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COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1485/2002
of 19 August 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 20 August 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 19 August 2002.

For the Commission
J. M. SILVA RODRÍGUEZ
Agriculture Director-General

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 337, 24.12.1994, p. 66.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 198, 15.7.1998, p. 4.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 19 August 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	68,0
	060	44,6
	096	7,9
	999	40,2
0707 00 05	052	94,9
	999	94,9
0709 90 70	052	75,7
	999	75,7
0805 50 10	388	62,0
	524	66,8
	528	53,3
	999	60,7
0806 10 10	052	83,5
	220	179,7
	400	203,0
	999	155,4
0808 10 20, 0808 10 50, 0808 10 90	388	84,5
	400	116,5
	508	52,6
	512	103,1
	528	51,6
	720	132,3
	800	168,2
	804	88,4
0808 20 50	999	99,6
	052	115,4
	388	74,2
	512	81,5
0809 30 10, 0809 30 90	999	90,4
	052	108,1
	999	108,1
0809 40 05	060	68,0
	064	59,8
	066	57,2
	624	165,3
	999	87,6

⁽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 1486/2002
of 19 August 2002
amending Regulation (EC) No 1591/2001 laying down detailed rules for applying the cotton aid scheme

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Greece, and in particular Protocol 4 on cotton, as last amended by Council Regulation (EC) No 1050/2001 ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1051/2001 of 22 May 2001 on production aid for cotton ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 19(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) In order to ensure proper accounting of the respective quantities of unginned cotton involved, the concepts of production eligible for aid and of actual production as referred to in Article 16(3) of Commission Regulation (EC) No 1591/2001 of 2 August 2001 laying down detailed rules for applying the cotton aid scheme ⁽³⁾ should be defined.
- (2) Article 17(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1051/2001 authorises the Member States to restrict the areas eligible for aid based in particular on agro-environmental criteria. Should a Member State apply this provision, the quantities of cotton from areas exceeding the imposed limit can still be ginned and placed on the market but they cannot qualify for the Community aid scheme or be required to comply with the minimum price requirement.
- (3) Article 15(4)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 1591/2001 provides for the transmission, no later than 15 May each year, of the information relating to the quantities for which aid has been approved. So as to have the most detailed possible information on the harvest coming to market, provision should also be made for the transmission of information on the quantities for which aid has not been approved.
- (4) Article 13(1)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 1591/2001 states that the Member State should verify the accuracy of the declarations of areas by on-the-spot checks relating to not less than 5 % of the declarations. Article 9(2) of that Regulation provides for an adjustment in the declared areas if they differ from those found during the inspections. Having as precise information as is possible on the accuracy of the area declarations is an important element of the aid scheme's management, particularly as regards the measures taken under Article 17(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1051/2001. Provision should therefore be made

for a time limit by which the on-the-spot checks of 5 % of the area declarations must be made, which makes it possible to verify effectively that national measures restricting the area under cotton have been complied with.

- (5) With a view to managing the aid scheme soundly, Article 15 of Regulation (EC) No 1591/2001 lists the information that must be submitted by the Member States to the Commission. Provision should also be made for notifying the measures taken under Article 14(1) and (2).
- (6) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Natural Fibres,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EC) No 1591/2001 is hereby amended as follows:

1. the following subparagraph is added to Article 4(2):

'The quantity eligible for the aid granted in euro per 100 kg as referred to in the preceding subparagraph shall be the quantity of unginned cotton of sound, fair and merchantable quality, from areas declared in accordance with Article 9 and not excluded from the aid scheme by virtue of Article 17(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1051/2001, which has been delivered by the producers to the ginning plants and in relation to which the provisions of Articles 5, 6, 8, 10, 11 and 12 have been met.'

2. Article 13(1)(a) is replaced by the following:

'(a) that the declarations of areas sown to cotton are accurate by an on-the-spot check of not less than 5 % of the declarations, to be carried out no later than 15 November of the marketing year concerned.'

3. the following subpoints are added to Article 15(4)(a):

'(iv) a summary of the quantities satisfying the characteristics of actual production as referred to in the second subparagraph of Article 16(3) delivered by the producers to the ginning plants.

(v) a summary of the quantities delivered by the producers to the ginning plants but not approved for aid for the current marketing year, broken down by exclusion category.'

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 148, 1.6.2001, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 148, 1.6.2001, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 210, 3.8.2001, p. 12.

4. the following paragraph 7 is added to Article 15:

'7. No later than 30 September each year, producer Member States shall communicate the penalties imposed or being considered under Article 14(1) and (2) for the preceding marketing year.;

5. the following subparagraph is added to Article 16(3):

'Actual production as referred to in the first subparagraph shall be the total production of unginned cotton of sound,

fair and merchantable quality from areas declared under Article 9 and not excluded from the aid scheme by virtue of Article 17(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1051/2001, and which has been delivered by the producers to the ginning plants.'

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 19 August 2002.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1487/2002**of 19 August 2002****fixing Community producer and import prices for carnations and roses with a view to the application of the arrangements governing imports of certain floricultural products originating in Cyprus, Israel, Jordan, Morocco and the West Bank and the Gaza Strip**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 4088/87 of 21 December 1987 fixing conditions for the application of preferential customs duties on imports of certain flowers originating in Cyprus, Israel, Jordan, Morocco and the West Bank and the Gaza Strip ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1300/97 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 5(2)(a) thereof,

Whereas:

Pursuant to Article 2(2) and Article 3 of abovementioned Regulation (EEC) No 4088/87, Community import and producer prices are fixed each fortnight for uniflorous (bloom) carnations, multiflorous (spray) carnations, large-flowered roses and small-flowered roses and apply for two-weekly periods. Pursuant to Article 1b of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 700/88 of 17 March 1988 laying down detailed rules for the application of the arrangements for the import into the Community of certain floricultural products originating in Cyprus, Israel, Jordan, Morocco and the West Bank and the

Gaza Strip ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2062/97 ⁽⁴⁾, those prices are determined for fortnightly periods on the basis of weighted prices provided by the Member States. Those prices should be fixed immediately so the customs duties applicable can be determined. To that end, provision should be made for this Regulation to enter into force immediately,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Community producer and import prices for uniflorous (bloom) carnations, multiflorous (spray) carnations, large-flowered roses and small-flowered roses as referred to in Article 1b of Regulation (EEC) No 700/88 for a fortnightly period shall be as set out in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 20 August 2002.

It shall apply from 21 August to 3 September 2002.

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

Done at Brussels, 19 August 2002.

For the Commission

J. M. SILVA RODRÍGUEZ

Agriculture Director-General

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 382, 31.12.1987, p. 22.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 177, 5.7.1997, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 72, 18.3.1988, p. 16.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 289, 22.10.1997, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 19 August 2002 fixing Community producer and import prices for carnations and roses with a view to the application of the arrangements governing imports of certain floricultural products originating in Cyprus, Israel, Jordan, Morocco and the West Bank and the Gaza Strip

(EUR/100 pieces)

Period: from 21 August to 3 September 2002

Community producer price	Uniflorous (bloom) carnations	Multiflorous (spray) carnations	Large-flowered roses	Small-flowered roses
	14,98	9,18	16,95	9,52
Community import prices	Uniflorous (bloom) carnations	Multiflorous (spray) carnations	Large-flowered roses	Small-flowered roses
Israel	—	—	5,00	7,29
Morocco	—	—	—	—
Cyprus	—	—	—	—
Jordan	—	—	—	—
West Bank and Gaza Strip	—	—	—	—