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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1612/78**of 11 July 1978****fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 1254/78⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 13 (5) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye
flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1729/77⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending
Regulations ;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1729/77 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 12 July
1978.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 July 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 156, 14. 6. 1978, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 191, 30. 7. 1977, p. 5.

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to the Commission Regulation of 11 July 1978 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

(u.a./tonne)		
CCT heading No	Description	Levies
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	89.18
10.01 B	Durum wheat	133.79 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	88.97 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	84.58
10.04	Oats	77.41
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	82.31 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	79.94 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	84.27 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	137.07
11.01 B	Rye flour	136.77
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	219.15
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	146.29

⁽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 1180/77 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1613/78**of 11 July 1978****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 1254/78⁽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
1730/77⁽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 12 July
1978.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 July 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 156, 14. 6. 1978, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 191, 30. 7. 1977, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 July 1978 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	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	0.66	0.66	0.66
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	0
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	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 1614/78**of 11 July 1978****fixing the levies and sluice-gate prices on pigmeat**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in pigmeat⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1423/78⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 8 and 12 (1) thereof,

Whereas imports into the Community of any of the products listed in Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 shall be subject to a levy fixed in advance for each quarter; whereas the levies were last fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 731/78 of 11 April 1978⁽³⁾ for the period 1 May to 31 July 1978 and must therefore be fixed anew for the period 1 August to 31 October 1978;

Whereas the levy applicable to pig carcasses is composed of two components;

Whereas the first component is to be equal to the difference between prices within the Community and on the world market for the quantity of feed grain composed as provided in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2764/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down the rules for calculating a component of the levy on pig carcasses⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 370/76⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas the value of the quantity of feed grain within the Community shall be determined in accordance with Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 2764/75; whereas the value of the same quantity on the world market shall be determined in accordance with Article 3 thereof;

Whereas the said Article 3 provides that the world market price for each cereal shall be equal to the average of the cif prices of such cereal; whereas the cif prices shall be determined for the period of five months ending one month before the quarter in respect of which the said component is calculated; whereas that period runs from 1 February to 30 June 1978;

Whereas the second component shall be 7 % of the average sluice-gate prices applicable for the four quarters preceding 1 May of each year;

Whereas the levies applicable to products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 other than pig carcasses shall be derived from the levy on pig carcasses on the basis of the coefficients fixed for such products pursuant to Article 10 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 in Annex I to Commission Regulation No 204/67/EEC of 28 June 1967 fixing coefficients for calculating levies on pigmeat products other than pig carcasses⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2333/77⁽⁷⁾;

Whereas the levies applicable to products listed in Article 1 (1) (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 shall be composed of two components;

Whereas the first component shall be derived from the levy on pig carcasses on the basis of the coefficients laid down in Annex II to Regulation No 204/67/EEC;

Whereas the second component shall be equal to 7 %, and for products falling within heading No ex 16.02 of the Common Customs Tariff to 10 %, of the average offer prices for imports during the 12 months preceding 1 May; whereas these averages should be determined bearing in mind all the information available relating to imports into the Community from third countries, taking into account the representative character of prices;

Whereas, for the products falling within subheadings 02.01 B II c) 1 to 7, 15.01 A I, 16.01 A and 16.02 A II of the Common Customs Tariff, in respect of which the rate of duty has been bound with GATT, levies must be restricted to the amounts resulting from that binding;

Whereas, for pig carcasses and other products referred to in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75 of 29 October 1975 establishing the list of products for which sluice-gate prices are to be fixed

(1) OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 171, 28. 6. 1978, p. 19.

(3) OJ No L 99, 12. 4. 1978, p. 9.

(4) OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 21.

(5) OJ No L 45, 21. 2. 1976, p. 4.

(6) OJ No 134, 30. 6. 1967, p. 2840/67.

(7) OJ No L 273, 26. 10. 1977, p. 9.

and laying down the rules for fixing the sluice-gate price for pig carcasses⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 370/76, the sluice-gate prices must be fixed in advance for each quarter; whereas the sluice-gate prices were last fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 731/78 for the period 1 May to 31 July 1978 and must be fixed anew for the period 1 August to 31 October 1978;

Whereas the sluice-gate price for pig carcasses is composed of three components;

Whereas the first component shall be equal to the value on the world market of the quantity of feed grain equivalent to the quantity of feedingstuffs required for the production in third countries of one kilogram of pigmeat, such quantity being composed as provided in Article 2 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75;

Whereas the value of that quantity of cereals shall be established in accordance with Article 2 (2) and (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75;

Whereas the said Article 2 provides that the price of each cereal on the world market shall be equal to the average cif price of such cereal; whereas the cif prices shall be determined for the period of five months ending one month before the quarter in respect of which the said amount is calculated; whereas that period runs from 1 February to 30 June 1978;

Whereas the second component, representing the extra cost, in relation to feed grain of feedingstuffs other than grain required for the production of one kilogram of pigmeat, shall, in accordance with Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75, be 15 % of the value of the quantity of feed grain;

Whereas the third amount, representing overhead costs of production and marketing, shall, in accor-

dance with Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75, be 20 units of account per 100 kilograms of pig carcasses;

Whereas the sluice-gate prices of products referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75, other than pig carcasses, shall be derived from the sluice-gate price for pig carcasses on the basis of the coefficients laid down by Regulation No 204/67/EEC;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For the period 1 August to 31 October 1978 the levies provided for in Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 for the products referred to in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation and the sluice-gate prices provided for in Article 12 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 for the products referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75, shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

2. Provided that in the case of products falling within subheadings 02.01 B II c) 1 to 7, 15.01 A I, 16.01 A and 16.02 A II of the Common Customs Tariff in respect of which the rate of duty has been bound within GATT the levy shall not exceed the amount resulting from that binding.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1978.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 July 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 25.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 July 1978 fixing the levies and sluice-gate prices
on pigmeat

CCT heading No	Description	Sluice-gate price u.a./100 kg	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg	Conventional rate of duty bound within GATT (%)
01.03	Live swine :			
	A. Domestic species :			
	II. Other :			
	a) Sows having farrowed at least once, of a weight of not less than 160 kg	46.11	24.06	—
	b) Other	54.22	28.30	—
02.01	Meat and edible offals of the animals falling within heading No 01.01, 01.02, 01.03 or 01.04, fresh, chilled or frozen :			
	A. Meat :			
	III. Of swine :			
	a) Of domestic swine :			
	1. Carcasses or half-carcasses, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	70.51	36.80	—
	2. Hams and cuts of hams, unboned (bone-in)	109.29	57.03	—
	3. Shoulders (fores) and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in)	86.02	44.89	—
	4. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in)	114.23	59.61	—
	5. Bellies (streaky) and cuts of bellies	61.34	32.01	—
	6. Other :			
	aa) Boned or boneless and frozen	114.23	59.61	—
	bb) Other	—	59.61	—
	B. Offals :			
	II. Other :			
	c) Of domestic swine :			
	1. Heads and cuts of heads ; necks	—	11.77	9
	2. Feet; tails	—	3.31	9
	3. Kidneys	—	38.64	9
	4. Livers	—	44.52	11
	5. Hearts ; tongues ; lungs	—	22.08	9
	6. Livers, hearts, tongues and lungs attached to the trachea and gullet	—	32.38	9
	7. Other	—	32.38	9
02.05	Pig fat free of lean meat and poultry fat (not rendered or solvent-extracted), fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, in brine, dried or smoked :			
	A. Back-fat :			
	I. Fresh, chilled, frozen, salted or in brine	29.61	15.45	—
	II. Dried or smoked	—	18.03	—
	B. Pig fat, other than that falling within subheading A	—	8.83	—

CCT heading No	Description	Sluice-gate price u.a./100 kg	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg	Conventional rate of duty bound within GATT (%)
02.06	Meat and edible meat offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked :			
	B. Meat and edible meat offals of domestic swine :			
	I. Meat :			
	a) Salted or in brine :			
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	70.51	36.80	—
	2. Bacon sides, spencers, 3/4 sides and middles :			
	aa) Bacon sides	95.19	49.67	—
	bb) Spencers	—	49.67	—
	cc) 3/4 sides and middles	—	55.19	—
	3. Hams and cuts of hams, unboned (bone-in)	109.29	57.03	—
	4. Shoulders (fores) and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in)	86.02	44.89	—
	5. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in)	114.23	59.61	—
	6. Bellies (streaky) and cuts of bellies	61.34	32.01	—
	7. Other	—	59.61	—
	b) Dried or smoked :			
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	—	55.19	—
	2. Bacon sides, spencers, 3/4 sides and middles :			
	aa) Bacon sides	—	55.19	—
	bb) Spencers	—	55.19	—
	cc) 3/4 sides and middles	—	60.71	—
	3. Hams and cuts of hams, unboned (bone-in) :			
	aa) Slightly dried or slightly smoked	—	73.59	—
	bb) Other	—	103.76	—
	4. Shoulders (fores) and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in) :			
	aa) Slightly dried or slightly smoked	—	51.51	—
	bb) Other	—	81.69	—
	5. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in) :			
	aa) Slightly dried or slightly smoked	—	77.27	—
	bb) Other	—	102.66	—
	6. Bellies (streaky) and cuts of bellies :			
	aa) Slightly dried or slightly smoked	—	36.80	—
	bb) Other	—	53.35	—
	7. Other :			
	aa) Slightly dried or slightly smoked	—	77.27	—
	bb) Other	—	103.76	—
	II. Edible meat offals :			
	a) Heads and cuts of heads ; necks	—	11.77	—
	b) Feet ; tails	—	3.31	—
	c) Kidneys	—	38.64	—
	d) Livers	—	44.52	—
	e) Hearts ; tongues ; lungs	—	22.08	—
	f) Livers, hearts, tongues and lungs attached to the trachea and gullet	—	32.38	—
	g) Other	—	32.38	—

CCT heading No	Description	Sluice-gate price u.a./100 kg	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg	Conventional rate of duty bound within GATT (%)
15.01	Lard, other pig fat and poultry fat, rendered or solvent extracted :			
	A. Lard and other pig fat :			
	I. For industrial uses other than the manufacture of foodstuffs for human consumption (a)	—	11.77	3
	II. Other	22.56	11.77	—
16.01	Sausages and the like, of meat, meat offal or animal blood :			
	A. Liver sausages	—	70.00	24
	B. Other (b) :			
	I. Sausages, dry or for spreading, uncooked	—	112.39	—
	II. Other	—	77.56	—
16.02	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal :			
	A. Liver :			
	II. Other	—	73.38	25
	B. Other :			
	III. Other :			
	a) Containing meat or offal of domestic swine :			
	1. Containing bovine meat, uncooked	—	160.78	—
	2. Other, containing, by weight :			
	aa) 80 % or more of meat or offal, of any kind, including fats of any kind or origin :			
	11. Hams, fillets and loins ; pieces thereof	—	119.91	—
	22. Shoulders and pieces thereof	—	98.45	—
	33. Other	—	68.09	—
	bb) 40 % or more but less than 80 % of meat or offals, of any kind, including fats of any kind or origin	—	60.69	—
	cc) Less than 40 % of meat or offal, of any kind, including fats of any kind or origin	—	40.03	—

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

(b) The levy on sausages imported in containers which also contain preserving liquid, shall be charged on the net weight, i.e. minus the weight of the liquid.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1615/78

of 11 July 1978

amending the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 368/77 as regards the denaturing of skimmed-milk powder for use in feed for pigs and poultry

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 1421/78⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (5) thereof,

Whereas Section 3 of the Annex to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 368/77 of 23 February 1977 on the sale by tender of skimmed-milk powder for use in feed for pigs and poultry⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 894/78⁽⁴⁾, contains general prescriptions on the denaturing of skimmed-milk powder and its incorporation in feed for pigs and poultry; whereas in the light of experience gained and to bring the Annex into line with normal industrial practice certain technical changes should be made;

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

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 368/77 is amended as follows:

1. In Section 1 — 'Denaturing', Formula I G is deleted with effect from 1 January 1979.

2. In Section 2 — 'Denaturing by direct incorporation in animal feed':

(a) Formula II B is amended to read as follows:

'Formula II B

- 3 % fish meal either non-deodorized or still having a strong smell,
- and
- 40 % ground cereals and/or oil-seed cake,
- and
- 2 % crude fibre, including that obtained in the products mentioned in the previous indent,

and

- 300 ppm iron, of which that added to obtain this level is as ferrous sulphate heptahydrate';

(b) Formula II C is deleted with effect from 1 August 1978;

(c) the heading 'Formula II E' is replaced by 'Formula II E 1';

(d) the following Formula II E 2 is inserted after Formula II E 1:

'Formula II E 2

- 40 % ground cereals and/or oil-seed cake,
- and
- 6 % crude fibre, including that obtained in the products mentioned in the preceding indent,
- and
- 360 ppm iron, of which that added to obtain this level is as ferrous sulphate heptahydrate,
- and
- 45 ppm copper, of which that added to obtain this level is as copper sulphate pentahydrate';

(e) the heading 'Formula II F' is replaced by 'Formula II F 1';

(f) the following Formula II F 2 is inserted after Formula II F 1:

'Formula II F 2

- 40 % ground cereals and/or oil-seed cake,
- and
- 3 % crude fibre, including that obtained in the products mentioned in the preceding indent,
- and
- 360 ppm iron, of which that added to obtain this level is as ferrous sulphate heptahydrate,
- and
- 120 ppm copper, of which that added to obtain this level is as copper sulphate pentahydrate.'

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 171, 28. 6. 1978, p. 12.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 52, 24. 2. 1977, p. 19.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 117, 29. 4. 1978, p. 55.

3. The following amendments are made to part B of Section 3 — 'General prescriptions concerning denaturing and incorporation'.

(a) The fourth paragraph is amended to read as follows:

'Ground cereals and oil-seed cake, as well as crude fibre in whatever form, used either individually or in blended form, must have a minimum of 50 % of their particles less than 500 microns in size';

(b) The fifth paragraph is amended to read as follows:

'Grass meal and lucerne meal, used either individually or in blended form, must have a

minimum of 50 % of their particles not exceeding 300 microns in size';

(c) An additional paragraph as follows is added after the ninth paragraph:

'For the purposes of this Regulation:

- ground dried plain sugar beet pulp can be considered equivalent to ground cereals,
- straw meal can be considered equivalent to grass meal.'

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 11 July 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION No 1616/78/ECSC

of 10 July 1978

amending recommendation 77/330/ECSC establishing Community surveillance in respect of the importation into the Community of certain iron and steel products covered by the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community, originating in third countries

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community, and in particular Article 74 (3) thereof,

Whereas recommendation 77/518/ECSC of 28 July 1977 ⁽¹⁾, and recommendation No 962/78/ECSC of 12 May 1978 ⁽²⁾, extended the Community surveillance of imports established by recommendation 77/330/ECSC of 15 April 1977 ⁽³⁾, to cover certain other iron and steel products covered by the ECSC Treaty in order to follow their development and to ensure that such imports and the conditions under which they are effected do not seriously threaten Community production;

Whereas Community surveillance should be extended for the same reasons to cover certain alloy steel products of the iron and steel industry;

Whereas recommendation 77/808/ECSC of 23 December 1977 ⁽⁴⁾, and recommendation 78/282/ECSC of 9 March 1978 ⁽⁵⁾, provided that the information entered on the application by the importer should include *inter alia* the delivered price free-at-destination; whereas it is necessary, in order to check this information more strictly, that the said application should give certain additional details;

Whereas it is necessary to know the volume of imports intended for processing under contract and subsequent re-export to the third country of origin, and the application by the importer should therefore indicate the products concerned,

MAKES THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATION:

Article 1

The following products shall be added to the list of products annexed to recommendation 77/330/ECSC,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 209, 17. 8. 1977, p. 18.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 126, 13. 5. 1978, p. 5.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 114, 5. 5. 1977, p. 15.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 352, 31. 12. 1977, p. 15.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 73, 15. 3. 1978, p. 37.

as amended by recommendations 77/518/ECSC and No 962/78/ECSC:

CCT heading No	Description
73.15 B V b) 1	Alloyed wire rod
73.15 B VII a) 2	Other 'electrical' sheets and plates
73.15 B VII b) 1	Other alloyed sheets and plates, not further worked than hot-rolled

Article 2

Article 2 of recommendation 77/330/ECSC, as last amended by recommendation 78/282/ECSC, is hereby amended as follows:

1. Subparagraph (h) shall read as follows:

'(h) in the case of products originating in the countries listed in the Annex and of concrete reinforcement bars falling within subheading ex 73.10 A II of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Switzerland: the effective price free-at-destination per tonne; the ECSC producers' list price selected for calculating the delivered price or the third country offer on which alignment has been authorized;

extras for size and/or quality, per tonne.

where applicable:

other extras (to be specified);

any rebates per tonne (reasons to be given);'

2. The following subparagraph (j) shall be added:

'(j) where applicable whether the products in question, whatever their origins are, are intended for processing under contract and subsequent re-export to the third country of origin.'

Article 3

Done at Brussels, 10 July 1978.

This recommendation shall be notified to the Member States and published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall enter into force on 15 July 1978.

For the Commission

Étienne DAVIGNON

Member of the Commission

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1617/78**of 11 July 1978****fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organ-
ization of the market in sugar ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 1396/78 ⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw
sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1550/78 ⁽³⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1550/78
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 12 July
1978.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 July 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 170, 27. 6. 1978, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 182, 5. 7. 1978, p. 17.

ANNEX

**to the Commission Regulation of 11 July 1978 fixing the import levies on white sugar and
raw sugar**

(u.a. / 100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, in solid form :	
	A. White sugar ; flavoured or coloured sugar	28.03
	B. Raw sugar	23.74 ⁽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.

Information on the date of entry into force of the Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus and the Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to trade in agricultural products between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus

The exchange of instruments of notification of completion of the procedures necessary for the entry into force of the Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus and the Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to trade in agricultural products between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus, which were signed at Brussels on 11 May 1978, took place on 30 June 1978 and the Protocols will therefore enter into force, in accordance with Article 12 of the Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus and with Article 4 of the Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to trade in agricultural products between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus, on 1 July 1978.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 2 June 1978

authorizing Ireland not to apply Community treatment to shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than babies' garments, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres ; T-shirts and lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers of regenerated textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 60.04 (NIMEXE code 60.04-01 ; 05 ; 13 ; 18 ; 28 ; 29 ; 30 ; 41 ; 50 ; 58) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Brazil and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the English text is authentic)

(78/561/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty, made on 26 May 1978 by the Irish Government to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than babies' garments, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres ; T-shirts and lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers of regenerated textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 60.04 (NIMEXE code ; 60.04-01 ; 05 ; 13 ; 18 ; 28 ; 29 ; 30 ; 41 ; 50 ; 58) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Brazil and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas the importation into the Community of the products in question originating in Brazil is covered by an Agreement negotiated between the Community and that country ;

Whereas under that Agreement Brazil has undertaken to take all necessary steps to limit its exports of the products in question to the Community to certain ceilings allocated among the Member States ;

Whereas it was not possible on that occasion to allocate these ceilings on the basis of the needs of the individual markets ; whereas for that reason disparities persist between the import conditions in the various Member States ; whereas uniformity can only be achieved progressively ;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment ;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties ;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States ;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the conditions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof ;

Whereas, however, the request for a licence which gave rise to the application in question does not need to be covered by such an authorization in view of the small amount involved,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

Ireland is authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in Brazil and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after the date of this Decision :

CCT heading No	Description
ex 60.04 (NIMEXE code 60.04-01 ; 05 ; 13 ; 18 ; 28 ; 29 ; 30 ; 41 ; 50 ; 58)	Shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubbertized, other than babies' garments, or cotton or synthetic textile fibres ; T-shirts and lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers of regenerated textile fibres

Article 2

This Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from Brazil or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to Ireland.

Done at Brussels, 2 June 1978.

For the Commission

Wilhelm HAFERKAMP

Vice-President

COMMISSION DECISION

of 6 June 1978

authorizing Ireland not to apply Community treatment to women's, girls' and infants' parkas, anoraks, windcheaters and the like, woven, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 or subheading ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-29 ; 31 ; 32 — 61.02-25 ; 26 ; 28) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in South Korea and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the English text is authentic)

(78/562/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty made on 26 May 1978 by the Irish Government to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to women's, girls' and infants' parkas, anoraks, windcheaters and the like, woven, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 or subheading ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-29 ; 31 ; 32 — 61.02-25 ; 26 ; 28) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in South Korea and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas the importation into the Community of the products in question originating in South Korea is covered by an Agreement negotiated between the Community and that country ;

Whereas under that Agreement South Korea has undertaken to take all necessary steps to limit its exports of the products in question to the Community to certain ceilings allocated among the Member States ;

Whereas it was not possible on that occasion to allocate these ceilings on the basis of the needs of the individual markets ; whereas for that reason disparities persist between the import conditions in the various Member States ; whereas uniformity can only be achieved progressively ;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment ;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties ;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States ;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the conditions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

Ireland is authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in South Korea and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after 22 May 1978 :

CCT heading No	Description
ex 61.01 ex 61.02 B NIMEXE codes 61.01-29 ; 31 ; 39 — 61.02-25 ; 26 ; 28)	Women's girls' and infants' parkas, anoraks, windcheaters and the like, woven, of wool, of cotton or of manmade textile fibres

Article 2

This Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from South Korea or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to Ireland.

Done at Brussels, 6 June 1978.

For the Commission

Richard BURKE

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 9 June 1978

authorizing Ireland not to apply Community treatment to bed linen, woven, falling within subheading ex 62.02 B (NIMEXE code 62.02-11 ; 19) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in India and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the English text is authentic)

(78/563/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty, made on 30 May 1978 by the Irish Government to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to bed linen, woven, falling within subheading ex 62.02 B (NIMEXE code 62.02-11 ; 19) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in India and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas the importation into the Community of the products in question originating in India is covered by an Agreement negotiated between the Community and that country ;

Whereas under that Agreement India has undertaken to take all necessary steps to limit its exports of the products in question to the Community to certain ceilings allocated among the Member States ;

Whereas it was not possible on that occasion to allocate these ceilings on the basis of the needs of the individual markets ; whereas for that reason disparities persist between the import conditions in the various Member States ; whereas uniformity can only be achieved progressively ;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment and a progressive decline in its market share ;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties ;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States ;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the

first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the conditions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof ;

Whereas, however, the request for a licence which gave rise to the application in question does not need to be covered by such an authorization in view of the small amount involved,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

Ireland is authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in India and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after the date of this Decision :

CCT heading No	Description
62.02 B (NIMEXE code 62.02-11 ; 19)	Bed linen, woven

Article 2

The Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from India or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to Ireland.

Done at Brussels, 9 June 1978.

For the Commission

Wilhelm HAFERKAMP

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 15 June 1978

authorizing the Kingdom of Belgium, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Kingdom of the Netherlands not to apply Community treatment to men's and boys' industrial and occupational clothing; women's, girls' and infants' woven aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial clothing (whether or not also suitable for domestic use), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 or subheading ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-13; 15; 17; 19 — 61.02-12; 14) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Hong Kong and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the French and Dutch texts are authentic)

(78/564/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty, made on 6 June 1978 by the Governments of the Benelux countries to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to men's and boys' industrial and occupational clothing; women's, girls' and infants' woven aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial clothing (whether or not also suitable for domestic use) of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 or subheading ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-13; 15; 17; 19 — 61.02-12; 14) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Hong Kong and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas the importation into the Community of the products in question originating in Hong Kong is covered by an Agreement negotiated between the Community and that country;

Whereas under that Agreement Hong Kong has undertaken to take all necessary steps to limit its exports of the products in question to the Community to certain ceilings allocated among the Member States;

Whereas it was not possible on that occasion to allocate these ceilings on the basis of the needs of the individual markets; whereas for that reason disparities persist between the import conditions in the various Member States; whereas uniformity can only be achieved progressively;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector

concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the conditions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Kingdom of Belgium, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Kingdom of the Netherlands are authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in Hong Kong and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after 30 May 1978:

CCT heading No	Description
ex 61.01 ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-13; 15; 17; 19 — 61.02-12; 14)	Men's and boys' woven industrial and occupational clothing; women's, girls' and infants' woven aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial clothing (whether or not also suitable for domestic use), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

Article 2

Done at Brussels, 15 June 1978.

This Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from Hong Kong or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Kingdom of Belgium, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

For the Commission

Lorenzo NATALI

Vice-President

COMMISSION DECISION

of 19 June 1978

authorizing the French Republic not to apply Community treatment to men's and boys' woven breeches, shorts and trousers (including slacks); women's, girls' and infants' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 or subheading ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-62; 64; 66; 72; 74; 76 — 61.02-66; 68; 72) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Thailand and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the French text is authentic)

(78/565/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty, made on 15 June 1978 by the French Government to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to men's and boys' woven breeches, shorts and trousers (including slacks); women's, girls' and infants' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 or subheading ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-62; 64; 66; 72; 74; 76 — 61.02-66; 68; 72) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Thailand and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas the importation into the Community of the products in question originating in Thailand is covered by an Agreement negotiated between the Community and that country;

Whereas under that Agreement Thailand has undertaken to take all necessary steps to limit its exports of the products in question to the Community to certain ceilings allocated among the Member States;

Whereas it was not possible on that occasion to allocate these ceilings on the basis of the needs of the individual markets; whereas for that reason disparities persist between the import conditions in the various Member States; whereas uniformity can only be achieved progressively;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector

concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the conditions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The French Republic is authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in Thailand and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after 15 June 1978:

CCT heading No	Description
ex 61.01 ex 61.02 B (NIMEXE codes 61.01-62; 64; 66; 72; 74; 76 — 61.02-66; 68; 72)	Men's and boys' woven breeches, shorts and trousers (including slacks); women's, girls' and infants' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

Article 2

Done at Brussels, 19 June 1978.

This Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from Thailand or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

For the Commission

Henk VREDELING

Vice-President

COMMISSION DECISION

of 21 June 1978

authorizing the French Republic not to apply Community treatments to men's and boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, other than those of category 14A, of wool, of cotton or man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 (NIMEXE code 61.01-41 ; 42 ; 44 ; 46 ; 47) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in South Korea and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the French text is authentic)

(78/566/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty, made on 14 June 1978 by the French Government to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to men's and boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, other than those of category 14A, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, falling within heading No ex 61.01 (NIMEXE code 61.01-41 ; 42 ; 44 ; 46 ; 47) of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in South Korea and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas the importation into the Community of the products in question originating in South Korea is covered by an Agreement negotiated between the Community and that country ;

Whereas under that Agreement South Korea has undertaken to take all necessary steps to limit its exports of the products in question to the Community to certain ceilings allocated among the Member States ;

Whereas it was not possible on that occasion to allocate these ceilings on the basis of the needs of the individual markets ; whereas for that reason disparities persist between the import conditions in the various Member States ; whereas uniformity can only be achieved progressively ;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment ;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties ;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States ;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the conditions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof ;

Whereas, however, the request for a licence which gave rise to the application in question does not need to be covered by such an authorization in view of the small amount involved,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The French Republic is authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in South Korea and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after 14 June 1978 :

CCT heading No	Description
ex 61.01 (NIMEXE code 61.01-41 ; 42 ; 44 ; 46 ; 47)	Men's and boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, other than those of category 14A, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

Article 2

Done at Brussels, 21 June 1978.

This Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from South Korea or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

For the Commission

Richard BURKE

Member of the Commission

COMMISSION DECISION

of 22 June 1978

authorizing the Kingdom of Belgium, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Kingdom of the Netherlands not to apply Community treatment to men's leather footwear, including boots, falling within heading No ex 64.02 of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Romania and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the French and Dutch texts are authentic)

(78/567/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Having regard to the application under the first paragraph of Article 115 of the Treaty, made on 16 June 1978 by the Governments of the Benelux countries to the Commission of the European Communities, for authorization not to apply Community treatment to men's leather footwear, including boots, falling within heading No ex 64.02 of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Romania and in free circulation in the other Member States,

Whereas in the Benelux countries the importation of the products in question originating in Romania is, in accordance with the Council Decision of 20 December 1977⁽¹⁾, subject to an annual quota, which has already been wholly taken up;

Whereas according to the application submitted there are serious difficulties in the industrial sector concerned involving a considerable drop in production and employment and a progressive decline in its market share;

Whereas these economic difficulties are caused largely by unequal conditions of competition, whereby exports can be effected at prices appreciably lower than those of the Community products in question;

Whereas further indirect imports, in addition to those already effected, would be likely to aggravate these difficulties;

Whereas it is not possible to set in motion rapidly the machinery for bringing about the necessary cooperation from the other Member States;

Whereas authorization should accordingly be given for the application of protective measures under the first paragraph of Article 115, subject to the condi-

tions specified in the Commission Decision of 12 May 1971⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 1 thereof;

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Kingdom of Belgium, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Kingdom of the Netherlands are authorized not to apply Community treatment to the products indicated below, where they originate in Romania and are in free circulation in the other Member States, and in respect of which applications for import licences were lodged after 5 June 1978:

CCT heading No	Description
ex 64.02	Men's leather footwear, including boots

Article 2

This Decision shall apply until new opportunities arise for the importation of these products from Romania or until 31 December 1978, whichever is the earlier.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Kingdom of Belgium, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Done at Brussels, 22 June 1978.

For the Commission

Lorenzo NATALI

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 360, 31. 12. 1977, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 121, 3. 6. 1971, p. 26.

CORRIGENDA**Corrigendum to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78 of 19 June 1978 on the aid system for dried fodder**

(Official Journal of the European Communities No L 171 of 28 June 1978)

Page 2, Article 5, first subparagraph, (b), second indent :

for: ' — 13 % for the products listed in Article 1 (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78,'

read: ' — 14 % for the products listed in Article 1 (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 ; however, for the 1978/79 marketing year, this minimum content may not be less than 13 %,'
