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REGULATIONS

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 578/2009**of 2 July 2009****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 Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (Single CMO Regulation) ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 of 21 December 2007 laying down implementing rules for Council Regulations (EC) No 2200/96, (EC) No 2201/96 and (EC) No 1182/2007 in the fruit and vegetable sector ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 138(1) thereof,

Whereas:

Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 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 Annex XV, Part A thereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The standard import values referred to in Article 138 of Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 are fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 3 July 2009.

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

Done at Brussels, 2 July 2009.

For the Commission

Jean-Luc DEMARTY

*Director-General for Agriculture and
Rural Development*

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 299, 16.11.2007, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 350, 31.12.2007, p. 1.

ANNEX

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	MA	46,5
	MK	24,2
	TR	47,0
	ZZ	39,2
0707 00 05	MK	27,4
	TR	81,9
	ZZ	54,7
0709 90 70	TR	94,3
	ZZ	94,3
0805 50 10	AR	61,3
	TR	64,2
	ZA	55,6
	ZZ	60,4
0808 10 80	AR	66,9
	BR	88,3
	CL	82,8
	CN	95,5
	NZ	99,2
	US	100,3
	UY	55,1
	ZA	86,7
	ZZ	84,4
0808 20 50	AR	108,6
	CL	75,4
	NZ	148,6
	ZA	97,2
	ZZ	107,5
0809 10 00	TR	209,6
	XS	120,6
	ZZ	165,1
0809 20 95	SY	197,7
	TR	352,0
	ZZ	274,9
0809 30	TR	90,5
	ZZ	90,5
0809 40 05	IL	160,5
	US	196,2
	ZZ	178,4

⁽¹⁾ Nomenclature of countries laid down by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1833/2006 (OJ L 354, 14.12.2006, p. 19). Code 'ZZ' stands for 'of other origin'.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 579/2009**of 2 July 2009****fixing the complementary quantity of raw cane sugar originating in the ACP States and India for supply to refineries in the period from 1 October 2008 to 30 September 2009**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (Single CMO Regulation) ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 153(4) in conjunction with Article 4 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 153(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 lays down that, during the 2008/2009 marketing years and in order to ensure adequate supply to Community refineries, import duties on a complementary quantity of imports of raw cane sugar originating in the States referred to in Annex XIX to that Regulation are to be suspended.
- (2) That complementary quantity should be calculated in accordance with Article 19 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 950/2006 of 28 June 2006 laying down detailed rules of application for the 2006/2007, 2007/2008 and 2008/2009 marketing years for the import and refining of sugar products under certain tariff quotas and preferential agreements ⁽²⁾, on the basis of a Community forecast supply balance of raw sugar. For the 2008/2009 marketing year, the balance indicates the need to import a complementary quantity of raw sugar so that the Community refineries' supply needs can be met.
- (3) To ensure that refineries within the Community have a sufficient supply of raw sugar to fulfil their traditional

supply needs, the complementary quantity should be allocated between the third countries concerned in a way to ensure full delivery. For India, it is considered appropriate to maintain an initial quantity of 10 000 tonnes. As regards the remaining supply need, a global quantity should be fixed for the ACP States, which have collectively undertaken to implement between themselves procedures for the allocation of the quantities in order to ensure the appropriate supply of the refineries.

- (4) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for the Common Organisation of Agricultural Markets,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the period from 1 October 2008 to 30 September 2009, the complementary quantity of raw cane sugar for refining falling within CN code 1701 11 10, as referred to in Article 153(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007, shall be:

- (a) 127 547 tonnes expressed as white sugar originating in the States listed in Annex XIX to Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 except India;
- (b) 10 000 tonnes expressed as white sugar originating in India.

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 2 July 2009.

For the Commission

Mariann FISCHER BOEL

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 299, 16.11.2007, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 178, 1.7.2006, p. 1.

II

(Acts adopted under the EC Treaty/Euratom Treaty whose publication is not obligatory)

DECISIONS

COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 22 June 2009

on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Government of Australia on certain aspects of air services

(2009/510/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Whereas:

- (1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.
- (2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement between the European Community and the Government of Australia on certain aspects of air services ⁽¹⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 29 April 2008 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2008/420/EC ⁽²⁾.

- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Community and the Government of Australia on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided in Article 7(1) of the Agreement.

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 149, 7.6.2008, p. 65.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 149, 7.6.2008, p. 63.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the United Arab Emirates on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/511/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2), in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Whereas:

- (1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.
- (2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement with the United Arab Emirates on certain aspects of air services ⁽²⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 30 November 2007 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2008/87/EC ⁽³⁾.

- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Community and the United Arab Emirates on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided in Article 9(1) of the Agreement.

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 66 E, 20.3.2009, p. 84.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 28, 1.2.2008, p. 21.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 28, 1.2.2008, p. 20.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/512/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2), in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

(3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 25 February 2008 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2008/216/EC ⁽²⁾.

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

(4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Article 1

Whereas:

The Agreement between the European Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

(1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided in Article 9(1) of the Agreement.

(2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement between the European Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan on certain aspects of air services ⁽¹⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 68, 12.3.2008, p. 15.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 68, 12.3.2008, p. 14.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Armenia on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/513/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Whereas:

- (1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.
- (2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement with the Republic of Armenia on certain aspects of air services ⁽²⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 9 December 2008 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2009/149/EC ⁽³⁾.

- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Armenia on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided for in Article 9(1) of the Agreement.

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ Opinion of 10.3.2009 (not yet published in the OJ).

⁽²⁾ OJ L 50, 21.2.2009, p. 22.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 50, 21.2.2009, p. 21.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Government of Nepal on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/514/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

(3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 23 January 2009 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2009/117/EC ⁽²⁾.

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

(4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Article 1

Whereas:

The Agreement between the European Community and the Government of Nepal on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

(1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided for in Article 9(1) of the Agreement.

(2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement between the European Community and the Government of Nepal on certain aspects of air services ⁽¹⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 41, 12.2.2009, p. 5.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 41, 12.2.2009, p. 3.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the State of Israel on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/515/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Whereas:

- (1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.
- (2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement between the European Community and the State of Israel on certain aspects of air services ⁽¹⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 9 December 2008 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2009/305/EC ⁽²⁾.

- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Community and the State of Israel on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided for in Article 8 of the Agreement.

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 90, 2.4.2009, p. 10.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 90, 2.4.2009, p. 9.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Government of the Republic of India on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/516/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Whereas:

- (1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.
- (2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement between the European Community and the Government of the Republic of India on certain aspects of air services ⁽¹⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 28 September 2008 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2008/797/EC ⁽²⁾.

- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Community and the Government of the Republic of India on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided for in Article 7(1) of the Agreement.

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 273, 15.10.2008, p. 9.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 273, 15.10.2008, p. 7.

COUNCIL DECISION**of 22 June 2009****on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan on certain aspects of air services**

(2009/517/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 80(2) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) and the first subparagraph of Article 300(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Whereas:

- (1) The Council authorised the Commission on 5 June 2003 to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.
- (2) On behalf of the Community, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement between the European Community and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan on certain aspects of air services⁽¹⁾ (the Agreement) in accordance with the mechanisms and directives in the Annex to the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations with third countries on the replacement of certain provisions in existing bilateral agreements with a Community agreement.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Community on 24 February 2009 subject to its conclusion at a later date, in conformity with Council Decision 2009/302/EC⁽²⁾.

- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Community and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan on certain aspects of air services is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to make the notification provided for in Article 8(1) of the Agreement.

Done at Luxembourg, 22 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
J. ŠEBESTA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2009, p. 34.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2009, p. 33.

COUNCIL DECISION
of 25 June 2009
appointing one UK alternate member of the Committee of the Regions
(2009/518/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 263 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal of the Government of the United Kingdom,

Whereas:

(1) On 24 January 2006, the Council adopted Decision 2006/116/EC appointing the members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions for the period from 26 January 2006 to 25 January 2010 ⁽¹⁾.

(2) An alternate member's seat on the Committee of the Regions has become vacant following the expiry of the mandate of Ms Muriel BARKER,

Article 1

The following is hereby appointed to the Committee of the Regions as an alternate member for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2010:

Mr Roger STONE, Councillor for Rotherham, Yorkshire and Humberside region, England.

Article 2

This Decision shall take effect on the day of its adoption.

Done at Luxembourg, 25 June 2009.

For the Council
The President
L. MIKO

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 25.2.2006, p. 75.

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 2 July 2009

amending Decision 2007/679/EC fixing the net amounts resulting from the application of voluntary modulation in the United Kingdom for the calendar years 2007 to 2012

(notified under document number C(2009) 5027)

(Only the English text is authentic)

(2009/519/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 378/2007 of 27 March 2007 laying down rules for voluntary modulation of direct payments provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 establishing common rules for direct support schemes under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1290/2005 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Decision 2007/679/EC ⁽²⁾ fixes the net amounts resulting from the application of voluntary modulation in the United Kingdom for the calendar years 2007 to 2012 on the basis of annual rates of voluntary modulation applicable at regional level and by year.
- (2) Article 1(5) of Regulation (EC) No 378/2007 provides that the rates fixed in Article 7 of Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 ⁽³⁾, reduced by 5 percentage points, shall be deducted from the rate of voluntary modulation applied by the Member States. Consequently, the net

amounts resulting from voluntary modulation should be reduced.

- (3) Decision 2007/679/EC should therefore be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Annex to Decision 2007/679/EC is hereby replaced by the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall apply from the 2010 financial year.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Done at Brussels, 2 July 2009.

For the Commission

Mariann FISCHER BOEL

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 95, 5.4.2007, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 280, 24.10.2007, p. 25.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 30, 31.1.2009, p. 16.

ANNEX

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Net amounts resulting from the application of voluntary modulation in the United Kingdom*(EUR million)*

2009	2010	2011	2012
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