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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 528/77**of 14 March 1977****amending Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 as regards the rules on the maximum sulphur dioxide content of wine**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Whereas Article 26a of Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions for the common organization of the market in wine ⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2842/76 ⁽³⁾, provides for a transitional adjustment period in respect of the sulphur dioxide content of certain wines produced in the Community or imported from non-member countries and intended for direct human consumption, other than sparkling wines and liqueur wines; whereas this period was extended until 28 February 1977 by Article 24 of Regulation (EEC) No 1160/76 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, in order to facilitate adjustment to the aforementioned content levels, the transitional period should be further extended by 12 months,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Article 26a of Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 is hereby amended as follows:

- in paragraph 1 '28 February 1977' shall read '28 February 1978';
- in paragraph 2 '31 December 1976' shall read '31 December 1977'.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 March 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 1977.

For the Council

The President

J. SILKIN

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 11 March 1977 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 327, 26. 11. 1976, p. 2.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 1.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 529/77

of 14 March 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 on sparkling wines produced in the Community and specified in item 12 of Annex II to Regulations (EEC) No 816/70 and (EEC) No 817/70 laying down special provisions relating to quality wines produced in specified regions

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Whereas Articles 12 and 16 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 of 18 November 1974 on sparkling wines produced in the Community and specified in item 12 of Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 816/70⁽²⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2426/76⁽³⁾, and Article 10(b) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 817/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down special provisions relating to quality wines produced in specified regions⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2878/76⁽⁵⁾, provided for a transitional adjustment period in respect of the sulphur dioxide content of sparkling wines, quality sparkling wines and quality sparkling wines produced in specified regions; whereas that period was extended until 28 February 1977 by Regulation (EEC) No 2426/76;

Whereas, in order to facilitate adjustment to the aforementioned content levels, the transitional period should be further extended by 12 months;

Whereas the amendment of Article 18 of Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 by Regulation (EEC) No 1160/76, whereby Zone C I is divided into two parts, necessitates an amendment to Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 shall be amended as follows:

1. The date 28 February 1977 specified in the second subparagraph of Articles 12(1) and 16(1) is replaced by 28 February 1978.
2. The date 31 December 1976 specified in Articles 12(2) and 16(2) is replaced by 31 December 1977.

Article 2

The third indent of Article 5(1)(d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2893/74 shall be amended to read as follows:

‘— 2° for a cuvée composed of constituents from wine-growing Zone C I a, C I b, C II or C III, provided that the natural alcoholic strength of each constituent is at least 7.5°, 8°, 8.5° or 9° respectively.’

Article 3

Regulation (EEC) No 817/70 shall be amended as follows:

1. The date 28 February 1977 specified in the second subparagraph of Article 10(b)(1) shall be replaced by 28 February 1978.
2. The date 31 December 1976 specified in Article 10(b)(2) shall be replaced by 31 December 1977.

Article 4

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

Articles 1 and 3 shall apply from 1 March 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 1977.

For the Council

The President

J. SILKIN

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 11 March 1977 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 310, 21. 11. 1974, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 276, 7. 10. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 20.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 331, 30. 11. 1976, p. 3.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 530/77
of 14 March 1977

amending for the third time Regulation (EEC) No 1163/76 as regards the extension of the time limits for lodging applications for conversion premiums in the wine sector

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1163/76 of 17 May 1976 on the granting of a conversion premium in the wine sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3141/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 4 (5) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1163/76 provides that applications for conversion premiums are to be lodged for the 1977/78 and 1978/79 wine years by 1 April of the year preceding the grubbing-up operations; whereas this means that there is a further harvest between the time of the application and the grubbing-up operation; whereas experience shows that

vine growers prefer to take this decision on grubbing-up after the harvest; whereas the time limits for lodging the applications should therefore be extended to 31 December,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In the second and third indents of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1163/76 the dates '1 April 1977' and '1 April 1978' are hereby replaced by '31 December 1977' and '31 December 1978' respectively.

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, 14 March 1977.

For the Council

The President

J. SILKIN

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 135, 24. 5. 1976, p. 34.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 354, 24. 12. 1976, p. 5.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 531/77

of 14 March 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1848/76 laying down general rules for the import of wines, grape juice and grape must

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions for the common organization of the market in wine⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2842/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 28 (1a) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 28 (1a) second subparagraph (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 provides for the possibility of dispensing with the certificate and analysis report in the case of products imported from non-member countries which are packed in small containers and transported in limited quantities; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1848/76 of 27 July 1976 laying down general rules for the import of wines, grape juice and grape must⁽³⁾, made use of this possibility in the case of certain imports; whereas experience has shown that this exemption should be extended to certain products not intended for normal trade and which are usually transported in limited quantities,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1848/76 shall be replaced by the following:

'2. The certificate and analysis report shall also be dispensed with for:

- quantities of wine of 15 litres or less:
 - carried in the luggage of travellers,
 - sent in small consignments to private individuals where such quantities are obviously intended for the personal or family consumption of the persons concerned;
- wines and grape juice in containers of four litres or less originating in and imported from third countries whose annual exports to the Community are less than 1 000 hectolitres;
- wines and grape juice forming part of the belongings of private individuals who are moving house;
- wines and grape juice for trade fairs qualifying for the customs arrangements laid down for that purpose, provided that the products in question are put up in containers of two litres or less;
- quantities of wine, grape must and grape juice imported for the purpose of scientific and technical experiments, subject to a maximum of one hectolitre;
- wines for diplomatic, consular or similar establishments, imported as part of their duty-free allowance;
- wines and grape juice held on board international means of transport as victualling supplies.

Nothing in the provisions of this Regulation shall affect the operation of the arrangements applicable to persons living in frontier zones.'

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, 14 March 1977.

For the Council

The President

J. SILKIN

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 327, 26. 11. 1976, p. 2.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 204, 30. 7. 1976, p. 5.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 532/77**of 15 March 1977****fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 3138/76⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 13 (5) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye
flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1882/76⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending
Regulations ;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1882/76 to the

offer prices and today's quotations known to the
Commission that the levies at present in force should
be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products listed in
Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 are hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 16 March
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 354, 24. 12. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 206, 31. 7. 1976, p. 62.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 15 March 1977 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levies
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	85.51
10.01 B	Durum wheat	131.60 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	68.39 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	46.51
10.04	Oats	42.54
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	56.54 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	62.84 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	63.97 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	131.46
11.01 B	Rye flour	107.47
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	214.55
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	140.79

⁽¹⁾ Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./tonne.

⁽²⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the French overseas departments, the levy is reduced by 6 u.a./tonne as provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 706/76.

⁽³⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 1.50 u.a./tonne.

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

⁽⁵⁾ Where durum wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./tonne.

⁽⁶⁾ The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2754/75 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 533/77**of 15 March 1977****fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organ-
ization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 3138/76⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15(6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on
cereals and malt were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
1883/76⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif
forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in
force, which are to be added to the levies, should be

altered as shown in the tables annexed to this Regula-
tion,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The scale of the premiums to be added, pursuant to
Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, to the
import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals
and malt is hereby fixed as shown in the tables
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 16 March
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 354, 24. 12. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 206, 31. 7. 1976, p. 64.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 15 March 1977 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(u.e./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0	0	0
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0.50	0.50	0.50
10.02	Rye	0	1.69	1.69	1.69
10.03	Barley	0	2.51	2.51	3.26
10.04	Oats	0	3.57	3.57	3.57
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	0.38	0.38	0.26
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0	0	0
10.07 D	Other cereals	0	0	0	0
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	0	0	0	0

B. Malt

(u.e./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	4.47	4.47	5.80	5.80
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	3.34	3.34	4.34	4.34
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	3.89	3.89	5.05	5.05

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 534/77

of 15 March 1977

repealing the protective measures applicable to the export of fodder products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
827/68 of 28 June 1968 on the common organization
of the market in certain products listed in Annex II to
the Treaty⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 1067/74⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 3 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1067/74 of 30 April 1974 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in dehydrated fodder, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1420/75⁽³⁾, and in
particular Article 7 (2) thereof,

Whereas, having regard to the difficulties in the
supply of feedingstuffs in the Community last
summer, the export of fodder products to certain non-
member countries led the Commission in July 1976
to the view that the Community market was thereby
threatened with serious disturbance which could
endanger the objectives of Article 39 of the Treaty;

whereas in order to meet this situation the Commis-
sion, by Regulation (EEC) No 1667/76⁽⁴⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 143/77⁽⁵⁾, adopted
protective measures in respect of exports of the
products in question;

Whereas, in view of the trend in the fodder market,
the Community market is no longer threatened with
serious disturbance as a result of exporting these
products; whereas, therefore, the protective measures
applicable to fodder should be repealed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 1667/76 is hereby repealed.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 16.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 120, 1. 5. 1974, p. 2.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 141, 3. 6. 1975, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 185, 9. 7. 1976, p. 26.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 22, 26. 1. 1977, p. 26.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 535/77

of 15 March 1977

re-establishing the levying of the customs duties on asbestos thread falling within subheading 68.13 B I, originating in Yugoslavia to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3021/76 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3021/76 of 13 December 1976 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain products originating in developing countries⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) and (4) of that Regulation provides that the customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling, expressed in units of account, which will be equal — with the exception of certain products the value of the ceilings for which is given in Annex A of the Regulation in question — to the sum arrived at by adding together the value of the products in question imported cif into the Community in 1974 and coming from countries and territories covered by those arrangements, but not including products coming from countries and territories already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the value of 1974 cif imports coming from other countries and from countries and territories already covered by such arrangements; however the ceiling resulting from the sum of this addition may in no case exceed 172.5 % of that resulting from the substitution of the year 1971 for the year 1974 in the first term of the addition and of the year 1972 for the year 1974 in the second term of the addition;

Whereas, having regard to that ceiling, the amounts for products originating in any one of the countries or territories listed in Annex B to that Regulation should be within a maximum Community amount representing 50 % of that ceiling, with the exception of certain products for which the maximum amount is to be reduced to the percentage indicated in Annex A to that Regulation; whereas, for these products, this reduced percentage will be 40 %;

Whereas Article 2 (2) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time in respect of imports of the products in question originating in any of the said countries or territories — with the exception of those listed in Annex C

of the same Regulation — once the relevant Community amount has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of asbestos thread, falling within subheading 68.13 B I, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 860 000 units of account, and therefore the maximum amount is 344 000 units of account; whereas on 9 March 1977, the amounts of imports into the Community of asbestos thread, falling within subheading 68.13 B I, originating in Yugoslavia a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that maximum amount; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3021/76 which provides that maximum amounts should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question in relation to Yugoslavia,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 19 March 1977, the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3021/76, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in Yugoslavia:

CCT heading No	Description of goods
68.13	Fabricated asbestos and articles thereof (for example, asbestos board, thread and fabric; asbestos clothing, asbestos jointing), reinforced or not, other than goods falling within heading No 68.14; mixtures with a basis of asbestos and mixtures with a basis of asbestos and magnesium carbonate, and articles of such mixtures: B. Articles of asbestos: I. Thread

Article 2

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 349, 20. 12. 1976, p. 23.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Étienne DAVIGNON

Member of the Commission

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 536/77
of 15 March 1977

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on tarpaulins, sails, awnings, etc. falling within heading No 62.04, originating in South Korea to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3022/76 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3022/76 of 13 December 1976 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff preferences for textile products originating in developing countries and territories⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Whereas Article 2 (1) and (3) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products listed in Annex C to that Regulation, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to 174 % of the sum arrived at by adding together the value of the products in question, in tonnes, imported into the Community in 1968 and coming from countries listed in its Annex D, but not including products coming from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the 1970 tonnage of such imports coming from other countries and from countries already covered by such arrangements; whereas, having regard to that ceiling, the amounts for products originating in any one of the countries listed in Annex D should be within a maximum Community amount representing 50 % of that ceiling, with the exception of certain products for which the maximum amount is to be reduced to the percentage indicated in Annex C of the abovementioned Regulation;

Whereas Article 3 (2) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time in respect of imports of the products in question originating in any of the said countries and territories, with exception of countries listed in its Annex E, once the relevant Community maximum amount has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of tarpaulins, sails, awnings, etc., falling within heading No 62.04 the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 278 tonnes, and therefore the maximum amount is 139 tonnes; whereas on 9 March 1977 the amounts of imports into the Community of tarpaulins, sails, awnings, etc., falling within heading No 62.04, originating in South Korea a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that maximum amount; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3022/76 which provides that maximum amounts should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question in relation to South Korea,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 19 March 1977, the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3022/76, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in South Korea:

CCT heading No	Description of goods
62.04	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings, sunblinds, tents and camping goods

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, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Étienne DAVIGNON

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 349, 20. 12. 1976, p. 69.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 537/77

of 15 March 1977

fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organ-
ization of the market in sugar ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 3138/76 ⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw
sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1564/76 ⁽³⁾,
as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 508/77 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1564/76
to the information at present available to the Commis-

sion that the levies at present in force should be
altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The levies referred to in Article 15 (1) of Regulation
(EEC) No 3330/74 are, in respect of white sugar and
standard quality raw sugar, hereby fixed as shown in
the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 16 March
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 354, 24. 12. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 172, 1. 7. 1976, p. 31.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 66, 12. 3. 1977, p. 32.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 15 March 1977 fixing the import levies on white sugar
and raw sugar

(mt/100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid :	
	A. White sugar	20.27
	B. Raw sugar	17.04 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 % ; if the yield is other than 92 %, the levy applicable is calculated in accordance with
the provisions of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 538/77

of 15 March 1977

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3138/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 12 (4) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 392/77⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 492/77⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed differs from the average levy by more than 2.5 units of

account per tonne of basic product; whereas, pursuant to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74⁽⁶⁾, the levies at present in force must therefore be altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75⁽⁷⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 832/76⁽⁸⁾, as fixed in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 392/77, are hereby altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 16 March 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 March 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 354, 24. 12. 1976, p. 1.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 54, 26. 2. 1977, p. 11.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 65, 11. 3. 1977, p. 27.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.
⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.
⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 100, 14. 4. 1976, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 15 March 1977 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

CCT heading No	Levies in u.a./tonne	
	Third countries (other than ACP or OCT)	ACP or OCT
11.01 G ⁽²⁾	67.50	65.00
11.02 A VII ⁽²⁾	67.50	65.00
11.02 B II a) ⁽²⁾	116.16	113.66
11.02 B II d) ⁽²⁾	104.47	101.97
11.02 C I ⁽²⁾	139.24	136.74
11.02 C VI ⁽²⁾	104.47	101.97
11.02 D I ⁽²⁾	89.67	87.17
11.02 D VI ⁽²⁾	67.50	65.00
11.02 E II a) ⁽²⁾	158.83	153.83
11.02 E II d) 2 ⁽²⁾	119.71	114.71
11.02 F I ⁽²⁾	158.83	153.83
11.02 F VII ⁽²⁾	67.50	65.00
11.02 G I	69.10	64.10
11.07 A I a)	161.12	152.12
11.07 A I b)	122.66	113.66
11.08 A III	161.01	144.01
11.09 A	411.84	261.84

⁽²⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading 23.02 A, products falling within subheading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

- a starch content (determined by the modified Ewers polametric method), referred to dry matter, exceeding 45 % by weight,
- an ash content, by weight, referred to dry matter (after deduction of any added minerals), not exceeding 1.6 % for rice, 2.5 % for wheat, 3 % for barley, 4 % for buckwheat, 5 % for oats and 2 % for other cereals.

Germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground, falls in all cases within heading No 11.02.

CORRIGENDA

Corrigendum to Council Regulation (EEC) No 338/77 of 14 February 1977 amending Regulation (EEC) No 315/68 fixing quality standards for flowering bulbs, corms and tubers

(Official Journal of the European Communities, No L 48 of 19 February 1977)

Page 2; Articles 2 and 3 shall read as follows:

Article 2

As from 1 July 1977, there shall be added to the table in Chapter III of the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 315/68, in alphabetical order, the products listed in the Annex to this Regulation and the provisions respectively relating to them.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 March 1977.
