p. 3.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 17, 19.1.2002, p. 41.

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Estado miembro

Medlemsstat

Mitgliedstaat

Κράτος μέλος

Member State

État membre

Stati membri

Lidstaat

Estado-Membro

Jäsenvaltiot

Medlemsstat

Belgique/België

Deutschland

Österreich

Nederland

España

France

Finland

Luxembourg

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 229/2002**of 7 February 2002****amending the rates of the refunds applicable to certain products from the sugar sector exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 of 19 June 2001 on the common organisation of the markets in the sugar sector⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 27(5)(a) and (15) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The rates of the refunds applicable from 1 February 2002 to the products listed in the Annex, exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty, were fixed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 189/2002⁽²⁾.

- (2) It follows from applying the rules and criteria contained in Regulation (EC) No 189/2002 to the information at present available to the Commission that the export refunds at present applicable should be altered as shown in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The rates of refund fixed by Regulation (EC) No 189/2002 are hereby altered as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Erkki LIIKANEN

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 altering the rates of the refunds applicable to certain products in the sugar sector exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty

Product	Rate of refund in EUR/100 kg	
	In case of advance fixing of refunds	Other
White sugar:	40,80	40,80

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 178, 30.6.2001, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 31, 1.2.2002, p. 46.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 230/2002
of 7 February 2002
amending the export refunds on syrups and certain other sugar sector products exported in the
natural state

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001 of 19 June 2001 on the common organisation of the markets in the sugar sector ⁽¹⁾, and in particular the third indent of Article 27(5) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The refunds on syrups and certain other sugar products were fixed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 184/2002 ⁽²⁾.
- (2) It follows from applying the rules, criteria and other provisions contained in Regulation (EC) No 184/2002 to the information at present available to the Commission

that the export refunds at present in force should be altered as shown in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The refunds to be granted on the products listed in Article 1(1)(d), (f) and (g) of Regulation (EC) No 1260/2001, exported in the natural state, as fixed in the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 184/2002 are hereby altered to the amounts shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 178, 30.6.2001, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 31, 1.2.2002, p. 34.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 2002 altering the export refunds on syrups and certain other sugar products exported in the natural state

Product code	Destination	Unit of measurement	Amount of refund
1702 40 10 9100	A00	EUR/100 kg dry matter	40,80 ⁽²⁾
1702 60 10 9000	A00	EUR/100 kg dry matter	40,80 ⁽²⁾
1702 60 80 9100	A00	EUR/100 kg dry matter	77,52 ⁽⁴⁾
1702 60 95 9000	A00	EUR/1 % sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080 ⁽¹⁾
1702 90 30 9000	A00	EUR/100 kg dry matter	40,80 ⁽²⁾
1702 90 60 9000	A00	EUR/1 % sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080 ⁽¹⁾
1702 90 71 9000	A00	EUR/1 % sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080 ⁽¹⁾
1702 90 99 9900	A00	EUR/1 % sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽³⁾
2106 90 30 9000	A00	EUR/100 kg dry matter	40,80 ⁽²⁾
2106 90 59 9000	A00	EUR/1 % sucrose × net 100 kg of product	0,4080 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ The basic amount is not applicable to syrups which are less than 85 % pure (Regulation (EC) No 2135/95). Sucrose content is determined in accordance with Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 2135/95.

⁽²⁾ Applicable only to products referred to in Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 2135/95.

⁽³⁾ The basic amount is not applicable to the product defined under point 2 of the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3513/92 (OJ L 355, 5.12.1992, p. 12).

⁽⁴⁾ Applicable only to products defined under Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 2135/95.

NB: The product codes and the 'A' series destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 (OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1) as amended.

The numeric destination codes are set out in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2020/2001 (OJ L 273, 16.10.2001, p. 6).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 231/2002**of 7 February 2002****fixing the maximum export refund on common wheat in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 943/2001**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organisation of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1666/2000 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 of 29 June 1995 laying down certain detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 on the granting of export refunds on cereals and the measures to be taken in the event of disturbance on the market for cereals ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 602/2001 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) An invitation to tender for the refund on exportation of common wheat to all third countries with the exclusion of Poland was opened pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 943/2001 ⁽⁵⁾.
- (2) Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 provides that the Commission may, on the basis of the tenders notified, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 23 of Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92, decide to fix

a maximum export refund taking account of the criteria referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1501/95. In that case a contract is awarded to any tenderer whose bid is equal to or lower than the maximum refund.

- (3) 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.
- (4) 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

For tenders notified from 1 to 7 February 2002, pursuant to the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 943/2001, the maximum refund on exportation of common wheat shall be EUR 0,00/t.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 193, 29.7.2000, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 147, 30.6.1995, p. 7.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 89, 29.3.2001, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 133, 16.5.2001, p. 3.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 232/2002
of 7 February 2002
fixing the maximum export refund on barley in connection with the invitation to tender issued in
Regulation (EC) No 1558/2001

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organisation of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1666/2000 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 of 29 June 1995 laying down certain detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 on the granting of export refunds on cereals and the measures to be taken in the event of disturbance on the market for cereals ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 602/2001 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) An invitation to tender for the refund for the export of barley to all third countries except for the United States of America and Canada was opened pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1558/2001 ⁽⁵⁾.
- (2) Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 provides that the Commission may, on the basis of the tenders notified, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 23 of Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92, decide to fix

a maximum export refund taking account of the criteria referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1501/95. In that case a contract is awarded to any tenderer whose bid is equal to or lower than the maximum refund.

- (3) 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.
- (4) 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

For tenders notified from 1 to 7 February 2002, pursuant to the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 1558/2001, the maximum refund on exportation of barley shall be EUR 0,00/t.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 193, 29.7.2000, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 147, 30.6.1995, p. 7.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 89, 29.3.2001, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 205, 31.7.2001, p. 33.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 233/2002
of 7 February 2002
concerning tenders notified in response to the invitation to tender for the export of rye issued in
Regulation (EC) No 1005/2001

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organisation of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1666/2000 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 of 29 June 1995 laying down certain detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 on the granting of export refunds on cereals and the measures to be taken in the event of disturbance on the market for cereals ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 602/2001 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 7 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) An invitation to tender for the refund for the export of rye to all third countries was opened pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1005/2001 ⁽⁵⁾.
- (2) Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 allows the Commission to decide, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 23 of Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92

and on the basis of the tenders notified, to make no award.

- (3) On the basis of the criteria laid down in Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1501/95 a maximum refund should not be fixed.
- (4) 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

No action shall be taken on the tenders notified from 1 to 7 February 2002 in response to the invitation to tender for the refund for the export of rye issued in Regulation (EC) No 1005/2001.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 193, 29.7.2000, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 147, 30.6.1995, p. 7.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 89, 29.3.2001, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 140, 24.5.2001, p. 10.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 234/2002**of 7 February 2002****fixing the maximum reduction in the duty on maize imported in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 9/2002**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organisation of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1666/2000⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 12(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) An invitation to tender for the maximum reduction in the duty on maize imported into Spain was opened pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 9/2002⁽³⁾.
- (2) Pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 1839/95⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2235/2000⁽⁵⁾, the Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in Article 23 of Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92, may decide to fix maximum reduction in the import duty. In fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Articles 6 and 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1839/95 must be taken into account. A contract is awarded to any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the maximum reduction in the duty.

(3) The application of the abovementioned criteria to the current market situation for the cereal in question results in the maximum reduction in the import duty being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1.

(4) 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

For tenders notified from 1 to 7 February 2002, pursuant to the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 9/2002, the maximum reduction in the duty on maize imported shall be 24,87 EUR/t and be valid for a total maximum quantity of 35 000 tonnes.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 193, 29.7.2000, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 3, 5.1.2002, p. 29.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 177, 28.7.1995, p. 4.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 256, 10.10.2000, p. 13.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 235/2002**of 7 February 2002****fixing the maximum reduction in the duty on maize imported in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 30/2002**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organisation of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1666/2000⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 12(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) An invitation to tender for the maximum reduction in the duty on maize imported into Portugal was opened pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 30/2002⁽³⁾.
- (2) Pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 1839/95⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2235/2000⁽⁵⁾, the Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in Article 23 of Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92, may decide to fix maximum reduction in the import duty. In fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Articles 6 and 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1839/95 must be taken into account. A contract is

awarded to any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the maximum reduction in the duty.

- (3) The application of the abovementioned criteria to the current market situation for the cereal in question results in the maximum reduction in the import duty being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1.
- (4) 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

For tenders notified from 1 to 7 February 2002, pursuant to the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EC) No 30/2002, the maximum reduction in the duty on maize imported shall be 22,99 EUR/t and be valid for a total maximum quantity of 38 000 t.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 193, 29.7.2000, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 6, 10.1.2002, p. 35.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 177, 28.7.1995, p. 4.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 256, 10.10.2000, p. 13.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COUNCIL

DECISION No 6/2001 OF THE EU-LATVIA ASSOCIATION COUNCIL

of 24 July 2001

establishing the financial contribution of Latvia for participation in the Socrates II and Youth programmes in the years 2001 to 2006

(2002/101/EC)

THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL,

Having regard to the Europe Agreement establishing an Association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Latvia, of the other ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 109 thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Decision No 2/2000 of 27 July 2000 of the EU-Latvia Association Council ⁽²⁾ adopted the terms and conditions for the participation of the Republic of Latvia in the second phase of the Leonardo da Vinci and Socrates programmes, and it applies for the duration of these programmes.

(2) Decision No 5/2000 of 7 November 2000 of the EU-Latvia Association Council ⁽³⁾ adopted the terms and conditions for the participation of the Republic of Latvia

in the Youth programme, and it applies for the duration of this programme.

(3) Annex II, point 2 of Decision No 2/2000, and Annex II, point 1 of Decision No 5/2000 provide that the financial contribution to be paid by Latvia to the budget of the European Union to participate in the Socrates II and Youth programmes respectively in the years 2001 to 2006 will be decided by the Association Council in the course of the year 2000,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The financial contribution to be paid by Latvia to the budget of the European Union to participate in the Socrates II programme in the years 2001 to 2006 shall be the following:

(in euro)

2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
1 002 000	1 027 000	1 050 000	1 078 000	1 111 000	1 153 000

Article 2

The financial contribution to be paid by Latvia to the budget of the European Union to participate in the Youth programme in the years 2001 to 2006 shall be the following:

(in euro)

2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
533 000	565 000	598 000	627 000	658 000	698 000

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 26, 2.2.1998, p. 3.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 236, 20.9.2000, p. 22.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 293, 22.11.2000, p. 9.

Article 3

PHARE funds shall be requested according to the following schedule:

— for the financial contribution to the Socrates II programme, the following yearly amounts:

(in euro)

2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
381 000	370 000	357 000	345 000	333 000	323 000

— for the financial contribution to the Youth programme, the following yearly amounts:

(in euro)

2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
203 000	203 000	203 000	201 000	197 000	195 000

The remaining part of Latvia's contribution shall be covered from the Latvian State budget.

Article 4

This Decision shall enter into force the day of its adoption by the Association Council.

Done at Brussels, 24 July 2001.

For the Association Council

The President

I. BĒRZIŅŠ

DECISION No 7/2001 OF THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AND THEIR MEMBER STATES, OF THE ONE PART, AND THE REPUBLIC OF LATVIA, OF THE OTHER PART,

of 2 October 2001

on improvements to the trade arrangements provided for processed agricultural products in Protocol 2 to the Europe Agreement

(2002/102/EC)

THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL,

Having regard to the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Latvia, of the other part ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Articles 1 and 2 of Protocol 2 ⁽²⁾ thereto,

Whereas:

- (1) Protocol 2 lays down the trade arrangements in processed agricultural products between the Community and Latvia.
- (2) Under Article 1(2) of Protocol 2, the Association Council is to decide, in particular, on any amendment of the duties mentioned in Annexes I and II to the Protocol and on any increase or abolition of tariff quotas mentioned therein.
- (3) Under the second indent of Article 2 of Protocol 2, the Association Council may also decide that the duties applied may be reduced in response to reductions resulting from mutual concessions relating to processed agricultural products.
- (4) The annual quotas provided for in Annexes I and II to this Decision should be opened for the year 2001. In view of the fact that these annual quotas may be opened only after 1 January 2001, on a date to be fixed, they should be reduced on a pro rata basis according to the period already elapsed,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annexes I and II to Protocol 2 on the trade between the Community and Latvia in processed agricultural products shall be replaced by Annexes I and II appearing in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

The annual quotas for the year 2001 provided for in Annexes I and II appearing in the Annex to this Decision shall be reduced on a pro rata basis taking into account the period, based on whole months, already elapsed.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following its adoption.

Done at Brussels, 2 October 2001.

For the Association Council

The President

I. BĒRZIŅŠ

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 26, 2.2.1998, p. 3.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 317, 10.12.1999, p. 33.

ANNEX

ANNEX I

Table 1

Quotas applicable upon import into the Community of goods originating in Latvia

CN code	Description	Annual quota (1 000 kg)	Rate of duty applicable within the quota
		2001 and after	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 1704 90	Other sugar confectionery; excluding liquorice extract falling within CN code 1704 90 10	1 000	Exemption
1806 31 1806 32 1806 90	Chocolate confectionary	2 000	
1901 90 11 1901 90 19 1901 90 99	Food preparations	560	
1905 30	Biscuits	560	
2105 00	Ice cream	1 000	
2106 90 98	Other food preparations not elsewhere specified or included	1 600	
2402 20 90	Cigarettes containing tobacco	1 000 million pieces	15 % of MFN

Table 2

Duties applicable upon import into the Community of goods originating in Latvia

Note: The duties set out in this table are subject to a reduction by 10 %. The amounts taken into consideration in calculating the reduced agricultural components (EAR) and additional duties (AD S/ZR and AD F/MR), applicable on importation into the Community of goods listed in this table, are those set out in Table 2(b) (from 1.7.2000) of Annex I of Commission Regulation (EC) No 2204/1999 of 12 October 1999 (OJ L 278, 28.10.1999, pp. 775-787) ⁽¹⁾

CN code	Description	Duties applied from 1.7.2000
(1)	(2)	(3)
0403	Buttermilk, curdled milk and cream, yogurt, kephir and other fermented or acidified milk and cream, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa:	
0403 10	– Yoghurt:	
	– – Flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa:	
	– – – In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a milk fat content, by weight:	
0403 10 51	– – – – Not exceeding 1,5 %	8,3 % + EUR 95/100 kg
0403 10 53	– – – – Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	8,3 % + EUR 130,4/100 kg
0403 10 59	– – – – Exceeding 27 %	8,3 % + EUR 168,8/100 kg
	– – – Other, of a milk fat content, by weight:	
0403 10 91	– – – – Not exceeding 3 %	8,3 % + EUR 12,4/100 kg
0403 10 93	– – – – Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	8,3 % + EUR 17,1/100 kg
0403 10 99	– – – – Exceeding 6 %	8,3 % + EUR 26,6/100 kg
0403 90	– Other	
	– – Flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa:	
	– – – In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a milk fat content, by weight:	
0403 90 71	– – – – Not exceeding 1,5 %	8,3 % + EUR 95/100 kg
0403 90 73	– – – – Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	8,3 % + EUR 130,4/100 kg
0403 90 79	– – – – Exceeding 27 %	8,3 % + EUR 168,8/100 kg
	– – – Other, of a milk fat content, by weight:	
0403 90 91	– – – – Not exceeding 3 %	8,3 % + EUR 12,4/100 kg
0403 90 93	– – – – Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	8,3 % + EUR 17,1/100 kg
0403 90 99	– – – – Exceeding 6 %	8,3 % + EUR 26,6/100 kg
0405	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk; dairy spreads:	
0405 20	– Dairy spreads:	
0405 20 10	– – Of a fat content, by weight, of 39 % or more but less than 60 %	9 % + EUR EAR
0405 20 30	– – Of a fat content, by weight, of 60 % or more but not exceeding 75 %	9 % + EUR EAR
0509 00	Natural sponges of animal origin:	
0509 00 90	– Other	5,1 %
0710	Vegetables (uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water), frozen:	
0710 40 00	– Sweetcorn	5,1 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg net eda

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(1)	(2)	(3)
0711	Vegetables provisionally preserved (for example, by sulphur dioxide gas, in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions), but unsuitable in that state for immediate consumption:	
0711 90	– Other vegetables; mixtures of vegetables:	
	– – Vegetables:	
0711 90 30	– – – Sweetcorn	5,1 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg net eda
1302	Vegetable saps and extracts; pectic substances, pectinates and pectates; agar-agar and other mucilages and thickeners, whether or not modified, derived from vegetable products:	
	– Vegetable saps and extracts:	
1302 12 00	– – Of liquorice	3,2 %
1302 13 00	– – Of hops	3,2 %
1302 20	– Pectic substances, pectinates and pectates:	
1302 20 10	– – Dry	19,2 %
1302 20 90	– – Other	11,2 %
1505	Wool grease and fatty substances derived therefrom (including lanolin):	
1505 10 00	– Wool grease, crude	3,2 %
1516	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, partly or wholly hydrogenated, inter-esterified, re-esterified or elaidinised, whether or not refined, but not further prepared:	
1516 20	– Vegetable fats and oils and their fractions:	
1516 20 10	– – Hydrogenated castor oil, so called opal-wax	3,4 %
1517	Margarine; edible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils or of fractions of different fats or oils of this chapter, other than edible fats or oils or their fractions of heading No 1516:	
1517 10	– Margarine, excluding liquid margarine:	
1517 10 10	– – Containing more than 10 % but not more than 15 % by weight of milk fats	8,3 % + EUR 28,4/100 kg
1517 90	– Other:	
1517 90 10	– – Containing more than 10 % but not more than 15 % by weight of milk fats	8,3 % + EUR 28,4/100 kg
	– – Other:	
1517 90 93	– – – Edible mixtures or preparations of a kind used as mould release preparations	2,9 %
1518 00	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, boiled, oxidised, dehydrated, sulphurised, blown, polymerised by heat in vacuum or in inert gas or otherwise chemically modified, excluding those of heading No 1516; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils or of fractions of different fats or oils of this chapter, not elsewhere specified or included:	
1518 00 10	– Linoxyn	7,7 %
	– Other:	
1518 00 91	– – Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, boiled, oxidised, dehydrated, sulphurised, blown, polymerised by heat in vacuum or in inert gas or otherwise chemically modified, excluding those of heading No 1516)	7,7 %
	– – Other	

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(1)	(2)	(3)
1518 00 95	--- Inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or of animal and vegetable fats and oils and their fractions	2 %
1518 00 99	--- Other:	7,7 %
1521	Vegetable waxes (other than triglycerides), beeswax, other insect waxes and spermaceti, whether or not refined or coloured:	
1521 90	- Other:	
	-- Beeswax and other insect waxes, whether or not refined or coloured	
1521 90 99	--- Other	2,5 %
1522 00	Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes:	
1522 00 10	- Degras	3,8 %
1702	Other sugars, including chemically pure lactose, maltose, glucose and fructose, in solid form; sugar syrups not containing added flavouring or colouring matter; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey; caramel:	
1702 50 00	- Chemically pure fructose	16 % + EUR 50,7/100 kg net mas
1702 90	- Other, including invert sugar:	
1702 90 10	-- Chemically pure maltose	12,8 %
1704	Sugar confectionery (including white chocolate), not containing cocoa:	
1704 10	- Chewing gum, whether or not sugar-coated:	
	-- Containing less than 60 % by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose):	
1704 10 11	--- Gum in strips	6,2 % + EUR 27,1/100 kg MAX 17,9 %
1704 10 19	--- Other	6,2 % + EUR 27,1/100 kg MAX 17,9 %
	-- Containing 60 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose):	
1704 10 91	--- Gum in strips	6,3 % + EUR 30,9/100 kg MAX 18,2 %
1704 10 99	--- Other	6,3 % + EUR 30,9/100 kg MAX 18,2 %
1704 90	- Other:	
1704 90 10	-- Liquorice extract containing more than 10 % by weight of sucrose but not containing other added substances	13,4 %
1704 90 30	-- White chocolate	0 % + 45,1 MAX 18,9 % + EUR 16,5/100 kg
	-- Other:	
1704 90 51	--- Pastes, including marzipan, in immediate packings of a net content of 1 kg or more	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1704 90 55	--- Throat pastilles and cough drops	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1704 90 61	--- Sugar-coated (panned) goods	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
	--- Other:	
1704 90 65	---- Gum confectionery and jelly confectionery including fruit pastes in the form of sugar confectionery	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR

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(1)	(2)	(3)
1704 90 71	----- Boiled sweets whether or not filled	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1704 90 75	----- Toffees, caramels and similar sweets	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
	----- Other:	
1704 90 81	----- Compressed tables	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1704 90 99	----- Other	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1803	Cocoa paste, whether or not defatted	9,6 %
1804 00 00	Cocoa butter, fat and oil	7,7 %
1805 00 00	Cocoa powder, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	8 %
1806	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa:	
1806 10	– Cocoa powder, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter:	
1806 10 15	– – Containing no sucrose or containing less than 5 % by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) or isoglucose expressed as sucrose	8 %
1806 10 20	– – Containing 5 % or more but less than 65 % by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) or isoglucose expressed as sucrose	8 % + EUR 25,2/100 kg
1806 10 30	– – Containing 65 % or more but less than 80 % by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) or isoglucose expressed as sucrose	8 % + EUR 31,4/100 kg
1806 10 90	– – Containing 80 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) or isoglucose expressed as sucrose	8 % + EUR 41,9/100 kg
1806 20	– Other preparations in blocks, slabs or bars weighing more than 2 kg or in liquid, paste, powder, granular or other bulk form in containers or immediate packings, of a content exceeding 2 kg:	
1806 20 10	– – Containing 31 % or more by weight of cocoa butter or containing a combined weight of 31 % or more of cocoa butter and milk fat	8,3 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 20 30	– – Containing a combined weight of 25 % or more, but less than 31 % of cocoa butter and milk fat	8,3 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
	– – Other:	
1806 20 50	– – – Containing 18 % or more by weight of cocoa butter	8,3 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 20 70	– – – Chocolate milk crumb	15,4 % + EAR
1806 20 80	– – – Chocolate flavour coating	8,3 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 20 95	– – – Other	8,3 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
	– Other, in blocks, slabs or bars:	
1806 31 00	– – Filled	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 32	– – Not filled:	
1806 32 10	– – – With added cereal, fruit or nuts	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 32 90	– – – Other	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 90	– Other:	
	– – Chocolate and chocolate products:	
	– – – Chocolates, whether or not filled:	
1806 90 11	– – – – Containing alcohol	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR

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(1)	(2)	(3)
1806 90 19	----- Other	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
	--- Other:	
1806 90 31	----- Filled	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 90 39	----- Not filled	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 90 50	-- Sugar confectionery and substitutes therefor made from sugar substitution products, containing cocoa	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 90 60	-- Spreads containing cocoa	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 90 70	-- Preparations containing cocoa for making beverages	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1806 90 90	-- Other	0 % + EAR MAX 18,7 % + AD S/ZR
1901	Malt extract; food preparations of flour, meal, starch or malt extract, not containing cocoa or containing less than 40 % by weight of cocoa calculated on a totally defatted basis, not elsewhere specified or included; food preparations of goods of heading Nos 0401 to 0404 not containing cocoa or containing less than 5 % by weight of cocoa calculated on a totally defatted basis, not elsewhere specified or included:	
1901 10 00	- Preparations for infant use, put up for retail sale	7,6 % + EAR
1901 20 00	- Mixes and doughs for the preparation of bakers' wares of heading No 1905	7,6 % + EAR
1901 90	- Other:	
	-- Malt extract:	
1901 90 11	--- With a dry extract content of 90 % or more by weight	0 % + EUR 18/100 kg
1901 90 19	--- Other	0 % + EUR 14,7/100 kg
	-- Other:	
1901 90 91	--- Containing no milk fats, sucrose, isoglucose, glucose or starch or containing less than 1,5 % milk fat, 5 % sucrose (including invert sugar) or isoglucose, 5 % glucose or starch, excluding food preparations in powder form of goods of headings Nos 0401 to 0404	6,4 %
1901 90 99	--- Other	0 % + EAR
1902	Pasta, whether or not cooked or stuffed (which meat or other substances) or otherwise prepared such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni, couscous, whether or not prepared:	
	- Uncooked pasta, not stuffed or otherwise prepared:	
1902 11 00	-- Containing eggs	7,7 % + EUR 24,6/100 kg
1902 19	-- Other:	
1902 19 10	--- Containing no common wheat flour or meal	7,7 % + EUR 24,6/100 kg
1902 19 90	--- Other	7,7 % + EUR 21,1/100 kg
1902 20	- Stuffed pasta whether or not cooked or otherwise prepared:	
	-- Other:	
1902 20 91	--- Cooked	8,3 % + EUR 6,1/100 kg
1902 20 99	--- Other	8,3 % + EUR 17,1/100 kg
1902 30	- Other pasta:	
1902 30 10	-- Dried	6,4 % + EUR 24,6/100 kg
1902 30 90	-- Other	6,4 % + EUR 9,7/100 kg
1902 40	- Couscous:	
1902 40 10	-- Unprepared	7,7 % + EUR 24,6/100 kg
1902 40 90	-- Other	6,4 % + EUR 9,7/100 kg

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(1)	(2)	(3)
1903 00 00	Tapioca and substitutes therefor prepared from starch, in the form of flakes, grains, pearls, siftings or similar forms	6,4 % + EUR 15,1/100 kg
1904	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products (for example, cornflakes); cereals (other than maize (corn)), in grain form, or in the form of flakes or other worked grains (except flour and meal), pre-cooked, or otherwise prepared, not elsewhere specified or included:	
1904 10	– Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products:	
1904 10 10	– – Obtained from maize	3,8 % + EUR 20/100 kg
1904 10 30	– – Obtained from rice	5,1 % + EUR 46/100 kg
1904 10 90	– – Other	5,1 % + EUR 33,6/100 kg
1904 20	– Prepared foods obtained from unroasted cereal flakes or from mixtures of unroasted cereal flakes and roasted cereal flakes or swelled cereals:	
1904 20 10	– – Preparation of the muesli type based on unroasted cereal flakes	9 % + EAR
	– – Other:	
1904 20 91	– – – Obtained from maize	3,8 % + EUR 20/100 kg
1904 20 95	– – – Obtained from rice	5,1 % + EUR 46/100 kg
1904 20 99	– – – Other	5,1 % + EUR 33,6/100 kg
1904 90	– Other:	
1904 90 10	– – Rice	8,3 % + EUR 46/100 kg
1904 90 90	– – Other	8,3 % + EUR 25,7/100 kg
1905	Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa; communion wafers, empty cachets of a kind suitable for pharmaceutical use, sealing wafers, rice paper and similar products:	
1905 10 00	– Crispbread	5,8 % + EUR 13/100 kg
1905 20	– Gingerbread and the like:	
1905 20 10	– – Containing by weight of sucrose less than 30 % (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose)	9,4 % + EUR 18,3/100 kg
1905 20 30	– – Containing by weight of sucrose 30 % or more but less than 50 % (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose)	9,8 % + EUR 24,6/100 kg
1905 20 90	– – Containing by weight of sucrose 50 % or more (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose)	10,1 % + EUR 31,4/100 kg
1905 30	– Sweet biscuits; waffles and wafers:	
	– – Completely or partially coated or covered with chocolate or other preparations containing cocoa:	
1905 30 11	– – – In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 85 grams	0 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
1905 30 19	– – – Other	0 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
	– – Other:	
	– – – Sweet biscuits:	
1905 30 30	– – – – Containing 8 % or more by weight of milk fats	0 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
	– – – – Other:	
1905 30 51	– – – – – Sandwich biscuits	0 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
1905 30 59	– – – – – Other	0 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
	– – – Waffles and wafers:	

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(1)	(2)	(3)
1905 30 91	---- Salted, whether or not filled	0 % + EAR MAX 20,7 % + AD F/MR
1905 30 99	---- Other	0 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
1905 40	- Rusks, toasted bread and similar toasted products:	
1905 40 10	-- Rusks	9,7 % + EAR
1905 40 90	-- Other	9,7 % + EAR
1905 90	- Other:	
1905 90 10	-- Matzos	3,8 % + EUR 15,9/100 kg
1905 90 20	-- Communion wafers, empty cachets of a kind suitable for pharmaceutical use, sealing wafers, rice paper and similar products	4,5 % + EUR 60,5/100 kg
	-- Other:	
1905 90 30	--- Bread, not containing added honey, eggs, cheese or fruit, and containing by weight in the dry matter state not more than 5 % of sugars and more than 5 % of fat	9,7 % + EAR
1905 90 40	--- Waffles and wafers with a water content exceeding 10 % by weight	9 % + EAR MAX 20,7 % + AD F/MR
1905 90 45	--- Biscuits	9 % + EAR MAX 20,7 % + AD F/MR
1905 90 55	--- Extruded or expanded products, savoury or salted	9 % + EAR MAX 20,7 % + AD F/MR
	--- Other:	
1905 90 60	---- With added sweetening matter	9 % + EAR MAX 24,2 % + AD S/ZR
1905 90 90	---- Other	9 % + EAR MAX 20,7 % + AD F/MR
2001	Vegetables, fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid:	
2001 90	- Other:	
2001 90 30	-- Sweetcorn (<i>Zea mays</i> var. <i>saccharata</i>)	5,1 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg net eda
2001 90 40	-- Yams, sweet potatoes and similar edible parts of plants containing 5 % or more by weight of starch	8,3 % + EUR 3,8/100 kg net eda
2001 90 60	-- Palm hearts	10 %
2004	Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, frozen, other than products of heading No 2006:	
2004 10	- Potatoes:	
	-- Other	
2004 10 91	--- In the form of flour, meal or flakes	7,6 % + EAR
2004 90	- Other vegetables and mixtures of vegetables:	
2004 90 10	-- Sweetcorn (<i>Zea mays</i> var. <i>saccharata</i>)	5,1 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg net eda
2005	Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, not frozen, other than products of heading No 2006:	
2005 20	- Potatoes:	
2005 20 10	-- In the form of flour, meal or flakes	8,8 % + EAR
2005 80 00	- Sweetcorn (<i>Zea mays</i> var. <i>saccharata</i>)	5,1 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg net eda

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(1)	(2)	(3)
2008	Fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants, otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or spirit, not elsewhere specified or included:	
	– Nuts, groundnuts and other seeds, whether or not mixed together:	
2008 11	– – Groundnuts	
2008 11 10	– – – Peanut butter	12,8 %
	– Other, including mixtures other than those of subheading 2008 19:	
2008 91 00	– – Palm hearts	10 %
2008 99	– – Other:	
	– – – Not containing added spirit:	
	– – – – Not containing added sugar:	
2008 99 85	– – – – Maize (corn), other than sweetcorn (<i>Zea mays</i> var. <i>saccharata</i>)	5,1 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg net eda
2008 99 91	– – – – Yams, sweet potatoes and similar edible parts of plants, containing 5 % or more by weight of starch	8,3 % + EUR 3,8/100 kg net eda
2101	Extracts, essences and concentrates, of coffee, tea or maté, and preparations with a basis of these products or with a basis of coffee, tea or maté; roasted chicory and other roasted coffee substitutes, and extracts, essences and concentrates thereof:	
	– Extracts, essences and concentrates of coffee, and preparations with a basis of these extracts, essences or concentrates or with a basis of coffee:	
2101 11	– – Extracts; essences or concentrates:	
2101 11 11	– – – With a coffee-based dry matter content of 95 % or more by weight	9 %
2101 11 19	– – – Other	9 %
2101 12	– – Preparations with a basis of these extracts, essences or concentrates or with a basis of coffee:	
2101 12 92	– – – Preparations with a basis of these extracts, essences or concentrates of coffee	11,5 %
2101 12 98	– – – Other	9 % + EAR
2101 20	– Extracts, essences and concentrates, of tea or maté, and preparations with a basis of these extracts, essences and concentrates or with a basis of tea or maté:	
2101 20 20	– – Extracts, essences or concentrates	6 %
	– – Preparations:	
2101 20 92	– – – With a basis of extracts, essences or concentrates of tea or maté	6 %
2101 20 98	– – – Other	6,5 % + EAR
2101 30	– Roasted chicory and other roasted coffee substitutes and extracts, essences and concentrates thereof:	
	– – Roasted chicory and other roasted coffee substitutes:	
2101 30 11	– – – Roasted chicory	11,5 %
2101 30 19	– – – Other	5,1 % + EUR 12,7/100 kg
	– – Extracts, essences and concentrates of roasted chicory and other roasted coffee substitutes:	
2101 30 91	– – – Of roasted chicory	14,1 %
2101 30 99	– – – Other	10,8 % + EUR 22,7/100 kg

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(1)	(2)	(3)
2102	Yeasts (active or inactive); other single-cell micro-organisms, dead (but not including vaccines of heading No 3002); prepared baking powders:	
2102 10	– Active yeasts:	
2102 10 10	– – Culture yeast	10,9 %
	– – Baker's yeast:	
2102 10 31	– – – Dried	12 %
2102 10 39	– – – Other	12 %
2102 10 90	– – Other	14,7 %
2102 20	– Inactive yeasts; other single-cell micro-organisms, dead:	
	– – Inactive yeasts:	
2102 20 11	– – – In tablet, cube or similar form, or in immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 1 kg.	8,3 %
2102 20 19	– – – Other	5,1 %
2102 30 00	– Prepared baking powders	6,1 %
2103	Sauces and preparations therefor; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings; mustard flour and meal and prepared mustard:	
2103 10 00	– Soya sauce	7,7 %
2103 20 00	– Tomato ketchup and other tomato sauces	10,2 %
2103 30	– Mustard flour and meal and prepared mustard:	
2103 30 90	– – Prepared mustard	9 %
2103 90	– Other:	
2103 90 90	– – Other	7,7 %
2104	Soups and broths and preparations therefor; homogenised composite food preparations:	
2104 10	– Soups and broths and preparation therefor:	
2104 10 10	– – Dried	4,5 %
2104 10 90	– – Other	4,5 %
2104 20 00	– Homogenised composite food preparations	14,1 %
2105 00	Ice cream and other edible ice, whether or not containing cocoa:	
2105 00 10	– Containing no milk fats or containing less than 3 % by weight of such fats	0 % + EUR 20,2/100 kg MAX 19,4 % + EUR 9,4/100 kg
	– Containing by weight of milk fats:	
2105 00 91	– – 3 % or more but less than 7 %	0 % + EUR 38,5/100 kg MAX 18,1 % + EUR 7/100 kg
2105 00 99	– – 7 % or more	0 % + EUR 54/100 kg MAX 17,8 % + EUR 6,9/100 kg
2106	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included:	
2106 10	– Protein concentrates and textured protein substances:	
2106 10 20	– – Containing no milk fats, sucrose, isoglucose, glucose or starch or containing, by weight, less than 1,5 % milk fat, 5 % sucrose or isoglucose, 5 % glucose or starch	12,8 %
2106 10 80	– – Other	9 % + EAR
2106 90	– Other:	

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(1)	(2)	(3)
2106 90 10	-- Cheese fondues ⁽²⁾	EUR 35/100 kg
2106 90 20	-- Compound alcoholic preparations, other than those based on odoriferous substances, of a kind used for the manufacture of beverages	17,3 % MIN EUR 1/ %vol/hl
	-- Other:	
2106 90 92	--- Containing no milk fats, sucrose, isoglucose, glucose or starch or containing, by weight, less than 1,5 % milk fat, 5 % sucrose or isoglucose, 5 % glucose or starch:	12,8 %
2106 90 98	--- Other	9 % + EAR
2202	Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured, and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit or vegetable juices of heading No 2009:	
2202 10 00	-- Waters including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured	9,6 %
2202 90	-- Other:	
2202 90 10	--- Not containing products of heading Nos 0401 to 0404 or fat obtained from products of heading Nos 0401 to 0404	9,6 %
	--- Other, containing by weight of fat obtained from the products of heading Nos 0401 to 0404:	
2202 90 91	---- Less than 0,2 %	6,4 % + EUR 13,7/100 kg
2202 90 95	---- 0,2 % or more but less than 2 %	5,5 % + EUR 12,1/100 kg
2202 90 99	---- 2 % or more	5,5 % + EUR 21,2/100 kg
2203 00	Beer made from malt	0 %
2205	Vermouth and other wine of fresh grapes flavoured with plants or aromatic substances:	
2205 10	-- In containers holding 2 litres or less:	
2205 10 10	--- Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 18 % vol or less	EUR 109/hl
2205 10 90	--- Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 18 % vol	EUR 0,9/ % vol/hl + EUR 6,4/hl
2205 90	-- Other:	
2205 90 10	--- Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 18 % vol or less	EUR 9/hl
2205 90 90	--- Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 18 % vol	EUR 0,9/ % vol/hl
2207	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80 % vol or higher; ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength:	
2207 10 00	-- Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80 % vol or higher	EUR 19,2/hl
2207 20 00	-- Ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength	EUR 10,2/hl
2208	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80 % vol; spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages:	
2208 40	-- Rum and taffia:	
	--- In containers holding 2 litres or less:	
2208 40 11	---- Rum with a content of volatile substances other than ethyl and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per hectolitre of pure alcohol (with a 10 % tolerance)	EUR 0,6/ % vol/hl + EUR 3,2/hl
	--- Other:	

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(1)	(2)	(3)
2208 40 31	----- Of a value exceeding EUR 7,9 per litre of pure alcohol	EUR 0,6/ % vol/hl + EUR 3,2/hl
2208 40 39	----- Other	EUR 0,6/ % vol/hl + EUR 3,2/hl
	-- In containers holding more than 2 litres:	
2208 40 51	--- Rum with a content of volatile substances other than ethyl and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per hectolitre of pure alcohol (with a 10 % tolerance)	EUR 0,6/ % vol/hl
	--- Other	
2208 40 91	----- Of a value exceeding EUR 2 per litre of pure alcohol	EUR 0,6/ % vol/hl
2208 40 99	----- Other	EUR 0,6/ % vol/hl
2208 90	- Other:	
	-- Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80 % volume, in containers holding:	
2208 90 91	--- 2 litres or less	EUR 1/ % vol/hl + EUR 6,4/hl
2208 90 99	--- More than 2 litres	EUR 1/ % vol/hl
2402	Cigar, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes:	
2402 10 00	- Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos, containing tobacco	26 %
2402 20	- Cigarettes containing tobacco:	
2402 20 10	-- Containing cloves	10 %
2402 20 90	-- Other	57,6 %
2402 90 00	- Other	57,6 %
2403	Other manufactured tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes, "homogenised" or "reconstituted" tobacco; tobacco extracts and essences:	
2403 10	- Smoking tobacco, whether or not containing tobacco substitutes in any proportion:	
2403 10 10	-- In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 500 grams	74,9 %
2403 10 90	-- Other	74,9 %
	- Other:	
2403 91 00	-- "Homogenised" or "reconstituted" tobacco	16,6 %
2403 99	-- Other:	
2403 99 10	--- Chewing tobacco and snuff	41,6 %
2403 99 90	--- Other	16,6 %
2905	Acrylic alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives:	
	- Other polyhydric alcohols:	
2905 43 00	-- Mannitol	0 % + EUR 125,8/100 kg
2905 44	-- D-glucitol (sorbitol):	
	--- In aqueous solution:	
2905 44 11	---- Containing 2 % or less than by weight of D-mannitol, calculated on the D-glucitol content	0 % + EUR 16,1/100 kg

CN code	Description	Duties applied from 1.7.2000
(1)	(2)	(3)
2905 44 19	----- Other	0 % + EUR 37,8/100 kg
	---- Other:	
2905 44 91	----- Containing 2 % or less by weight of D-mannitol, calculated on the D-glucitol content	0 % + EUR 23/100 kg
2905 44 99	----- Other	0 % + EUR 53,7/100 kg
2905 45 00	-- Glycerol	0 %
3301	Essential oils (terpeneless or not), including concretes and absolutes; resinoids; extracted oleoresins; concentrates of essential oils in fats, in fixed oils, in waxes or the like, obtained by enfleurage or maceration; terpenic by products of the deterpenation of essential oils; aqueous distillates and aqueous solutions of essential oils:	
3301 90	- Other:	
	-- Extracted oleoresins:	
3301 90 21	--- Extracted oleoresins of liquorice and hops	0 %
3302	Mixtures of odoriferous substances and mixtures (including alcoholic solutions) with a basis of one or more of these substances, of a kind used as a raw materials in industry; other preparations based on odoriferous substance, of a kind used for the manufacture of beverages:	
3302 10	- Of a kind used in the food or drink industries:	
	-- Of the type used in the drink industries:	
	--- Preparations containing all flavouring agents characterising a beverage:	
3302 10 10	----- Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 0,5 %	0 %
	----- Other:	
3302 10 21	----- Containing no milkfats, sucrose, isoglucose, glucose, or starch or containing, by weight, less than 1,5 % milk fat, 5 % sucrose or isoglucose, 5 % glucose or starch	12,8 %
3302 10 29	----- Other	0 % + EAR
3501	Casein, caseinates and other casein derivatives; casein glues:	
3501 10	- Casein:	
3501 10 50	-- For industrial uses other than the manufacture of foodstuffs or fodder	0 %
3501 10 90	-- Other	0 %
3501 90	- Other	
3501 90 90	-- Other	0 %
3505	Dextrins and other modified starches (for example, pregelatinised or esterified starches); glues based on starches, or on dextrins or other modified starches:	
3505 10	- Dextrins and other modified starches:	
3505 10 10	-- Dextrins	0 % + EUR 17,7/100 kg
	-- Other modified starches:	
3505 10 90	--- Other	0 % + EUR 17,7/100 kg
3505 20	- Glues:	
3505 20 10	-- Containing, by weight, less than 25 % of starches or dextrins or other modified starches	0 % + EUR 4,5/100 kg MAX 11,5 %

CN code	Description	Duties applied from 1.7.2000
(1)	(2)	(3)
3505 20 30	-- Containing, by weight, 25 % or more but less than 55 % of starches or dextrins or other modified starches	0 % + EUR 8,9/100 kg MAX 11,5 %
3505 20 50	-- Containing, by weight, 55 % or more but less than 80 % of starches or dextrins or other modified starches	0 % + EUR 14,2/100 kg MAX 11,5 %
3505 20 90	-- Containing by weight 80 % or more of starches or dextrins or other modified starches	0 % + EUR 17,7/100 kg MAX 11,5 %
3809	Finishing agents, dye carriers to accelerate the dyeing or fixing of dyestuffs and other products and preparations (for example, dressings and mordants), of a kind used in the textile, paper, leather or like industries, not elsewhere specified or included:	
3809 10	-- With a basis of amylaceous substances:	
3809 10 10	-- Containing by weight of such substances less than 55 %	0 % + EUR 8,9/100 kg MAX 12,8 %
3809 10 30	-- Containing by weight of such substances 55 % or more but less than 70 %	0 % + EUR 12,4/100 kg MAX 12,8 %
3809 10 50	-- Containing by weight of such substances 70 % or more but less than 83 %	0 % + EUR 15,1/100 kg MAX 12,8 %
3809 10 90	-- Containing by weight of such substances 83 % or more	0 % + EUR 17,7/100 kg MAX 12,8 %
3823	Industrial monocarboxylic fatty acids; acid oils from refining; industrial fatty alcohols:	
	-- Industrial monocarboxylic fatty acids, acid oils from refining:	
3823 11 00	-- Stearic acid	0 %
3823 12 00	-- Oleic acid	0 %
3823 13 00	-- Tall oil fatty acids	0 %
3823 19	-- Other:	
3823 19 10	--- Distilled fatty acids	0 %
3823 19 30	--- Fatty acid distilled	0 %
3823 19 90	--- Other	0 %
3823 70 00	-- Industrial fatty alcohols	3,8 %
3824	Prepared binders for foundry moulds or cores; chemical products and preparations of the chemical or allied industries (including those consisting of mixtures of natural products), not elsewhere specified or included; residual products of the chemical or allied industries, not elsewhere specified or included:	
3824 60	-- Sorbitol other than that of subheading 2905 44:	
	-- in aqueous solution:	
3824 60 11	--- Containing 2 % or less by weight of D-mannitol, calculated on the D-glucitol content	0 % + EUR 16,1/100 kg
3824 60 19	--- Other	0 % + EUR 37,8/100 kg
	-- Other:	

CN code	Description	Duties applied from 1.7.2000
(1)	(2)	(3)
3824 60 91	--- Containing 2 % or less by weight of D-mannitol, calculated on the D-glucitol content	0 % + EUR 23/100 kg
3824 60 99	--- Other	0 % + EUR 53,7/100 kg

(¹) The final rate of preferential duty, calculated according to this note, shall be rounded down to the first decimal place, except for duties expressed as "EAR", "AD S/ZR" and "AD F/MR" in this table, which shall be rounded down to the second decimal place.

(²) Eligibility to benefit from this preference is subject to conditions laid down in the relevant Community provisions.

Table 3

Basic amounts taken into consideration in calculating the reduced agricultural components (EAR) and additional duties applicable on importation into the Community of goods listed in Table 2

Basic product	NMF rate on 1.7.2000 (EUR/100 kg)
(1)	(2)
Comon wheat	9,504
Durum wheat	14,752
Rye	9,261
Barley	9,261
Maize	9,395
Long-grain husked rice	26,432
Skimmed-milk powder	118,800
Whole-milk powder	130,432
Butter	189,562
White sugar	41,928

ANNEX II

Table 1

Quotas applicable upon import into Latvia of goods originating in the Community

CN code	Description	Annual quota (1 000 kg)	Rate of duty applicable within the quota		
		2001 and after	2001- 2002	2003- 2004	2005- 2006
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
0403 10	Yoghurt	40	Exemption	Exemption	Exemption
1302 20 10	Dry pectic substances, pectinates and pectates	240			
1517	Margarine	4 000			
1905	Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares	800	10 %	5 %	
2104 10	Soups and broths and preparations therefor	300	Exemption	Exemption	
2208 50	Gin and Geneva	90			

Table 2

Duties applicable to goods originating in the Community on import into Latvia

Note: Duties are set to zero for imports into Latvia of processed agricultural products originating in the Community which fall within Regulation (EC) No 3448/93 as amended and are not listed in this table.

CN-code	Description	Rate of duty (%)	
		2001-2002	2003-2004
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
0403	Buttermilk, curdled milk and cream, yogurt, kephir and other fermented or acidified milk and cream, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa:		
0403 10 51 to 0403 10 99	– Yoghurt, flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa	9	8
0403 90 71 to 0403 90 99	– Other	7	6
0405	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk; dairy spreads:		
0405 20	– Dairy spreads:		
0405 20 10	– – Of a content, by weight, of 39 % or more but less than 60 %	13,5	12
0405 20 30	– – Of a fat content, by weight, of 60 % or more but not exceeding 75 %	13,5	12
0710	Vegetables (uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water), frozen:		
0710 40 00	– Sweetcorn	7	6
1401	Vegetable materials of a kind used primarily for plaiting (for example, bamboos, rattans, reeds, rushes, osier, raffia, cleaned, belached or dyed cereal straw, and lime bark)	0	0
1402	Vegetable materials of a kind used primarily as stuffing or as padding (for example, kapok, vegetable hair and egrass), whether or not in hanks or bundles	0	0
1403	Vegetable materials of a kind used primarily in brooms or in brushes (for example, broomcorn piassava, couchgrass andistle), whether or not in hanks and bundles	0	0
1404	Vegetable products not elsewhere specified or included	0	0
1517	Margarine; edible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils or of fractions of different fats or oils of this chapter, other than edible fats or oils or their fractions of heading No 1516):		
1517 10	– Margarine, excluding liquid margarine:		
1517 10 10	– – Containing more than 10 % but not more than 15 % by weight of milk fats	9	8
1517 90	– Other:		
1517 90 10	– – Containing more than 10 % but not more than 15 % by weight of milk fats	9	8
	– – Other:		
1517 90 93	– – – Edible mixtures or preparations of a kind used as mould release preparations	9	8

CN-code	Description	Rate of duty (%)	
		2001-2002	2003-2004
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1704	Sugar confectionery (including white chocolate), not containing cocoa:		
1704 10	– Chewing gum, whether or not sugar-coated	4,5	4
1704 90	– Other:		
1704 90 71	– – – – Boiled sweets whether or not filled	2001 : 8 2002 : 5	4,5
1704 90 75	– – – – Toffees, caramels and similar sweets	13,5	12
1806	Chocolate and other preparations containing cocoa:		
1806 10	– Cocoa powder, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	9	8
	– Other, in blocks, slabs or bars:		
1806 31 00	– – Filled	15	13,5
1806 32	– – Not filled	15	13,5
ex 1806 90	– Other, except preparations containing cocoa for making beverages falling within CN code 1806 90 70:	13,5	12
1806 90 70	– – Preparations containing cocoa for making beverages	9	8
1901	Malt extract; food preparations of flour, meal, starch or malt extract, not containing cocoa or containing less than 40 % by weight of cocoa calculated on a totally defatted basis, not elsewhere specified or included; food preparations of goods of heading Nos 0401 to 0404, not containing cocoa or containing less than 5 % by weight of cocoa calculated on a totally defatted basis, not elsewhere specified or included:		
1901 10 00	– Preparations for infant use, put up for retail sale	0	0
1901 20 00	– Mixes and doughs for the preparation of bakers' wares of heading No 1905	8	7
1901 90	– Other	8	7
1902	Pasta, whether or not cooked or stuffed (with meat or other substances) or otherwise prepared such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni, couscous, whether or not prepared:		
	– Uncooked pasta, not stuffed or otherwise prepared:		
1902 11 00	– – Containing eggs	9	8
1902 19	– – Other	9	8
1902 20	– Stuffed pasta whether or not cooked or otherwise prepared	4,5	4
1902 30	– Other pasta	4,5	4
1902 40	– Couscous	4,5	4
ex 1905	Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa; communion wafers, empty cachets of a kind suitable for pharmaceutical use, sealing wafers, rice paper and similar products, except cones from waffles and wafers for filling ice cream containing by weight 10 grams or more but less than 15 grams, of a sugar content 25 % or more:	15	13,5
1905 30 991 ⁽¹⁾	– – – – Cones from waffles and wafers for filling ice cream containing by weight 10 grams or more but less than 15 grams, of a sugar content 25 % or more	0	0

CN-code	Description	Rate of duty (%)	
		2001-2002	2003-2004
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
2001	Vegetables, fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid:		
2001 90	– Other:		
2001 90 30	– – Sweetcorn (<i>Zea mays</i> var. <i>saccharata</i>)	4,5	4
2001 90 40	– – Yams, sweet potatoes and similar edible parts of plants containing 5 % or more by weight of starch	4,5	4
2001 90 60	– – Palm hearts	4,5	4
2004	Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, frozen, other than products of heading No 2006:		
2004 90	– Other vegetables and mixtures of vegetables:		
2004 90 10	– – Sweetcorn (<i>Zea mays</i> var. <i>saccharata</i>)	7	6
2005	Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, not frozen, other than products of headings No 2006:		
2005 20	– Potatoes:		
2005 20 10	– – In the form of flour, meal or flakes	7	6
2103	Sauces and preparations therefor; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings; mustard flour and meal and prepared mustard:		
2103 90	– – Other		
2103 90 90	– – Other:		
2103 90 901 ⁽¹⁾	– – – Mayonnaise	7	6
2104	Soups and broths and preparations therefor; homogenised composite food preparations:		
2104 10	– Soups and broths and preparations therefor	7	6
2104 20 00	– Homogenised composite food preparations	0	0
2105 00	Ice cream and other edible ice, whether or not containing cocoa	8	7
2201	Waters, including natural or artificial mineral waters and aerated waters, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured; ice and snow:		
2201 90 00	– Other	13,5	12
2202	Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured, and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit or vegetable juices of heading No 2006:		
2202 10 00	– Waters including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured	9	8
2202 90	– Other:		
2202 90 10	– – Not containing products of heading Nos 0401 to 0404 or fat obtained from products of heading Nos 0401 to 0404	9	8
	– – Other, containing by weight of fat obtained from the products of heading Nos 0401 to 0404:		

CN-code	Description	Rate of duty (%)	
		2001-2002	2003-2004
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
2202 90 91	--- Less than 0,2 %	9	8
2202 90 95	--- 0,2 % or more but less than 2 %	4,5	4
2202 90 99	--- 2 % or more	4,5	4
2203	Beer made from malt	0	0
2205	Vermouth and other wine of fresh grapes flavoured with plants or aromatic substances	4,5	3,5
2206	Other fermented beverages (for example, cider, perry, mead); mixtures of fermented beverages and mixtures of fermented beverages and non-alcoholic beverages, not elsewhere specified or included	9	8
2207	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80 % vol or higher; ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength:		
2207 10 00	– Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80 % or higher	27	24
2207 20 00	– Ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength	2001 : 81,7 2002 : 75,6	2003 : 69,5 2004 : 63,3
2208	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80 % vol; spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages:		
2208 20	– Spirits obtained by distilling grape wine or grape marc:		
2208 20 12 a	– – In containers holding 2 litres or less	12,5	0
2208 20 29			
2208 20 40 a	– – In containers holding more than 2 litres, except raw distillate other than cognac alcohol:	0	0
2208 20 89			
2208 20 409 ⁽¹⁾	– – – Raw distillate other than cognac alcohol	12,5	0
2208 30	– Whiskies	12,5	0
2208 40	– Rum and taffia	12,5	0
2208 50	– Gin and Geneva	27	24
2208 60	– Vodka	27	24
2208 70	– Liqueurs and cordials	27	24
ex 2208 90	– Other, except undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80 % volume falling within CN codes 2208 90 91 and 2208 90 99:	12,5	0
2208 90 91 to 2208 90 99	– – Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80 % volume	27	24
2402	Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes:		
2402 20	– Cigarettes containing tobacco	10	10

⁽¹⁾ Latvian customs code heading.

DECISION No 8/2001 OF THE EU-LATVIA ASSOCIATION COUNCIL
of 16 October 2001
adopting the terms and conditions for the participation of the Republic of Latvia in the 'Culture 2000' programme

(2002/103/EC)

THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the Europe Agreement establishing an Association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Latvia, of the other ⁽¹⁾, concerning Latvia's participation in Community programmes, and in particular Article 109 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) According to Article 109 of the Europe Agreement and Annex XVIII thereto, Latvia may participate in Community framework programmes, specific programmes, projects or other actions in particular in the field of culture.
- (2) According to the said Article 109, the terms and conditions for the participation of Latvia in this area are to be decided by the Association Council,

Article 1

Latvia shall participate in the 'Culture 2000' programme according to the terms and conditions set out in Annexes I and II which shall form an integral part of this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its adoption.

It shall apply for the duration of the 'Culture 2000' programme, starting from 1 January 2001.

Done at Brussels, 16 October 2001.

For the Association Council

The President

I. BĒRZIŅŠ

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 26, 2.2.1998, p. 3.

ANNEX I

Terms and conditions for the participation of the Republic of Latvia in the 'Culture 2000' programme

1. Latvia will participate in the activities of the 'Culture 2000' programme (hereinafter called 'the Programme') in conformity, unless otherwise provided for in this Decision, with the objectives, criteria, procedures and deadlines as defined in Decision No 508/2000/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 February 2000 establishing the programme.
 2. To participate in the programme, Latvia will pay each year a contribution to the general budget of the European Union according to the detailed arrangements described in Annex II. If necessary in order to take into account programme developments, or the evolution of Latvia's absorption capacity, the Association Committee is entitled to adapt this contribution, so as to avoid a budgetary imbalance in the implementation of the programme.
 3. The terms and conditions for the submission, assessment and selection of applications related to eligible institutions, organisations and individuals of Latvia will be the same as those applicable to eligible institutions, organisations and individuals of the Community. Latvian experts may be taken into consideration by the Commission when appointing independent experts according to the relevant provisions of the decision establishing the programme to assist it in the project evaluation.
 4. With a view to ensuring the Community dimension of the Programme, in order to be eligible for Community financial support, projects and activities will have to include at least a partner from one of the Member States of the Community.
 5. The maximum amount of financial support for the activities of the cultural contact points will not exceed 50 % of the total budget for its activities.
 6. Without prejudice to the responsibilities of the Commission of the European Communities and the Court of Auditors of the European Communities in relation to the monitoring and evaluation of the programme pursuant to Article 8 of Decision No 508/2000/EC, the participation of Latvia in the programme will be continuously monitored on a partnership basis involving the Commission of the European Communities and Latvia. Latvia will submit to the Commission relevant reports and take part in other specific activities set out by the Community in that context.
 7. In conformity with the Community's Financial Regulations, contractual arrangements concluded with, or by, entities of Latvia shall provide for controls and audits to be carried out by, or under the authority of, the Commission and the Court of Auditors. As far as financial audits are concerned, they may be carried out for the purpose of controlling such entities' income and expenditures, related to the contractual obligations towards the Community. In a spirit of cooperation and mutual interest, the relevant authorities of Latvia shall provide any reasonable and feasible assistance as may be necessary or helpful under the circumstances to perform such controls and audits.
 8. Without prejudice to the procedures referred to in Article 5 of Decision No 508/2000/EC, representatives of Latvia will participate as observers in the Management Committee for the points which concern them. This committee shall meet without the presence of representatives of Latvia for the rest of the points, as well as at the time of voting.
 9. The language to be used in all sorts of contacts with the Commission, as regards the application process, contracts, reports to be submitted and other administrative arrangements for the programme, will be one of the official languages of the Community.
 10. The Community and Latvia may terminate activities under this Decision at any time upon 12 months' notice in writing. Projects and activities in progress at the time of termination shall continue until their completion under the conditions laid down in this Decision.
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ANNEX II

Financial contribution of the Republic of Latvia to 'Culture 2000'

1. The financial contribution to be paid by Latvia to the general budget of the European Union to participate in the programme will be the following:

(in euro)

2001	2002	2003	2004
110 000	110 000	110 000	110 000

2. Latvia will pay the contribution mentioned above, partly from the Latvian national budget, and partly from Latvia's PHARE national programme. Subject to a PHARE separate programming procedure, the requested PHARE funds will be transferred to Latvia by means of a separate Financing Memorandum. Together with the part coming from Latvia's State budget, these funds will constitute Latvia's national contribution, out of which it will make payments in response to annual calls for funds from the Commission.
3. PHARE funds will be requested according to the following schedule:

(in euro)

2001	2002	2003	2004
93 000	90 800	88 600	86 400

The remaining part of the contribution of Latvia will come from the Latvian State budget.

4. The Financial Regulation applicable to the general budget of the European Communities will apply, in particular to the management of the contribution of Latvia.

Travel costs and subsistence costs incurred by representatives and experts of Latvia for the purposes of taking part as observers in the work of the committee referred to in Annex I, point 8 or other meetings related to the implementation of the programme shall be reimbursed by the Commission on the same basis as and in accordance with the procedures currently in force for non-governmental experts of the Member States of the European Union.

5. After the entry into force of this Decision and at the beginning of each following year, the Commission will send to Latvia a call for funds corresponding to its contribution to the budget of the programme under this Decision.

This contribution shall be expressed in euro and paid into a euro bank account of the Commission.

Latvia will pay its contribution according to the call for funds:

- by 1 May for the part financed from its national budget, provided that the call for funds is sent by the Commission before 1 April, or at the latest one month after the call for funds is sent if later,
- by 1 May for the part financed from PHARE, provided that the corresponding amounts have been sent to Latvia by this time, or at the latest within a period of 30 days after these funds have been sent to Latvia.

Any delay in the payment of the contribution shall give rise to the payment of interest by Latvia on the outstanding amount from the due date. The interest rate corresponds to the rate applied by the European Central Bank, on the due date, for its operations in euro, increased by 1,5 percentage points.

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 31 January 2002

amending Decision 98/125/EC approving the multiannual guidance programme for the fishing fleet of Ireland for the period from 1 January 1997 to 31 December 2001

(notified under document number C(2002) 354)

(Only the English text is authentic)

(2002/104/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999 of 17 December 1999 laying down the detailed rules and arrangements regarding Community structural assistance in the Fisheries sector and the processing and marketing of its products ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Articles 5 and 6 thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 97/413/EC of 26 June 1997 concerning the objectives and detailed rules for restructuring the Community fisheries sector for the period from 1 January 1997 to 31 December 2001 with a view to achieving a balance on a sustainable basis between resources and their exploitation ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 9(1) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) The objectives fixed by Commission Decision 98/125/EC of 16 December 1997 approving the multiannual guidance programme for the fishing fleet of Ireland for the period from 1 January 1997 to 31 December 2001 ⁽³⁾ were calculated using the information available at that time.

(2) The Irish authorities requested an adjustment of the objectives of the multiannual guidance programme for the fishing fleet of Ireland to take into account additional fishing opportunities in Mauritanian and adjacent west African waters.

(3) Articles 2 and 8 of Decision 97/413/EC provide for such an adjustment of the objectives of the multiannual guidance programmes.

(4) The Scientific, Technical and Economic Committee for Fisheries has confirmed that there may be scope for additional pelagic fishing opportunities in Mauritanian and adjacent west African waters, notably concerning stocks of sardinella and horse mackerel.

(5) The recently signed Fishing Agreement with the Republic of Mauritania lays down fishing opportunities for pelagic species and specifies the modalities for utilisation of these opportunities; in addition, the Agreement establishes a joint EU-Mauritania scientific committee which will monitor closely the situation of the stocks.

(6) The capacity and effort objectives of the pelagic segment should be increased accordingly in order to allow the exploitation of these additional fishing opportunities.

(7) Fisheries should be identified within the pelagic segment with separate effort objectives for the exploitation of stocks in Community waters and for the exploitation of stocks in Mauritanian and adjacent waters.

(8) The measures envisaged in the present Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Fisheries and Aquaculture,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The table of objectives for the multiannual guidance programmes for the fishing fleet of Ireland for the period 1997 to 2001, shown in the Annex to the present Decision, including the footnotes, cancels and replaces that shown in the Annex to Decision 98/125/EC.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 377, 30.12.1999, p. 10.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 175, 30.7.1997, p. 27.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 39, 12.2.1998, p. 41.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to Ireland.

Done at Brussels, 31 January 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

Ireland

Area	Stocks	Segment	Fishery	Catch composition	Pilot rate	Weighted reduction	Situation 1.1.1997		Objective 31.12.1996				Objective 31.12.2001			
							GT (*)	kW	GT (*)	kW	GT (*) × t ('000)	kW × t ('000)	GT (*)	kW	GT (*) × t ('000)	kW × t ('000)
EU waters	Demersal and pelagic	Polyvalent ⁽¹⁾		DR: 6 % OF: 12 % Others: 12 %	30 %	5,3 %	41 879	161 232	48 769	173 027			46 185	163 857		
EU, third country and international waters	Pelagic	Pelagic trawl and purse seines	Mackerel: IV, VI, VII b, c, VII e, f, g, h, j, k	DR: 2 % OF: 19 % Others: 79 %	25 %	5,3 %	20 254	38 893	22 308	29 039	6 001	7 405			5 683	7 013
			Mauritanian waters ⁽²⁾												4 343	4 450
Segment totals							20 254	38 893					36 363	43 439	10 026	11 463
	Flatfish and demersal	Beam trawl ⁽³⁾	Cod VII a, Plaice and Sole VII e, f, g, h, j, k	DR: 8 % OF: 28 % Others: 64 %	30 %	10,6 %	1 130	5 129	1 156	6 113	330	1 786	1 156	6 113	295	1 597
Total							63 263	205 254	72 234	208 179			83 704	213 409		

DR: Depletion Risk.

OF: Overfished.

(*) Includes estimated GT values in accordance with Article 4 of the present Decision. The objectives will be revised as real GT values become available.

⁽¹⁾ The objectives of the polyvalent segment for 31.12.1996 have been increased by 5 473 GT and by 28 447 kW to take into account the capacity of previously unregistered vessels. These figures will be revised when all remaining licence applications have been processed.⁽²⁾ The capacity objectives of this segment have been increased by 14 055 GT and by 14 400 kW to take into account additional fishing opportunities in Mauritanian and other West African waters. The fishing effort objectives for Community waters remain unchanged. The fishing effort objectives fixed for Mauritanian waters assume a baseline activity of the vessels concerned of 309 days per year. These effort objectives are subject to review in the light of the development of the fisheries.⁽³⁾ Up to 285 GT and 906 kW from the polyvalent segment objective may be transferred to the beam trawl segment objective during MAGP IV in order to update existing vessels in that segment.