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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1705/77
of 26 July 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 3030/76 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for other woven fabrics of cotton falling within heading No 55.09 of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Spain (1977), and Regulation (EEC) No 3031/76 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for certain petroleum products falling within Chapter 27 of the Common Customs Tariff, refined in Spain (1977)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community, and in particular Article 113
thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Regulations (EEC) No 3030/76 and (EEC)
No 3031/76⁽¹⁾ lay down tariff arrangements for
imports of other woven fabrics of cotton falling within
heading No 55.09 and for certain petroleum products
falling within Chapter 27 of the Common Customs
Tariff, originating in Spain, only in respect of the
Member States of the Community as originally consti-
tuted; whereas those arrangements are applicable for
1977; whereas, in accordance with the Act of Acces-
sion⁽²⁾, imports of the products in question into the
three new Member States will be subject from 1 July
1977 to the customs duties set out in the Common
Customs Tariff; whereas the import arrangements for
the products in question should be aligned
throughout the Community as from that date;
whereas in consequence the said Regulations must be
amended in order to permit the three new Member
States to participate in the tariff arrangements referred
to above,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 3030/76 is hereby amended as
follows:

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 350, 20. 12. 1976, pp. 1 and 5.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

1. In Article 1, the volume '1 800 tonnes' for other
woven fabrics of cotton falling within heading No
55.09 shall be increased to '1 850 tonnes'.

2. Article 2 shall be replaced by the following:

'Article 2

1. A first instalment amounting to 1 390 tonnes
of the Community tariff quota referred to in
Article 1 shall be allocated among the Member
States; the respective shares, which subject to
Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977,
shall be as follows:

Germany	80 tonnes
Benelux	80 tonnes
Denmark	5 tonnes
France	920 tonnes
Ireland	10 tonnes
Italy	270 tonnes
United Kingdom	25 tonnes

2. The second instalment of 460 tonnes shall
constitute the reserve.'

Article 2

Regulation (EEC) No 3031/76 is hereby amended as
follows:

1. In Article 1, the volume '1 200 000 tonnes' for the
petroleum products falling within Chapter 27 of
the Common Customs Tariff shall be increased to
'1 300 000 tonnes'.

2. Article 2 shall be replaced by the following :

'Article 2

1. A first instalment amounting to 1 000 000 tonnes of the Community tariff quota referred to in Article 1 shall be allocated among the Member States ; the respective shares, which subject to Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977, shall be as follows :

Germany	425 000 tonnes
Benelux	300 000 tonnes
Denmark	5 000 tonnes
France	100 000 tonnes

Ireland	5 000 tonnes
Italy	100 000 tonnes
United Kingdom	65 000 tonnes

2. The second instalment of 300 000 tonnes shall constitute the reserve.'

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

H. SIMONET

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1706/77

of 26 July 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 3035/76 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for dried figs falling within subheading ex 08.03 B of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Spain (1977), and Regulation (EEC) No 3036/76 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for dried grapes falling within subheading 08.04 B I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Spain (1977)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Whereas Regulations (EEC) No 3035/76 and (EEC) No 3036/76 ⁽²⁾ lay down tariff arrangements for imports of dried figs and dried grapes falling within subheadings ex 08.03 B and 08.04 B I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Spain, only in respect of the Member States of the Community as originally constituted; whereas those arrangements are applicable for 1977; whereas the import arrangements for the products in question should be aligned throughout the Community as from 1 July 1977; whereas in consequence the said Regulations must be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 3035/76 shall be replaced by the following:

'Article 2

1. A first instalment amounting to 190 tonnes of the Community tariff quota referred to in Article 1 shall be allocated among the Member States; the respective shares, which subject to Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977, shall be as follows:

Germany	40 tonnes
Benelux	40 tonnes
Denmark	5 tonnes

France	40 tonnes
Ireland	5 tonnes
Italy	40 tonnes
United Kingdom	20 tonnes

2. The second instalment of 10 tonnes shall constitute the reserve.'

Article 2

Regulation (EEC) No 3036/76 is hereby amended as follows:

1. In Article 1, the volume '1 700 tonnes' for dried grapes falling within subheading 08.04 B I shall be increased to '1 800 tonnes'.

2. Article 2 shall be replaced by the following:

'Article 2

1. A first instalment amounting to 1 440 tonnes of the Community tariff quota referred to in Article 1 shall be allocated among the Member States; the respective shares, which subject to Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977, shall be as follows:

Germany	55 tonnes
Benelux	177 tonnes
Denmark	5 tonnes
France	870 tonnes
Ireland	10 tonnes
Italy	258 tonnes
United Kingdom	65 tonnes

2. The second instalment of 360 tonnes shall constitute the reserve.'

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1977.

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 8 July 1977 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 350, 20. 12. 1976, pp. 25 and 28.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

H. SIMONET

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1707/77

of 26 July 1977

amending Regulations (EEC) No 3032/76, (EEC) No 3033/76 and (EEC) No 3034/76 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for certain wines falling within subheading ex 22.05 C of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Spain (1977)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Whereas Regulations (EEC) No 3032/76, (EEC) No 3033/76 and (EEC) No 3034/76⁽²⁾ lay down tariff arrangements for imports of wines from Jerez, Malaga, Jumilla, Priorato, Rioja and Valdepeñas falling within subheading ex 22.05 C of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Spain, only in respect of the Member States of the Community as originally constituted; whereas those arrangements are applicable for 1977; whereas, in accordance with the Act of Accession⁽³⁾, imports of the said products into the three new Member States will be subject to the customs duties set out in the Common Customs Tariff with effect from 1 July 1977; whereas the import arrangements for the said products should be aligned throughout the Community as from that date; whereas in consequence the said Regulations should be amended in order to permit the three new Member States to participate in the tariff arrangements referred to above,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 3032/76 is hereby amended as follows:

1. In Article 1 (1), the volumes '40 000 hectolitres' and '210 000 hectolitres' for wines from Jerez falling within subheading ex 22.05 C III a) 1, ex 22.05 C IV a) 1, ex 22.05 C III b) 1 or ex 22.05 C IV b) 1 shall be increased to '74 000 hectolitres' and '447 500 hectolitres' respectively.
2. Article 2 (2) and (3) shall be replaced by the following:

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 8 July 1977 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 350, 20. 12. 1976, pp. 9, 13 and 19.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

'2. The first instalment of each quota shall be allocated among the Member States; the respective shares, which subject to Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977, shall be as follows:

(in hectolitres)

	Jerez wines falling within subheading:	
	ex 22.05 C III a) 1	ex 22.05 C III b) 1
	or ex 22.05 C IV a) 1	or ex 22.05 C IV b) 1
Germany	6 000	13 400
Benelux	28 700	181 560
Denmark	8 600	19 500
France	300	170
Ireland	1 900	3 500
Italy	2 000	170
United Kingdom	23 000	209 200
Total	70 500	427 500

3. The second instalment of each quota, that is 3 500 and 20 000 hectolitres respectively, shall constitute the reserve.'

Article 2

Article 2 (2) and (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 3033/76 shall be replaced by the following:

'2. A first instalment amounting to 13 000 hectolitres shall be allocated among the Member States; the respective shares, which subject to Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977, shall be as follows:

Germany	6 400 hectolitres
Benelux	3 500 hectolitres
Denmark	200 hectolitres
France	400 hectolitres
Ireland	200 hectolitres
Italy	1 700 hectolitres
United Kingdom	600 hectolitres

3. The second instalment of 2 000 hectolitres shall constitute the reserve.'

Article 3

Regulation (EEC) No 3034/76 is hereby amended as follows :

1. In Article 1 (1), the volume '15 000 hectolitres' for wines from Jumilla, Priorato, Rioja and Valdepeñas falling within subheading ex 22.05 C I a), ex 22.05 C II a) or ex 22.05 C III a) 2 shall be increased to '18 500 hectolitres'.
2. Article 2 (2) and (3) shall be replaced by the following :
'2. A first instalment amounting to 14 800 hectolitres shall be allocated among the Member States; the respective shares, which subject to Article 5 shall be valid until 31 December 1977, shall be as follows :

Germany	2 190 hectolitres
Benelux	3 840 hectolitres
Denmark	840 hectolitres
France	450 hectolitres
Ireland	140 hectolitres
Italy	5 520 hectolitres
United Kingdom	1 820 hectolitres

3. The second instalment of 3 700 hectolitres shall constitute the reserve.'

Article 4

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

H. SIMONET

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1708/77

of 26 July 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 878/77 as regards the exchange rates applicable to additional aid for the replanting of orange and mandarin trees

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 129 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 878/77 of 26 April 1977 on the exchange rates to be applied in agriculture⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1053/77⁽⁴⁾, fixes the representative rates to be used for the purposes of the common agricultural policy; whereas, pursuant to Article 2 (2) of that Regulation, the rates in question are in principle applied from the beginning of the 1977/78 marketing year for the products concerned;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2511/69 of 9 December 1969 laying down special measures for improving the production and marketing of Community citrus fruit⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1034/77⁽⁶⁾, provides for the granting of additional aid to small undertakings to offset a part of the loss in income resulting from the replanting of orange and mandarin trees;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 878/77, the new representative rates should be applied as regards the additional aid referred to above from the beginning of the 1977/78 marketing year for

the products concerned, from 1 October 1977 for oranges and from 1 November 1977 for mandarins;

Whereas if the new rates were applied from the above-mentioned dates payment of the aid for the replanting of the plantations in question might be delayed; whereas such delay should be prevented by bringing forward the date on which the representative rates for the additional aid take effect;

Whereas the Monetary Committee will be consulted; whereas, in view of the urgency of the matter, the measures envisaged should be adopted in the manner specified in Article 3 (2) of Regulation No 129,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The following shall be substituted for Article 2 (2) (f) of Regulation (EEC) No 878/77:

- '(f) the beginning of the 1977/78 marketing year for the other products for which the marketing year has not commenced by the date of entry into force of this Regulation; however, in the case of the additional aid referred to in Article 1 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2511/69, the rates shall be applied as from 1 May 1977.'

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, 26 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

H. SIMONET

(1) OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62.

(2) OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1.

(3) OJ No L 106, 29. 4. 1977, p. 27.

(4) OJ No L 125, 19. 5. 1977, p. 36.

(5) OJ No L 318, 18. 12. 1969, p. 1.

(6) OJ No L 125, 19. 5. 1977, p. 1.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1709/77**of 26 July 1977****extending, as regards Spain, Regulation (EEC) No 373/77 laying down certain interim measures for the conservation and management of fishery resources applicable to vessels flying the flag of certain non-member countries**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Council adopted, on 3 November 1976, a set of resolutions concerning certain external and internal aspects of the common fisheries policy;

Whereas in Regulation (EEC) No 373/77⁽¹⁾ the Council laid down, for the period 1 January to 31 March 1977, certain interim measures for the conservation and management of fishery resources applicable to vessels flying the flag of certain non-member countries, and in particular Spain;

Whereas in Regulations (EEC) No 746/77⁽²⁾ and (EEC) No 1416/77⁽³⁾ the Council extended the application of certain provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 373/77;

Whereas the above Regulations were adopted in order to establish interim measures pending the conclusion of negotiations between the Community and these countries, and in particular Spain, with a view to concluding Framework Agreements on fisheries;

Whereas the negotiations with Spain have not yet been concluded, and it is therefore necessary to extend, in respect of that country, the application of Regulation (EEC) No 373/77 for a period of two months,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 373/77 the date '31 July 1977' shall be replaced by '30 September 1977'.

Article 2

1. The fishing quotas granted to Spain for the period 1 August to 30 September 1977 shall be the

same proportionally as those granted to it during the period 1 January to 31 March 1977.

2. The fishing quotas shall be granted subject to compliance with the conservation measures and supervisory measures and other provisions governing fishing in the zones referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 373/77.

Article 3

1. Fishing within the zone referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 373/77 by vessels flying the flag of Spain shall be subject to the granting of a licence on behalf of the Community by the authorities of the Member State holding the Presidency of the Council.

2. Each licence shall be valid for one vessel only for a period not extending beyond 30 September 1977 and for the species of fish indicated in the licence within the quantitative and geographical limits referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 373/77.

3. The maximum number of vessels permitted to fish in a given geographical zone is specified in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 746/77.

Article 4

When an application for a licence is submitted to the authorities referred to in Article 3, the following information shall be supplied:

- (a) name of the vessel;
- (b) registration number and external identification letters and numbers;
- (c) port of registration;
- (d) name and address of the owner or charterer;
- (e) gross tonnage and overall length;
- (f) engine power;
- (g) call sign and radio frequency;
- (h) intended method of fishing;
- (i) intended area of fishing;
- (j) species intended to be fished;
- (k) period for which licence is requested.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 53, 25. 2. 1977, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 90, 8. 4. 1977, p. 8.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 160, 30. 6. 1977, p. 18.

Article 5

The Member States shall take measures to ensure, as far as possible, the enforcement of Articles 1, 2 and 3 as regards the maritime waters coming under their sovereignty or falling under their jurisdiction, including in particular regular inspection of the vessels of non-member countries.

In this connection, Member States and the Commission shall communicate to each other the information required for compliance with this Regulation, with

regard in particular to the monitoring of the volume of catches taken by vessels from the non-member countries concerned.

Article 6

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

It shall apply until 30 September 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

H. SIMONET

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1710/77**of 28 July 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 organization 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 Regulation (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 29 July 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 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 28 July 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	99.21
10.01 B	Durum wheat	144.05 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	83.25 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	81.09
10.04	Oats	72.20
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	83.46 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	82.40 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	84.56 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	151.82
11.01 B	Rye flour	128.70
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	233.77
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	162.27

⁽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 1711/77**of 28 July 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 29 July
1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 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 28 July 1977 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 7	1st period 8	2nd period 9	3rd period 10
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0	0	0
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0	0	0
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	1.10
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	0	0	0
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.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 7	1st period 8	2nd period 9	3rd period 10	4th period 11
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	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1712/77
of 28 July 1977
fixing the import levies on milk and milk products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 559/76 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (8) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on milk and milk products were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 907/77 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1579/77 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 907/77 to the prices 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 levies referred to in Article 14 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 108, 30. 4. 1977, p. 30.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 175, 15. 7. 1977, p. 5.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the import levies on milk and milk products

(u.a./100 kg net weight, unless otherwise indicated)

CCT heading No	Code	Import levy
04.01 A I a)	0110	21.58
04.01 A I b)	0120	19.58
04.01 A II a) 1	0130	19.58
04.01 A II a) 2	0140	24.05
04.01 A II b) 1	0150	18.58
04.01 A II b) 2	0160	23.05
04.01 B I	0200	48.83
04.01 B II	0300	103.29
04.01 B III	0400	159.63
04.02 A I	0500	15.30
04.02 A II a) 1	0620	94.63
04.02 A II a) 2	0720	123.91
04.02 A II a) 3	0820	125.91
04.02 A II a) 4	0920	137.59
04.02 A II b) 1	1020	88.63
04.02 A II b) 2	1120	117.91
04.02 A II b) 3	1220	119.91
04.02 A II b) 4	1320	131.59
04.02 A III a) 1	1420	20.76
04.02 A III a) 2	1520	28.03
04.02 A III b) 1	1620	103.29
04.02 A III b) 2	1720	159.63
04.02 B I a)	1820	30.00
04.02 B I b) 1 aa)	2220	per kg 0.8863 ⁽⁹⁾
04.02 B I b) 1 bb)	2320	per kg 1.1791 ⁽⁹⁾
04.02 B I b) 1 cc)	2420	per kg 1.3159 ⁽⁹⁾
04.02 B I b) 2 aa)	2520	per kg 0.8863 ⁽¹⁰⁾
04.02 B I b) 2 bb)	2620	per kg 1.1791 ⁽¹⁰⁾
04.02 B I b) 2 cc)	2720	per kg 1.3159 ⁽¹⁰⁾
04.02 B II a)	2810	33.26
04.02 B II b) 1	2910	per kg 1.0329 ⁽¹⁰⁾
04.02 B II b) 2	3010	per kg 1.5963 ⁽¹⁰⁾
04.03 A	3110	187.80
04.03 B	3210	229.12
04.04 A I a) 1	3321	15.00
04.04 A I a) 2	3420	129.35 ⁽¹¹⁾
04.04 A I b) 1 aa)	3521	15.00
04.04 A I b) 1 bb)	3619	129.35 ⁽¹¹⁾
04.04 A I b) 2	3719	129.35 ⁽¹¹⁾
04.04 A II	3800	129.35
04.04 B	3900	136.20 ⁽¹²⁾
04.04 C	4000	127.81
04.04 D I	4120	30.00
04.04 D II a) 1	4410	129.14
04.04 D II a) 2	4510	137.38
04.04 D II b)	4610	217.38
04.04 E I a)	4710	136.20
04.04 E I b) 1 aa)	4834	15.00
04.04 E I b) 1 bb)	4850	168.24

CCT heading No	Code	Import levy
04.04 E I b) 2 aa)	4922	137.19 ⁽¹³⁾
04.04 E I b) 2 bb)	5022	137.19 ⁽¹⁴⁾
04.04 E I b) 3	5030	137.19 ⁽¹⁵⁾
04.04 E I b) 4	5060	137.19 ⁽¹⁵⁾
04.04 E I b) 5	5120	137.19
04.04 E I c) 1	5210	102.89
04.04 E I c) 2	5250	217.19
04.04 E II a)	5310	136.20
04.04 E II b)	5410	217.19
17.02 A II ⁽¹⁶⁾	5500	18.95
17.05 A	5600	18.95
23.07 B I a) 3	5700	68.47
23.07 B I a) 4	5800	88.86
23.07 B I b) 3	5900	82.91
23.07 B I c) 3	6000	67.62
23.07 B II	6100	88.86

For notes ⁽¹⁾ to ⁽⁸⁾, see notes ⁽¹⁾ to ⁽⁸⁾ of Council Regulation (EEC) No 823/68 (OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968).

⁽⁹⁾ The levy on 100 kg of product falling within this subheading is equal to the sum of the following components :
a) the amount per kg shown, multiplied by the weight of milk and cream contained in 100 kg of product ;
b) 6 u.a. ; and
c) 12.46 u.a.

⁽¹⁰⁾ The levy on 100 kg of product falling within this subheading is equal to the sum of the following components :
a) the amount per kg shown, multiplied by the weight of milk and cream contained in 100 kg of product ;
and
b) 12.46 u.a.

⁽¹¹⁾ The levy is limited to 7.50 u.a. per 100 kg net weight.

⁽¹²⁾ The levy is limited to 6% of the value for customs purposes.

⁽¹³⁾ The levy is limited to 69.75 u.a. per 100 kg net weight for imports from Austria, Finland, Romania and Switzerland (Regulation (EEC) No 1054/68 as amended).

⁽¹⁴⁾ The levy is limited to 89.75 u.a. per 100 kg net weight for imports from Austria, Finland, Romania and Switzerland (Regulation (EEC) No 1054/68 as amended).

⁽¹⁵⁾ The levy is limited to 69.75 u.a. per 100 kg net weight for imports from Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania and Turkey (Regulation (EEC) No 1054/68 as amended).

⁽¹⁶⁾ Lactose and lactose syrup falling within subheading 17.02 A I are, in pursuance of Regulation (EEC) No 2730/75, subject to the same levy as that applicable to lactose and lactose syrup falling within subheading 17.02 A II.

NB : For the purposes of heading No 04.04, the exchange rate to be applied in converting into national currencies the unit of account referred to in the subdivisions of this heading shall, notwithstanding general rule C 3 contained in Part I, Section I of the Common Customs Tariff be the representative rate, if such a rate is fixed pursuant to Council Regulation No 129 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy (OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1713/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the minimum import levies on olive oil

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1707/73⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 162/66/EEC of 27 October 1966 on trade in oils and fats between the Community and Greece⁽³⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2843/76 of 23 November 1976 laying down special measures in particular for the determination of the offers of olive oil on the world market⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 2 (3) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2844/76 of 23 November 1976 laying down special measures in particular for the determination of the offers of olive oil on the Greek market⁽⁵⁾, and in particular Article 2 (3) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1514/76 of 24 June 1976 on imports of olive oil from Algeria⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1521/76 of 24 June 1976 on imports of olive oil from Morocco⁽⁷⁾, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1508/76 of 24 June 1976 on imports of olive oil from Tunisia⁽⁸⁾, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 of 17 May 1977 on imports into the Community of certain agricultural products originating in Turkey⁽⁹⁾, and in particular Article 10 (2) thereof,

Whereas, in Regulation (EEC) No 1362/76 of 14 June 1976⁽¹⁰⁾, the Commission decided to use the tendering procedure to fix the levies on olive oil;

Whereas Article 4 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3188/76 of 23 December 1976 on detailed rules for the implementation of the special measures for the determination of offers of olive oil on the world market and the Greek market⁽¹¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 983/77⁽¹²⁾, lays down the criteria for fixing the rate of the minimum levy;

Whereas that rate must be fixed for each of the products concerned on the basis of an examination of the world or Greek markets and of the Community market, and also of the levy rates indicated by the tenderers;

Whereas account should be taken of the oil content of products other than olive oil; whereas, however, no levies are applied to imports of oil-cake and other residues falling within subheading 23.04 A of the Common Customs Tariff and having an oil content of not more than 3 %;

Whereas account should be taken in applying the levy of the provisions of the agreements between the Community and certain non-member countries; whereas, in particular, the levy must be calculated on the basis of the levy to be collected on imports from non-member countries;

Whereas the application of the rules described above to the levy rates submitted by tenderers on 25 and 26 July 1977 results in the fixing of the minimum levies as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The minimum levies on imports of olive oil shall be as shown in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 29 July 1977.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 175, 29. 6. 1973, p. 5.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 197, 29. 10. 1966, p. 3393/66.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 327, 26. 11. 1976, p. 4.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 327, 26. 11. 1976, p. 6.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 24.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 43.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 9.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 142, 9. 6. 1977, p. 10.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 154, 15. 6. 1976, p. 13.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 30. 12. 1976, p. 26.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ No L 118, 11. 5. 1977, p. 7.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the minimum import levies on olive oil

(u.a./100 kg)

CCT heading No	Greece	Non-member countries
07.01 N II	7.00	9.00
07.03 A II	7.00	8.00
15.07 A I a)	26.00 ⁽³⁾	51.50 ⁽³⁾
15.07 A I b)	26.00 ⁽³⁾	54.50 ⁽³⁾
15.07 A I c)	35.00 ⁽³⁾	59.00 ⁽³⁾
15.07 A II a)	35.00	64.00 ⁽¹⁾
15.07 A II b)	54.00	110.50 ⁽²⁾
15.17 A I	16.00	21.00
15.17 A II	26.00	34.00
23.04 A	3.00 ⁽⁴⁾	3.00 ⁽⁴⁾

⁽¹⁾ For imports of oil falling within this tariff subheading:

- (a) produced entirely in Algeria, Morocco or Tunisia and transported directly from any of those countries to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 3.20 u.a./100 kg;
- (b) produced entirely in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 2.50 u.a./100 kg.

⁽²⁾ For imports of oil falling within this tariff subheading:

- (a) produced entirely in Algeria, Morocco or Tunisia and transported directly from any of those countries to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 6 u.a./100 kg;
- (b) produced entirely in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 4.80 u.a./100 kg.

⁽³⁾ For imports of oil falling within this tariff subheading and produced entirely in one of the countries listed below and transported directly from any of those countries to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by:

- (a) Greece and Spain: 0.50 u.a./100 kg;
- (b) Turkey: 18.50 u.a./100 kg provided that the operator furnishes proof of having paid the export tax applied by that country; however, the repayment may not exceed the amount of the tax in force;
- (c) Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia: 20.50 u.a./100 kg provided that the operator furnishes proof of having paid the export tax applied by those countries; however, the repayment may not exceed the amount of the tax in force.

⁽⁴⁾ Pursuant in Article 3 of Regulations (EEC) No 2843/76 and (EEC) No 2844/76, no import levy is collected on oil-cake and other residues falling within subheading 23.04 A of the Common Customs Tariff and having an oil content of not more than 3 %.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1714/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the export refunds on beef and veal for the period beginning 1 August 1977

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 425/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of Article 18 (5) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 18 of Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 provides that the difference between prices on the world market and prices within the Community for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 885/68 of 28 June 1968⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 427/77⁽⁴⁾, lays down general rules for granting export refunds and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the foreseeable situation on the market in beef and veal that the refund should be fixed as indicated below;

Whereas the present market situation in the Community and the selling possibilities, particularly in certain third countries, lead to granting export refunds for the export of adult bovine animals with a live weight equal or superior to 300 kilograms, for the export of certain fresh or chilled meats shown in the Annex under subheading ex 02.01 A II a) and for the export, to certain destinations, of certain frozen meats shown in the Annex under subheading ex 02.01 A II b) and

of some other preparations and preserves of meat or offals shown in the Annex under subheading 16.02 B III b) 1 aa);

Whereas, in the case of meat of bovine animals, boned or boneless, salted and dried, there are traditional trade flows to Switzerland; whereas, to the extent necessary to allow this trade to continue, the refund must be fixed at an amount which will cover the difference between prices on the Swiss market and export prices in the Member States;

Whereas, in the case of some other cuts and preserves of meat or offals shown in the Annex under subheading 16.02 B III b) 1 bb), Community participation in international trade may be ensured by granting a refund which takes account of the refund hitherto granted to exporters;

Whereas, in the case of other beef and veal products, a refund need not be fixed since Community participation in world trade in these products is not significant;

Whereas if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas the Management Committee for Beef and Veal has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

(¹) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

(²) OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 1.

(³) OJ No L 156, 4. 7. 1968, p. 2.

(⁴) OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 16.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

805/68 is granted and the amount of that refund is fixed as shown in the Annex.

Article 1

Article 2

The list of products on which the export refund referred to in Article 18 of Regulation (EEC) No

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the export refunds on beef and veal
for the period beginning 1 August 1977

(u.a./100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Refund
		— Live weight —
ex 01.02 A II	Live domestic animals of the bovine species, other than pure-bred breeding animals : (a) Adult bovine animals with a live weight equal or greater than 300 kg	41.50 ⁽¹⁾
		— Net weight —
ex 02.01 A II	Meat of bovine animals : a) Fresh or chilled : 1. Carcasses, half-carcasses or 'compensated' quarters : (aa) The front part of a carcass or of a half-carcass comprising all the bones and the scrag, neck and shoulder but with more than 10 ribs 58.50 ⁽¹⁾ (bb) Other 73.00 ⁽¹⁾ 2. Separated or unseparated forequarters 58.50 ⁽¹⁾ 3. Separated or unseparated hindquarters 87.50 ⁽¹⁾ 4. Other : aa) Unboned (bone-in) 58.50 ⁽¹⁾ ex bb) Boned or boneless, excluding the thin flanks and the shin : (11) Each piece individually wrapped 85.50 ⁽¹⁾ b) Frozen : 1. Carcasses, half-carcasses or 'compensated' quarters : (aa) The front part of a carcass or of a half-carcass comprising all the bones and the scrag, neck and shoulder but with more than 10 ribs : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾ , to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa 58.50 ⁽¹⁾ (bb) Other : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾ , to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa 73.00 ⁽¹⁾ 2. Separated or unseparated forequarters : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾ , to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa 58.50 ⁽¹⁾ 3. Separated or unseparated hindquarters : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾ , to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa 87.50 ⁽¹⁾	

(u.a./100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Refund
		— Net weight —
ex 02.01 A II b) (cont'd)	4. Other : aa) Unboned (bone-in) : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾, to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa ex bb) Boned or boneless, excluding the thin flanks and the shin : (11) Each piece individually wrapped : — For export to the United States of America — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾, to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa (22) Other : — For export to the United States of America Meat of bovine animals, boned or boneless, salted and dried : — For export to Switzerland Other preparations and preserves containing bovine meat or offals, except those finely homogenized ⁽³⁾ : ex aa) Uncooked, containing by weight the following percentages of bovine meats (excluding offal and fat) : (11) 80 % or more of meat : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾, to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa (22) 60 % or more, but less than 80 % of meat : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾, to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa (33) 40 % or more, but less than 60 % of meat : — For export to European third countries ⁽²⁾, to Jordan, to third countries on the Mediterranean or on the Persian Gulf, to third countries of the Arabian Peninsula and Africa ex bb) Other, containing by weight the following percentages of bovine meats (excluding offal and fat) : (11) 80 % or more of meat (22) 60 % or more, but less than 80 % of meat (33) 40 % of more, but less than 60 % of meat (44) 20 % or more, but less than 40 % of meat	58.50 ⁽¹⁾ 23.00 ⁽¹⁾ 85.50 ⁽¹⁾ 23.00 ⁽¹⁾ 41.00 ⁽¹⁾ 58.50 ⁽¹⁾ 35.00 ⁽¹⁾ 23.50 ⁽¹⁾ 35.00 21.00 14.00 7.00
ex 02.06 C I a) 2		
ex 16.02 B III b) 1		

(¹) For Ireland and the United Kingdom the refund fixed above must be reduced by the compensatory amount pursuant to Article 12 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 430/77 (OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 20).

(²) Within the meaning of this Regulation those destinations mentioned in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 (OJ No L 25, 31. 1. 1975, p. 1) are also to be understood as European third countries.

(3) The products which contain a small quantity of visible pieces of meat are also excluded.

NB : Whereas Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 885/68 provides that no export refunds shall be granted on products imported from third countries and re-exported to third countries.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1715/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the refunds applicable to cereals and 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 organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1386/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those products in the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation No (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾, provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals and cereal products on the world market on the other; whereas the same article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on cereal markets and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the refund on cereals is being calculated;

Whereas these specific criteria are defined, as far as wheat and rye flour, groats and meal are concerned, in Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75; whereas, furthermore, when the refund on these products is being calculated, account must be taken of the quantities of cereals required for their manufacture; whereas

these quantities were fixed in Regulation No 162/67/EEC⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1607/71⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for certain products according to destination;

Whereas the refund must be fixed at least once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules outlined above to the present situation on the market in cereals, and in particular to quotations or prices for these products within the Community and on the world market, that the refunds, should be fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation;

Whereas 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

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 128, 27. 6. 1967, p. 2574/67.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 168, 27. 7. 1971, p. 16.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the refunds applicable to cereals and wheat or rye flour groats and meal

CCT heading No	Description of products	Refund (u.a. / tonne)
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin : — for exports to : — the countries of Zone V (a) — other third countries	75.00 0
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0
10.02	Rye	0
10.03	Barley : — for exports to : — Switzerland, Austria, Liechtenstein, the Iberian peninsula, the countries of Zone II (b) and of Zone III (a) — other third countries	55.00 0
10.04	Oats	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	—
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	—
ex 11.01 A	Wheat flour : — of an ash content of 0 to 520 — of an ash content of 521 to 600 — of an ash content of 601 to 900 — of an ash content of 901 to 1 100 — of an ash content of 1 101 to 1 650 — of an ash content of 1 651 to 1 900	105.00 105.00 95.00 95.00 85.00 85.00
ex 11.01 B	Rye flour : — of an ash content of 0 to 700 — of an ash content of 701 to 1 150 — of an ash content of 1 151 to 1 600 — of an ash content of 1 601 to 2 000	45.00 45.00 45.00 45.00
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal : — of an ash content of 0 to 950 — of an ash content of 951 to 1 300 — of an ash content of 1 301 to 1 500	155.00 155.00 155.00
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal : — of an ash content of 0 to 520	105.00

N.B. The zones are those defined in Regulation (EEC) No 1124/77 (OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1716/77**of 28 July 1977****fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on cereals**

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 1386/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the third sentence of the second subparagraph of Article 16 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the export refund applicable to cereals on the day on which application for an export licence is made, adjusted for the threshold price in force during the month of exportation, must be applied on request to exports to be effected during the period of validity of the export licence; whereas, in this case, the corrective amount must be applied to the refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 of 29 October 1975 on the import and export system for products processed from cereals and from rice⁽⁴⁾, made possible the fixing of a corrective amount for certain products listed in Article 1 (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1281/75⁽⁵⁾ laid down detailed rules for the advance fixing of export refunds for cereals and certain products processed from cereals;

Whereas, pursuant to that Regulation, when the corrective amount is being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Commu-

nity market on the one hand and prices for cereals and cereal products on the world market on the other; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on cereal markets and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas for the products listed in Article 1 (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 account should be taken of the specific criteria laid down in Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1281/75;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the corrective amount according to destination;

Whereas the corrective amount must be fixed at the same time as the refund and according to the same procedure;

Whereas it may be altered in the period between fixings;

Whereas, if the system of corrective amounts is to operate normally, corrective amounts should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies, which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the preceding subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions referred to above that the corrective amount must be fixed as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 131, 22. 5. 1975, p. 15.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

hereby fixed as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 16 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 which is applicable to export refunds fixed in advance in respect of cereals is

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on cereals

(u.d. / tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 8	1st period 9	2nd period 10	3rd period 11	4th period 12	5th period 1	6th period 2
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11.01 A	Common wheat flour	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
11.01 B	Rye flour	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	0	0	0	0	0	—	—

N.B. The zones are those defined in Regulation (EEC) No 1124/77 (OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1717/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the export refunds on 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 organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1386/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof;

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of those Regulations and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾, provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals on the world market on the other; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on the markets in cereals and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports, and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 of 29 October 1975 on the import and export system for products processed from cereals and from rice⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 832/76⁽⁵⁾, defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the refund on these products is being calculated;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in

products processed from cereals and rice that the export refund should be fixed at an amount which will cover the difference between Community prices and world market prices;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for certain products according to destination;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas the refund must be fixed once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas 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

The export refunds on malt listed in Article 1 (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 subject to Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 100, 14. 4. 1976, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation 28 July 1977 fixing the export refunds on malt

<i>(u.a./tonne)</i>		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Refund
11.07 A I a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	106.16
11.07 A I b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	—
11.07 A II a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	81.74
11.07 A II b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	53.00
11.07 B	Roasted malt	61.77

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1718/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on 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 organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1386/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the third sentence of the second subparagraph of Article 16 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the export refund applicable to cereals on the day on which application for an export licence is made, adjusted for the threshold price in force during the month of exportation, must be applied on request to exports to be effected during the period of validity of the export licence; whereas, in this case, the corrective amount must be applied to the refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 of 29 October 1975 on the import and export system for products processed from cereals and from rice⁽⁴⁾, made possible the fixing of a corrective amount for certain products listed in Article 1 (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1281/75⁽⁵⁾ laid down detailed rules for the advance fixing of export refunds for cereals and certain products processed from cereals;

Whereas, pursuant to that Regulation, when the corrective amount is being fixed in respect of malt, account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to the possibilities and conditions for the sale of the cereals concerned and of malt on the world market; whereas the same Regulation also provides that account must be taken of the quantity of cereals needed for making malt, the economic aspect

of exports and the need to prevent disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the corrective amount according to destination;

Whereas the corrective amount must be fixed at the same time as the refund and according to the same procedure; whereas it may be altered in the period between fixings;

Whereas, if the system of corrective amounts is to operate normally, corrective amounts should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies, which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity,
- for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the preceding subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions referred to above that the corrective amount must be fixed as shown in the tables annexed to this Regulation;

Whereas 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

The corrective amount referred to in Article 16 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 which is applicable to export refunds fixed in advance in respect of malt is hereby fixed as shown in the tables annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 131, 22. 5. 1975, p. 15.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on malt

(u.a. / tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 8	1st period 9	2nd period 10	3rd period 11	4th period 12	5th period 1
11.07	Malt, roasted or not :						
	A. Unroasted :						
	I. Obtained from wheat :						
	a) In the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0	—
	b) Other	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Other :						
	a) In the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0	—
	b) Other	0	0	0	+11·17	+11·17	+11·17
	B. Roasted	0	0	0	+13·02	+13·02	+13·02

(u.a. / tonne)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	6th period 2	7th period 3	8th period 4	9th period 5	10th period 6	11th period 7
11.07	Malt, roasted or not :						
	A. Unroasted :						
	I. Obtained from wheat :						
	a) In the form of flour	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Other	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Other :						
	a) In the form of flour	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Other	+11·17	+11·17	+11·17	+11·17	+11·17	+11·17
	B. Roasted	+13·02	+13·02	+13·02	+13·02	+13·02	+13·02

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1719/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the export refunds on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice⁽¹⁾, and in particular the first
sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 17 (2)
thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary
Committee,

Whereas Article 17 of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76
provides that the difference between quotations or
prices on the world market for the products listed in
Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those
products within the Community may be covered by
an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No
1431/76 of 21 June 1976 laying down general rules
for granting export refunds on rice and criteria for
fixing the amount of such refunds⁽²⁾, provides that
when refunds are being fixed account must be taken
of the existing situation and the future trend with
regard to prices and availabilities of rice and broken
rice on the Community market on the one hand and
prices for rice and broken rice on the world market
on the other; whereas the same Article provides that
it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the
natural development of prices and trade on the rice
market and, furthermore, to take into account the
economic aspect of the proposed exports and the need
to avoid disturbance of the Community market;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1361/76⁽³⁾ lays down
the maximum percentage of broken rice allowed in
rice for which an export refund is fixed and specifies
the percentage by which that refund is to be reduced
where the proportion of broken rice in the rice
exported exceeds that maximum;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1431/76
defines the specific criteria to be taken into account
when the export refund on rice and broken rice is
being calculated;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific
requirements of certain markets may make it neces-
sary to vary the refund for certain products according
to destination;

Whereas the refund must be fixed at least once a
month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening
period;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally,
refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in
relation to each other, at any given moment,
within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based
on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the
arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each
of these currencies recorded for a given period, in
relation to the Community currencies referred to
in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and
criteria to the present situation on the market in rice
and in particular to quotations or prices for rice and
broken rice within the Community and on the world
market, that the refund should be fixed as shown in
the Annex to this Regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation
are in accordance with the opinion of the Manage-
ment Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 of
Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 with the exception of
those listed in paragraph 1 (c) of that Article, exported
in the natural state, are hereby fixed as shown in the
Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August
1977.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 36.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 154, 15. 6. 1976, p. 11.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the export refunds on rice and broken rice

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Amount of refund
10.06	Rice : A. Paddy rice ; husked rice : II. Husked rice : a) Round grain for export to : — Austria, Switzerland and Liechtenstein — Other third countries b) Long grain for export to : — Austria, Switzerland and Liechtenstein — Other third countries B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice : I. Semi-milled rice : a) Round grain b) Long grain II. Wholly milled rice : a) Round grain for export to : — Austria, Liechtenstein and Switzerland as well as destinations mentioned in Article 3 of Commis- sion Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 ⁽¹⁾ — Other third countries b) Long grain for export to : — Austria, Liechtenstein and Switzerland as well as destinations mentioned in Article 3 of Commis- sion Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 ⁽¹⁾ — Other third countries C. Broken rice	60-00 — 80-00 — — — 90-00 — 100-00 — 25-00

(¹) OJ No L 25, 17. I. 1975, p. 1.

NB: The zones are those defined in Regulation (EEC) No 1124/77 (OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1720/77

of 28 July 1977

fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice⁽¹⁾, and in particular the
second subparagraph of Article 17 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary
Committee,

Whereas the first subparagraph of Article 17 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 provides that the
export refund applicable to rice and broken rice on
the day on which application for an export licence is
made, adjusted for the threshold price which will be
in force during the month of exportation, must be
applied on request to exports to be effected during the
period of validity of the licence ;

Whereas Regulation No 474/67/EEC⁽²⁾, as amended
by Regulation (EEC) No 1397/68⁽³⁾, lays down
detailed rules for the advance fixing of the export
refund on rice and broken rice ;

Whereas that Regulation provides that the refund
applicable on the day on which application for an
export licence is made must, when it is fixed in
advance, be reduced by an amount no greater than the
difference between the cif forward delivery price and
the cif price, where the former exceeds the latter by
more than 0.25 unit of account per tonne ; whereas,
on the other hand, the refund must be increased by
an amount no greater than the difference between the
cif price and the cif forward delivery price, where the
former exceeds the latter by more than 0.25 unit of
account per tonne ;

Whereas the cif price is that determined in accor-
dance with Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 ; whereas the cif forward delivery price is that

determined in accordance with Article 3 (2) of Regula-
tion 1428/76⁽⁴⁾, based, in respect of each month for
which the export licence is valid, on the cif price
calculated on the basis of offers for shipment during
the month of exportation ;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally,
refunds should be calculated on the following basis :

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in
relation to each other, at any given moment,
within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based
on their effective parity ;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the
arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each
of these currencies recorded for a given period, in
relation to the Community currencies referred to
in the previous subparagraph ;

Whereas it follows from applying all these provisions
that the corrective amount applicable on 1 July 1977
must be fixed as shown in the table annexed to this
Regulation ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation
are in accordance with the opinion of the Manage-
ment Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 17 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 which is applicable to
the export refunds fixed in advance in respect of rice
and broken rice is hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August
1977.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No 204, 24. 8. 1967, p. 20.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 222, 10. 9. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 30.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

(u.a. / tonne)							
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 8	1st period 9	2nd period 10	3rd period 11	4th period 12	5th period 1
10.06	Rice :						
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :						
	I. Paddy rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Husked rice :						
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :						
	I. Semi-milled rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Wholly milled rice :						
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C. Broken rice	0	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1721/77

of 28 July 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1595/77 opening an invitation to tender for the mobilization of common wheat as food aid for the Islamic Republic of Mauritania

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 amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3138/76 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down the conditions for the mobilization of cereals as food aid ⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1595/77 of 15 July 1977 opening an invitation to tender for the mobilization of common wheat as food aid for the Islamic Republic of Mauritania ⁽⁴⁾, provides in Article 1 (4) for delivery of the produce in bulk ;

Whereas such presentation gives rise to some difficulty for the recipient country and it is therefore preferable to alter it and consequently to postpone the date for lodging tenders under the invitation in question ;

Whereas 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

1. The text of Article 1 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1595/77 is hereby amended to read as follows :

'4. The successful tenderer shall deliver the product specified in paragraph 1 in new jute sacks of a net capacity of 50 kilograms.

The minimum weight of the sacks shall be 600 grams. The following shall be printed on the sacks :

"Froment tendre/ Don de la Communauté Économique Européenne à la Mauritanie".

To allow for the possibility of re-bagging, the successful tenderer shall supply 2 % of new empty sacks, of the same quality as those containing the goods but with the printing followed by a capital letter "R".

2. The text of Article 2 (1) and (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1595/77 is hereby amended to read as follows :

'1. The decision on tenders received in response to the invitation provided for in Article 1 shall be taken on 12 August 1977.

2. The closing date for the submission of tenders shall be 12 August 1977 at 12 noon.'

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, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 354, 24. 12. 1976, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 89.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 177, 16. 7. 1977, p. 15.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1722/77

of 28 July 1977

laying down common detailed rules for the application of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 on the storage and movement of products bought in by an intervention agency

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 of 17 May 1977 on the storage and movement of products bought in by an intervention agency⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 974/71 of 12 May 1971 on certain matters of conjunctural policy to be taken in agriculture following the temporary widening of the margins of fluctuation for the currencies of certain Member States⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation 557/76⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 provides that the amounts levied or granted in trade in agricultural products are not to be applicable to products stored by an intervention agency outside the territory of the Member State within whose jurisdiction it falls, nor to products transferred from one intervention agency to another; whereas in order to ensure that these are properly applied, provisions should be made for a method of administrative cooperation;

Whereas the competent authorities are informed of all trade in the products in question; whereas, therefore, for the sake of administrative simplicity it is desirable that a licence should not be required in respect of products held by an intervention agency which are exported to a non-member country for storage there or returned to the Member State of departure;

Whereas the third subparagraph of Article 12 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1380/75 of 29 May 1975 laying down detailed rules for the application of monetary compensatory amounts⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1474/77⁽⁵⁾, lays down certain rules for products re-exported to a third country or to another Member State; whereas it is necessary to derogate from these rules in certain cases covered by the present Regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinions of all the relevant Management Committees.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Without prejudice to the derogations provided for in the specific Community rules for certain products, this Regulation lays down common detailed rules for the application of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 on the storage and movement of products bought in by an intervention agency.

Article 2

1. In cases coming within the first indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77, where products are exported to another Member State for storage there, one of the following endorsements shall be entered in the box 'Description of goods' on the document establishing the Community status of the product:

'Intervention products held by ... (name and address of the intervention agency) for storage in ... (country concerned and address of the proposed place of storage) — application of the first indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77',

'Produkter fra intervention, som ... (navn og adresse på interventionsorganet) har ligget inde med, og som er bestemt til oplagring i ... (det pågældende land og adressen på det forventede oplagringssted). Anvendelse af artikel 2, første led, i forordning (EØF) nr. 1055/77',

'Interventionserzeugnis im Besitz von ... (Name und Anschrift der Interventionsstelle) — bestimmt in ... (Land und Angabe des vorgesehenen Lagerorts) gelagert zu werden. Anwendung von Artikel 2 erster Gedankenstrich der Verordnung (EWG) Nr 1055/77',

'Produits d'intervention détenus par ... (nom et adresse de l'organisme d'intervention) destinés à être stockés en/au ... (Pays concerné et adresse du lieu de déstockage prévu). Application de l'article 2 premier tiret du règlement (CEE) n° 1055/77',

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 128, 24. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 139, 30. 5. 1975, p. 37.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 163, 1. 7. 1977, p. 1.

'Prodotti di intervento detenuti da ... (nome e indirizzo dell'organismo d'intervento) destinati ad essere immagazzinati in ... (paese interessato e indirizzo del previsto luogo di immagazzinamento). Applicazione dell'articolo 2 primo trattino del regolamento (CEE) n. 1055/77',

'Interventieprodukten in het bezit van ... (naam en adres van het interventiebureau), bestemd voor opslag in ... (betrokken land en voorzien adres van de opslagplaats) — toepassing van artikel 2, eerste streepje, van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1055/77'.

This endorsement shall be authenticated by the stamp of the customs office of departure.

2. In cases coming within the second indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77, where products are exported to another Member State as a transfer operation, one of the following endorsements shall be entered in the box 'Description of goods' on the document establishing the Community status of the product :

'Intervention products — transfer operation — application of the second indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77',

'Produkter fra intervention — overførsel — Anvendelse af artikel 2, andet led, i forordning (EØF) nr. 1055/77',

'Interventionserzeugnis — Transfervorgang — Anwendung von Artikel 2 zweiter Gedankenstrich der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1055/77',

'Produits d'intervention — opération de transfert — application de l'article 2 deuxième tiret du règlement (CEE) n° 1055/77',

'Prodotti di intervento, operazione trasferimento — applicazione dell'articolo 2, secondo trattino del regolamento (CEE) n. 1055/77',

'Interventieprodukten — Overbrenging — Toepassing van artikel 2, tweede streepje, van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1055/77'.

This endorsement shall be authenticated by the stamp of the customs office of departure.

Article 3

In cases coming within the first indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77, where products are exported to a third country for storage there,

- the endorsement referred to in Article 2 (1) shall be entered in the export document,
- no export licences shall be required in connection with the customs export formalities.

Article 4

The provisions of Articles 2 and 3 shall apply only where products presented for export to the customs office of departure are accompanied by a document issued by the intervention agency of the Member State of departure.

This document shall carry a number and give :

- a description of the products and, where appropriate, any other necessary information for control purposes,
- the number, kind and, where appropriate, the marks and numbers of the packages,
- the gross and net weight of the products,
- a reference to Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 specifying whether the products are intended for storage or are being transferred,
- the address of the proposed place of storage, if the first indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 applies.

This document shall be kept by the customs office of departure.

Article 5

1. Products coming within the first indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 which are stored in a Member State other than that State within whose jurisdiction the intervention agency responsible for them falls shall remain under customs surveillance until marketed, or re-exported to the latter Member State. The arrangements for surveillance shall be made by the Member State in which the products are stored. Products shall be regarded as marketed when they are either sold or delivered as food aid.

2. When the products referred to in paragraph 1 are sold :

- the intervention agency responsible for them shall immediately inform the competent customs office of the Member State of storage,
- such products shall be released for home use in the Member State of storage, irrespective of their ultimate destination, and in such case the monetary compensatory amounts shall not be applied,
- the provisions of the third subparagraph of Article 12 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1380/75 shall not apply in those cases where the purchaser subsequently exports the products from the Member State of storage.

3. Where the products referred to in paragraph 1 are re-exported or delivered as food aid the intervention agency responsible for them shall immediately inform the customs office in the Member State of storage.

4. Where the products referred to in paragraph 1 are re-exported to the Member State within whose jurisdiction the intervention agency falls, one of the following endorsements shall be entered in the box 'Description of goods' on the document establishing the Community status of the product:

'Intervention products held by ... (name and address of intervention agency) returning after storage in ... (Member State where the products were stored). Application of the first indent of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77',

'Produkter fra intervention, som ... (navn og adresse på interventionsorganet) har ligget inde med, og som sendes tilbage efter oplagring i ... (den medlemsstat, hvor oplagringen har fundet sted). Anvendelse af artikel 2, første led, i forordning (EØF) nr. 1055/77',

'Interventionserzeugnisse im Besitz von ... (Name und Anschrift der Interventionsstelle) — Rückführung nach Lagerung in ... (Mitgliedstaat, in dem die Erzeugnisse gelagert hatten). Anwendung von Artikel 2 erster Gedankenstrich der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1055/77',

'Produits d'intervention détenus par ... (nom et adresse de l'organisme d'intervention) en retour après stockage en/au ... (État membre de stockage). Application de l'article 2 premier tiret du règlement (CEE) n° 1055/77',

'Prodotti d'intervento detenuti da ... (denominazione e indirizzo dell'organismo d'intervento) in reintroduzione dopo magazzinaggio in ... (nome dello Stato membro in cui i prodotti sono immagazzinati). Applicazione dell'articolo 2, primo trattino, del regolamento (CEE) n. 1055/77',

'Interventieprodukten in het bezit van ... (naam en adres van het interventiebureau), retourzending na opslag in (Lid-Staat van opslag). Toepassing van artikel 2, eerste streepje, van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1055/77'.

This endorsement shall be authenticated by the stamps of the customs office of departure.

5. Re-importation of the products referred to in paragraph 1 into the Member State within whose jurisdiction the intervention agency falls shall be subject to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77.

In addition, the following documents shall be submitted to the customs office of re-importation:

- the export document issued in respect of the export of the products to the Member State of storage, or a copy or a photocopy of that document authenticated as corresponding to the original by the Customs office which issued that original,
- a document issued by the intervention agency responsible for the products containing the information provided for in the first, second, third and fourth indents of Article 4.

Article 6

1. Where products held by an intervention agency and stored in a third country are subsequently re-imported into the Member State within whose jurisdiction such agency falls:

- the re-importation shall be subject to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77,
- no import licence need be submitted.

2. In addition, the following documents shall be submitted to the customs office of re-importation:

- the export document issued in respect of the export of the products to the third country of storage, or a copy or a photocopy of that document authenticated as corresponding to the original by the customs office which issued that original,
- a document issued by the intervention agency responsible for the products containing the information provided for in the first, second, third and fourth indents of Article 4.

Article 7

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

It shall apply to products in respect of which an authorization under Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 is used on or after 1 August 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1723/77

of 28 July 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 laying down detailed rules for verifying the use and/or destination of products from intervention

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1707/73⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 11 (5) and 26 (3) thereof, and the corresponding provisions of the other Regulations establishing a common organization of the market in respect of agricultural products,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 of 30 June 1976 laying down common detailed rules for verifying the use and/or destination of products from intervention⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 443/77⁽⁴⁾, prescribes the provisions to be applied when products subject to a specific use and/or destination are removed from intervention stock; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 of 17 May 1977 on the storage and movement of products bought in by an intervention agency⁽⁵⁾ provides that intervention agencies may obtain authorization to store products outside the territory of the Member State within whose jurisdiction they fall;

Whereas this new situation makes amendments of Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 necessary;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinions of all relevant Management Committees,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 is hereby amended as follows:

1. Article 2 (3) shall read as follows:

'3. The products shall be accompanied by the control copy referred to in Article 10 of Regulation (EEC) No 223/77

— where a part of the control referred to in paragraph 1 is to be carried out in Member States

other than that in which the products are removed from intervention stock, or

— where products pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 are stocked in a Member State other than that where the selling intervention agency is situated and the security referred to in Article 13 is lodged with that intervention agency.'

2. Add the following as Article 7a:

Article 7a

When products are stocked in a Member State other than that where the selling intervention agency is situated:

1. The customs office where the products are released for home use shall for the purpose of the application of the second indent of Article 2 (3) be considered as customs office of departure;
2. The removal order shall, where the second indent of Article 2 (3) or Article 6 (1) applies and in addition to the information mentioned in Article 6 (1), indicate whether the security is lodged with the selling intervention agency. If so, one of the following endorsements shall be entered in Section 106 of the control copy:

'Security held by ... (name and address of the selling intervention agency)',

'Sikkerhed stillet hos ... (navn og adresse på det sælgende interventionsorgan)',

'Kautio gestellt bei ... (Bezeichnung und Anschrift der verkaufenden Interventionsstelle)',

'Caution constituée auprès de ... (nom et adresse de l'organisme d'intervention vendeur)',

'Cauzione costituita presso ... (denominazione e indirizzo dell'organismo venditore)',

'Waarborg gesteld bij ... (naam en adres van het interventiebureau dat de produkten heeft verkocht)'.

3. Where the security is lodged with the intervention agency in the Member State in which the products are stocked, the selling intervention agency may allow removal only upon confirmation from the former that it has taken the necessary measure for the control required by Article 2 (1).'

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 175, 29. 6. 1973, p. 5.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 190, 14. 7. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 58, 3. 3. 1977, p. 18.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 128, 24. 5. 1977, p. 1.

3. Number the present text of Article 8 as paragraph 1 and add the following as paragraph 2:

'2. Where the last sentence of Article 7a (2) applies, the intervention agency referred to in paragraph 1 shall forward the control copy or a copy or photocopy thereof to the selling intervention agency.'

4. Article 13 (1) shall read as follows:

'1. Where a security is required in order to guarantee the proper use and/or destination of the products referred to in Article 1, it shall be lodged prior to removal of the products. Such security shall

— in the case of products to be processed or to be processed and exported, be lodged with the intervention agency of the Member State in which processing is to take place or to commence,

— in all other cases, with the selling intervention agency.'

5. Article 13 (3) shall read as follows:

'3. Where security is lodged with the intervention agency of a Member State other than that where

the selling intervention agency is situated, the former shall forthwith forward to the selling intervention agency a certificate referring to the sale or tender in question and to the Regulation which applies and specifying in particular the amount of the security, the quantity of products involved and the use and/or destination.'

6. Article 13 (4) shall read as follows:

'4. Release of the security shall be subject to the production of the proof referred to either in Article 8 (2) or in Article 12 and, as regards products which are to be imported into a specific third country, of the proof referred to in Article 11 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 192/75.'

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 August 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1724/77

of 28 July 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2054/76 on the sale for export to non-member countries of skimmed-milk powder held by intervention agencies and intended for use as feed

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 559/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 7 (5), 13 (3) and 17 (4) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2054/76 of 19 August 1976 on the sale for export to non-member countries of skimmed-milk powder held by intervention agencies and intended for use as feed⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 920/77⁽⁴⁾, provides for the sale of skimmed-milk powder in public storage at a price equal to the buying-in price applied by the intervention agency, reduced by eight units of account per 100 kilograms and prescribes that delivery be taken before 1 August 1977;

Whereas, in view of the present situation on the world and the Community markets and bearing in mind other competing proteins, the abovementioned selling price must be reduced; whereas, so that account may be taken of any price changes in international trade, skimmed-milk powder purchased at the new price should be taken over before 1 November 1977;

Whereas skimmed-milk powder which was taken into intervention storage before 1 January 1975 should be sold first;

Whereas the quantity of 200 tonnes laid down in Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2054/76 has proved too large in certain cases and should consequently be reduced;

Whereas, moreover, the exports referred to in Regulation (EEC) No 2054/76 are the outcome of commitments undertaken by the Community under GATT which were changed on 10 May 1977, and can consequently only be effected thereunder up to 10 May 1978; whereas it is therefore necessary to limit

the validity of the export licences issued under Regulation (EEC) No 2054/76 to that date;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 2054/76 is hereby amended as follows:

1. Article 1 shall read as follows:

'Article 1

Skimmed-milk powder bought in in accordance with Article 7 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 and taken into storage before 1 January 1975 shall be sold under the following conditions.'

2. In Article 3 (1) for 'eight units of account' read '13 units of account'.
3. In Article 3 (2) for '200 tonnes' read '100 tonnes'.
4. In the second subparagraph of Article 3 (3) for '10 November 1977' read '10 May 1978'.
5. In Article 4 (2) for '1 August 1977' read '1 November 1977'.
6. In Article 4 (3) for '12 units of account' read '15 units of account'.
7. In the first paragraph of Article 14a for '0.90' read '0.86'.
8. In the second paragraph of Article 14a for '1.54' read '1.47'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1977.

It shall not apply to quantities of skimmed-milk powder for which buying-in contracts have been concluded with the intervention agency before that date.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 228, 20. 8. 1976, p. 17.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 108, 30. 4. 1977, p. 75.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1725/77
of 28 July 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 organization of the market in sugar⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1110/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1436/77⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1671/77⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1436/77 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 29 July 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 25 July 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 161, 1. 7. 1977, p. 9.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 186, 26. 7. 1977, p. 26.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 July 1977 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

<i>(u.a./100 kg)</i>		
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid :	
	A. White sugar	25.02
	B. Raw sugar	20.32 ⁽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.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 18 July 1977

determining the appointing authority for the staff of the Audit Board and of the ECSC Auditor

(77/473/EEC, Euratom, ECSC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to Article 2 of the Staff Regulations of officials of the European Communities and Article 6 of the conditions of employment of other servants,

Whereas the Treaty amending certain financial provisions of the Treaties establishing the European Communities and of the Treaty establishing a single Council and a single Commission of the European Communities entered into force on 1 June 1977; whereas under Article 28 of this Treaty the terms of office of the members of the Audit Board and of the ECSC Auditor shall expire on the day they submit their report on the financial year preceding that in which the members of the Court of Auditors set up under that Treaty are appointed;

Whereas it is therefore necessary to adopt temporary provisions to determine, under Article 2 of the Staff Regulations of officials of the European Communities and Article 6 of the conditions of employment of other servants of the said Communities, the authority which shall exercise the powers conferred on the appointing authority and the authority empowered to conclude employment contracts in respect of the staff of the Audit Board and of the ECSC Auditor after the expiry of the terms of office of the members of these two bodies,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The powers conferred by the Staff Regulations of officials on the appointing authority and those conferred by the conditions of employment applicable to other servants on the authority empowered to conclude employment contracts shall, in respect of

staff coming under the authority of the Audit Board and of the Auditor, be exercised:

- (a) by the Council for the application of Article 1, the second paragraph of Article 30, and Articles 31 and 50 of the Staff Regulations in respect of the staff of the Audit Board and of the Auditor;
- (b) for the application of the other Articles of the Staff Regulations and of all the provisions relating to other servants:
 - by the official in the highest category and grade of the Audit Board in respect of the staff of that body,
 - by the official in the highest category and grade on the staff of the Auditor in respect of the staff of that body.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the date resulting from the implementation of Article 28 of the Treaty amending certain financial provisions of the Treaties establishing the European Communities and of the Treaty establishing a single Council and a single Commission of the European Communities.

It shall apply until the date on which the members of the Court of Auditors take up their duties or until 30 September 1977 at the latest.

Done at Brussels, 18 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

A. HUMBLET