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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2552/85**of 11 September 1985****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 1018/84⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13 (5) thereof,

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⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 2159/85⁽⁵⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies 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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient

provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 974/71⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 855/84⁽⁷⁾,

— 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 indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 10 September 1985;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2159/85 to today's offer prices and quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

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 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 203, 1. 8. 1985, p. 8.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

(ECU/tonne)		
CCT heading No	Description	Levies
10.01 B I	Common wheat, and meslin	105,93
10.01 B II	Durum wheat	158,39 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
10.02	Rye	98,61 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	105,51
10.04	Oats	75,24
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	87,11 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	52,64 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	115,24 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D I	Triticale	(7)
10.07 D II	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	161,58
11.01 B	Rye flour	151,33
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	258,67
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	174,19

⁽¹⁾ Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0,60 ECU/tonne.

⁽²⁾ In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.

⁽³⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 1,81 ECU/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 0,60 ECU/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.

⁽⁷⁾ The levy applicable to rye shall be charged on imports of the product falling within subheading 10.07 D I (triticale).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2553/85

of 11 September 1985

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 1018/84⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15 (6) thereof,

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 agricul-
tural policy⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 2543/73⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary
Committee,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on
cereals and malt were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
2160/85⁽⁵⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally,
levies 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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient

provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC)
No 974/71⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 855/84⁽⁷⁾,

- 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 indent, and the aforesaid coeffi-
cient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on
10 September 1985;

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 to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The premiums referred to in Article 15 of Regulation
(EEC) No 2727/75 to be added to the import levies
fixed in advance in respect of cereals and malt shall be
as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12
September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 203, 1. 8. 1985, p. 11.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(ECU/tonne)					
CCT heading No	Description	Current 9	1st period 10	2nd period 11	3rd period 12
10.01 B I	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0	0	0
10.01 B II	Durum wheat	0	0	0	0
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	7,29	7,29	10,27
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

(ECU/tonne)						
CCT heading No	Description	Current 9	1st period 10	2nd period 11	3rd period 12	4th period 1
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 2554/85**of 11 September 1985****fixing the import levies 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 organization
of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation
(EEC) No 1025/84 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 11 (2)
thereof,

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice
were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 2456/85 ⁽³⁾, as
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2501/85 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally,
levies 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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient
provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC)
No 974/71 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 855/84 ⁽⁶⁾,
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the
arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of

these currencies recorded over a given period in
relation to the Community currencies referred to
in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coeffi-
cient;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2456/85 to today's
offer prices and quotations known to the Commission
that the levies at present in force should be altered to
the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on the products listed
in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12
September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 13.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 234, 31. 8. 1985, p. 5.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 238, 5. 9. 1985, p. 5.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.
⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

(ECU/tonne)			
CCT heading No	Description	Third countries ⁽³⁾	ACP or OCT ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
ex 10.06	Rice :		
	B. Other :		
	I. Paddy rice ; husked rice :		
	a) Paddy rice :		
	1. Round grain	253,26	123,03
	2. Long grain	245,54	119,17
	b) Husked rice :		
	1. Round grain	316,58	154,69
	2. Long grain	306,92	149,86
	II. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :		
	a) Semi-milled rice :		
	1. Round grain	342,80	159,47
	2. Long grain	519,92	248,07
	b) Wholly milled rice :		
	1. Round grain	365,08	170,19
	2. Long grain	557,36	266,33
	III. Broken rice	87,90	40,95

⁽¹⁾ Subject to the application of the provisions of Articles 10 and 11 of Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 and of Regulation No 551/85.

⁽²⁾ In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 486/85, the levies are not applied to imports into the overseas department of Réunion of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.

⁽³⁾ The import levy on rice entering the overseas department of Réunion is specified in Article 11a of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2555/85

of 11 September 1985

fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies 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 organization of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1025/84 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13 (6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on rice and broken rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 2457/85 ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2502/85 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies 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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 974/71 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 855/84 ⁽⁶⁾,

- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded over a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

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 to the amounts shown in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The premiums to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of rice and broken rice shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 13.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 234, 31. 8. 1985, p. 8.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 238, 5. 9. 1985, p. 7.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on rice and broken rice

CCT heading No	Description	(ECU / tonne)			
		Current 9	1st period 10	2nd period 11	3rd period 12
ex 10.06	Rice :				
	B. Other				
	I. Paddy rice ; husked rice :				
	a) Paddy rice :				
	1. Round grain	0	0	0	—
	2. Long grain	0	0	0	—
	b) Husked rice :				
	1. Round grain	0	0	0	—
	2. Long grain	0	0	0	—
	II. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :				
	a) Semi-milled rice :				
	1. Round grain	0	0	0	—
	2. Long grain	0	0	0	—
	b) Wholly milled rice :				
	1. Round grain	0	0	0	—
	2. Long grain	0	0	0	—
	III. Broken rice	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2556/85

of 11 September 1985

fixing the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in the natural state

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1482/85⁽²⁾, and in particular point (a) of the first subparagraph of Article 19 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 19 of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 766/68 of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1489/76⁽⁴⁾, provides that when refunds on white and raw sugar, undenatured and exported in the natural state, are being fixed account must be taken of the situation on the Community and world markets in sugar and in particular of the price and cost factors set out in Article 3 of that Regulation; whereas the same Article provides that the economic aspect of the proposed exports should also be taken into account;

Whereas the refund on raw sugar must be fixed in respect of the standard quality; whereas the latter is defined in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 431/68 of 9 April 1968 determining the standard quality for raw sugar and fixing the Community frontier crossing point for calculating cif prices for sugar⁽⁵⁾; whereas, furthermore, this refund should be

fixed in accordance with Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 766/68; whereas candy sugar is defined in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 394/70 of 2 March 1970 on detailed rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽⁶⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1467/77⁽⁷⁾; whereas the refund thus calculated for aromatized sugars or for sugars with colouring added must apply to their sucrose content and, accordingly, be fixed per 1 % of the said content;

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

Whereas, in special cases, the amount of the refund may be fixed by other legal instruments;

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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 974/71⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 855/84⁽⁹⁾,
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded over a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas the refund must be fixed every two weeks; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules set out above to the present situation on the market in sugar and in particular to quotations or prices for sugar within the Community and on the world market that the refund should be as set out in the Annex hereto;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 151, 10. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 13.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 89, 10. 4. 1968, p. 3.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 50, 4. 3. 1970, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 162, 1. 7. 1977, p. 6.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

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

and exported in the natural state, shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 2

Article 1

The export refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 undenatured

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in the natural state

(ECU)

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of refund	
		per 100 kg	per percentage point of sucrose content and per 100 kg net of the product in question
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid :		
	A. White sugar ; flavoured or coloured sugar :		
	(I) White sugar :		
	(a) Candy sugar	38,11	
	(b) Other	36,99	
	(II) Flavoured or coloured sugar		0,3811
	B. Raw sugar :		
	II. Other :		
	(a) Candy sugar	35,06 ⁽¹⁾	
	(b) Other raw sugar	34,03 ⁽¹⁾	

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 % ; if the yield is other than 92 %, the refund applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 5 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 766/68.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2557/85

of 11 September 1985

regarding the application of Decisions No 1/85, No 2/85 and No 3/85 of the ACP-EEC Customs Cooperation Committee derogating from the definition of the concept of 'originating products'

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Decision 81/968/EEC of 24 November 1981 on the application of derogations from the definition of originating products under the second ACP-EEC Convention ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 485/85 of 26 February 1985 concerning the application of Decision No 2/85 of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers on transitional measures valid from 1 March 1985 ⁽²⁾,

Whereas the ACP-EEC Customs Cooperation Committee set up under the second ACP-EEC Convention, signed at Lomé on 31 October 1979, adopted pursuant to Articles 28 (3) and 30 (1) of Protocol 1 to that Convention, Decisions No 1/85,

2/85 and 3/85 derogating from the definition of the concept of 'originating products',

Whereas it is necessary in accordance with Article 33 of the said Protocol 1 to take the measure required to implement those Decisions,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Decisions No 1/85, 2/85 and 3/85 of the ACP-EEC Customs Cooperation Committee annexed to this Regulation shall apply in the Community.

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, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission
COCKFIELD
Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 354, 9. 12. 1981, p. 30.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 1.

DECISION No 1/85 OF THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE**of 7 June 1985****derogating from the definition of the concept of 'originating products' to take into account the special situation of Jamaica with regard to tufted carpets falling within heading No 58.02 of the Common Customs Tariff**

THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the second ACP-EEC Convention signed at Lomé on 31 October 1979,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 485/85 of 26 February 1985 concerning the application of Decision No 2/85 of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers on transitional measures valid from 1 March 1985⁽¹⁾,

Whereas Article 30 of Protocol 1 to the Third ACP-EEC Convention, signed at Lomé on 8 December 1984, concerning the definition of the concept of originating products and methods of administrative cooperation, provides that derogations from the rules of origin may be made, in particular where the development of existing industries or the creation of new industries would be facilitated thereby;

Whereas Article 4 of Decision No 2/85⁽²⁾ states that the provisions concerning the procedure for derogating from the rules of origin, contained in Article 30 of Protocol No 1 to the Third ACP-EEC Convention, shall be applied in advance,

Whereas, to preserve its carpet industry and in order to allow it to take the necessary steps in order to obtain originating status for its finished products, Jamaica benefited from 3 October 1984 to 28 February 1985 from a derogation from the definition of the concept of 'originating products', contained in Protocol No 1 to the Second ACP-EEC Convention, for tufted carpets;

Whereas the duration of this derogation has not been sufficient to permit the Jamaican industry concerned to adapt its production to the conditions required for the acquisition of origin by the Second ACP-EEC Convention; whereas, as a result, the provisions necessary to give a continued derogation should be adopted;

Whereas, in these circumstances, a temporary derogation from the definition of the concept of originating

products should be granted to Jamaica until 2 October 1986,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

By way of derogation from the special provisions of List A of Annex II to Protocol 1 to the Second ACP-EEC Convention, tufted carpets falling within subheading 58.02 A II a) of the Common Customs Tariff, manufactured in Jamaica, in the production of which non-originating backing falling within heading No 51.04 or 57.10 of the Common Customs Tariff is used, shall be considered as originating in Jamaica provided that the other conditions applicable to heading No 58.02 are respected.

Article 2

The derogation referred to in Article 1 shall be in respect of a quantity of 220 000 square yards of tufted carpets exported from Jamaica between 1 March 1985 and 2 October 1986.

Article 3

The Jamaican authorities shall take the steps necessary to check the quantities of exports of products referred to in Article 1 and shall forward to the Commission every three months a statement of the quantities in respect of which EUR 1 movement certificates have been issued pursuant to this Decision.

Article 4

The ACP States, the Member States and the Community shall be bound, each to the extent to which it is concerned, to take the measures necessary to implement this Decision.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 2.

Article 5

This Decision shall enter into force on the day on which, it is adopted.

However, it shall cease to apply on 28 February 1986 if the Third ACP-EEC Convention has not entered into force by that date.

Done at Brussels, 7 June 1985.

*For the ACP-EEC Customs
Cooperation Committee*

The Chairmen

F. KLEIN

Maurice Oscar ST JOHN

DECISION No 2/85 OF THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE**of 7 June 1985****derogating from the definition of 'originating products', as regards certain fishery items, in order to take account of the special situation of Malawi, Kenya and Mauritius**

THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the second ACP-EEC Convention signed at Lomé on 31 October 1979,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 485/85 of 26 February 1985 concerning the application of Decision No 2/85 of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers on transitional measures valid from 1 March 1985⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the draft Decision submitted by the Commission,

Whereas Article 4 of the said Decision No 2/85⁽²⁾ lays down that the provisions concerning the procedure for derogating from the rules of origin contained in Article 30 of Protocol 1 to the Third ACP-EEC Convention signed at Lomé on 8 December 1984 are to be applied in advance;

Whereas the ACP States have requested a derogation from the definition given in Protocol 1 for certain fishery items falling within Common Customs Tariff heading ex 97.07 and manufactured in Malawi, Kenya and Mauritius;

Whereas Malawi and Kenya benefited from a derogation from the abovementioned definition in respect of fishery items from 1 March 1983 to 28 February 1985 and Mauritius from 1 January 1984 to 28 February 1985;

Whereas the economic conditions of production in the abovementioned countries have not changed;

Whereas the definition in Protocol 1 to the Third ACP-EEC Convention introduced a permanent new rule allowing the incorporation in certain fishery items of up to 25 % non-originating products;

Whereas, therefore, Malawi, Kenya and Mauritius should be granted a temporary derogation from the definition of the concept of originating products,

Article 1

By way of derogation from Protocol 1 to the Second ACP-EEC Convention, mounted fish-hooks with artificial bait and mounted fishing lines including casts, manufactured in Malawi, Kenya or Mauritius and falling within Common Customs Tariff heading ex 97.07, shall be considered as originating in Malawi, Kenya or Mauritius, provided that the value of the non-originating products used in their manufacture and falling within Common Customs Tariff heading ex 97.07 does not exceed 25 % of the value of the finished product.

Article 2

The competent authorities of the Republic of Malawi, the Republic of Kenya and Mauritius shall send to the Commission each quarter a list of the quantities for which EUR 1 movement certificates have been issued under this Decision.

Article 3

The ACP States and the Member States of the Community shall take the respective measures necessary to implement this Decision.

Article 4

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

It shall apply from 1 March 1985 until the entry into force of the Third ACP-EEC Convention but until 28 February 1986 at the latest.

Done at Brussels, 7 June 1985.

*For the ACP-EEC Customs
Cooperation Committee*

The Chairmen

F. KLEIN

Maurice Oscar ST JOHN

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 2.

DECISION No 3/85 OF THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE**of 16 July 1985****derogating from the definition of the concept of 'originating products' to take account of the special situation of Mauritius with regard to its production of canned tuna**

THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Second ACP-EEC Convention, signed at Lomé on 31 October 1979,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 485/85 of 26 February 1985 concerning the application of Decision No 2/85 of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers on transitional measures valid from 1 March 1985⁽¹⁾,

Whereas Decision No 2/85⁽²⁾ states in Article 4 that the provisions concerning the procedure for derogating from the rules of origin contained in Article 30 of Protocol 1 to the Third ACP-EEC Convention, signed in Lomé on 8 December 1984, are to be applied in advance as from 1 March 1985;

Whereas Article 30 of Protocol 1 to the Third ACP-EEC Convention concerning the definition of the concept of originating products and methods of administrative cooperation makes provision for derogations to be made from the rules of origin by the Customs Cooperation Committee, in particular to facilitate the development of existing industries or the creation of new industries;

Whereas the African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States have submitted a request from the Government of Mauritius for a derogation from the definition set out in Protocol 1 in respect of canned tuna produced by Mauritius;

Whereas, in order to maintain its existing fishery industry and to take the measures necessary for its finished products to obtain originating status, Mauritius has from 1 August 1984 to 28 February 1985 benefited from a derogation from the definition set out in Protocol 1 for canned tuna;

Whereas Mauritius has already purchased a vessel with a view to supplying the canneries with raw fish for its production of canned tuna;

Whereas this vessel, while increasing its catches steadily, is not in a position to supply sufficient quantities

of tuna fish for the canneries; whereas the undertaking concerned intends making use of a second fishing vessel within the coming years if experience shows that further supplies of originating fish cannot be guaranteed;

Whereas Mauritius has been unable to obtain sufficient supplies of fish originating in other ACP States; whereas the Mauritius canning industry therefore continues to be dependent upon supplies of tuna fish from third countries in order to continue its exports of canned tuna to the Community;

Whereas it is possible for Mauritius to meet its tuna fish requirements for the canneries through supplies from other developing countries; whereas, pursuant to Article 30 (5) of Protocol 1, the examination of a request for a derogation should in particular take into account such a possibility;

Whereas in these circumstances a temporary derogation from the definition of the concept of originating products should be accorded to Mauritius in accordance with Article 30 (8) of Protocol 1,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

By way of derogation from the special provisions of List A in Annex II to Protocol 1, canned tuna falling within heading No ex 16.04 of the Common Customs Tariff, manufactured in Mauritius from tuna originating in other developing countries shall be considered as originating in Mauritius under the conditions set out in this Decision.

Article 2

The derogation provided for in Article 1 shall relate to an annual quantity of 1 000 tonnes of canned tuna falling within heading No ex 16.04 of the Common Customs Tariff and exported from Mauritius between 1 March 1985 and 29 February 1988.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 2.

Article 3

The competent authorities of Mauritius shall take the necessary steps to ensure that the tuna used in the manufacture of the canned tuna referred to in Article 1 originates in other developing countries. These authorities shall also carry out quantitative checks on exports of the products referred to in Article 2 and shall forward to the Commission every three months a statement of the quantities in respect of which movement certificates EUR 1 have been issued on the basis of this Decision.

Article 4

The ACP States, the Member States and the Community shall be bound, each to the extent to which it is

concerned, to take the measures necessary to implement this Decision.

Article 5

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its adoption.

It shall apply from 1 March 1985. It shall cease to apply on 28 February 1986 if the Third ACP-EEC Convention has not entered into force by that date.

Done at Brussels, 16 July 1985.

*For the ACP-EEC Customs
Cooperation Committee*

The Chairmen

F. KLEIN

Rudolph JOHNSON

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2558/85

of 11 September 1985

opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for fresh or chilled tomatoes, falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories (1985/86)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 of 26 February 1985 on the arrangements applicable to agricultural products and certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 13 thereof,

Whereas Article 13 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 provides for the opening by the Community of a Community tariff quota of 2 000 tonnes of fresh or chilled tomatoes, falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the countries in question; whereas the quota period runs from 15 November to 30 April; whereas the customs duty applicable to the quota is set at 4,4 %, with a minimum charge of 0,8 ECU per 100 kilograms net weight; whereas this Community tariff quota should be opened for the period 15 November 1985 to 30 April 1986;

Whereas it is necessary, in particular, to ensure to all Community importers equal and uninterrupted access to the abovementioned quota and uninterrupted application of the rates laid down for that quota to all imports of the products concerned into all Member States, until the quota has been used up; whereas, however, since the period of application of the quota is very short, it seems possible to avoid allocating it among the Member States, without prejudice to the drawing against the quota volume of such quantities as they may need, in the conditions and according to the procedure specified in Article 1 (2); whereas this method of management requires close cooperation between the Member States and the Commission; whereas the latter must, in particular, be able to monitor the rate at which the quota is used up and inform the Member States thereof;

Whereas, since the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of

Luxembourg are united within and jointly represented by the Benelux Economic Union, any operation relating to the administration of the shares allocated to that economic union may be carried out by any one of its members;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For the period 15 November 1985 to 30 April 1986 a Community tariff quota of 2 000 tonnes shall be opened in the Community for fresh or chilled tomatoes, falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories.

Within this tariff quota, the Common Customs Tariff duty applicable to the products shall be suspended at 4,4 % with a minimum charge of 0,8 ECU per 100 kilograms net weight.

2. If an importer notifies an imminent importation of the product in question in a Member State and requests the benefit of the quota, the Member State concerned shall inform the Commission and draw an amount corresponding to these requirements to the extent that the available balance of the reserve permits this.

3. The shares drawn pursuant to paragraph 2 shall be valid until the end of the quota period.

Article 2

1. Member States shall take all appropriate measures to ensure that their drawings pursuant to Article 1 (2) are carried out in such a way that imports may be charged without interruption against their accumulated shares of the Community quota.

2. Each Member State shall ensure that importers of the said goods have free access to the quota so long as the residual balance of the quota volume allows this.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 4.

3. Member States shall charge imports of the said goods against their shares as and when the goods are entered for free circulation.

4. The extent to which the quota has been exhausted shall be determined on the basis of the imports charged in accordance with paragraph 3.

Article 3

At the request of the Commission, Member States shall inform it of imports actually charged against the quota.

Article 4

The Member States and the Commission shall collaborate closely in order to ensure that this Regulation is complied with.

Article 5

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 November 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

COCKFIELD

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2559/85

of 11 September 1985

opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for strawberries falling within subheading ex 08.08 A II of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories (1985/86)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 of 26 February 1985 on the arrangements applicable to agricultural products and certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 22 thereof,

Whereas Article 13 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 provides for the opening by the Community of a Community tariff quota of 700 tonnes of strawberries, falling within subheading ex 08.08 A II of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the countries in question; whereas the quota period runs from 1 November to 28 February; whereas the customs duty applicable to the quota is set at 5,6 %;

Whereas it is necessary, in particular, to ensure to all Community importers equal and uninterrupted access to the abovementioned quota and uninterrupted application of the rates laid down for that quota to all imports of the products concerned into all Member States, until the quota has been used up; whereas, however, since the period of application of the quota is very short, it seems possible to avoid allocating it among the Member States, without prejudice to the drawing against the quota volume of such quantities as they may need, in the conditions and according to the procedure specified in Article 1 (2); whereas this method of management requires close cooperation between the Member States and the Commission; whereas the latter must, in particular, be able to monitor the rate at which the quota is used up and inform the Member States thereof;

Whereas, since the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are united within and jointly represented by the Benelux Economic Union, any operation relating to the administration of the shares allocated to that

economic union may be carried out by any one of its members;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For the period 1 November 1984 to 28 February 1985 a Community tariff quota of 700 tonnes shall be opened in the Community for strawberries, falling within subheading ex 08.08 A II of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories.

Within this tariff quota, the Common Customs Tariff duty applicable to the products shall be suspended at 5,6 %.

2. If an importer notifies an imminent importation of the product in question in a Member State and requests the benefit of the quota, the Member State concerned shall inform the Commission and draw an amount corresponding to these requirements to the extent that the available balance of the reserve permits this.

3. The shares drawn pursuant to paragraph 2 shall be valid until the end of the quota period.

Article 2

1. Member States shall take all appropriate measures to ensure that their drawings pursuant to Article 1 (2) are carried out in such a way that imports may be charged without interruption against their accumulated shares of the Community quota.

2. Each Member State shall ensure that importers of the said goods have free access to the quota so long as the residual balance of the quota volume allows this.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 4.

3. Member States shall charge imports of the said goods against their shares as and when the goods are entered for free circulation.

4. The extent to which the quota has been exhausted shall be determined on the basis of the imports charged in accordance with paragraph 3.

Article 3

At the request of the Commission, Member States shall inform it of imports actually charged against the quota.

Article 4

The Member States and the Commission shall collaborate closely in order to ensure that this Regulation is complied with.

Article 5

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 November 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

COCKFIELD

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2560/85

of 11 September 1985

establishing ceilings and Community surveillance for imports of carrots and onions, falling within heading No ex 07.01 of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories (1986)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 of 26 February 1985 on the arrangements applicable to agricultural products and certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and the overseas countries and territories⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 13 thereof,

Whereas Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 stipulates that, for the period 1 January to 31 March, carrots, falling within subheading ex 07.01 G II of the Common Customs Tariff, and, for the period 15 February to 15 May, onions, falling within subheading ex 07.01 H of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the countries in question are subject on importation into the Community to the reduced rates of duty of 10,2 and 4,8 % respectively; whereas such reduction of duties applies only to imports up to ceilings of 500 tonnes for each of these products above which the customs duties actually applicable to third countries are reintroduced;

Whereas the application of ceilings requires the Community to be regularly informed of the trend of imports of the relevant products originating in these countries; whereas imports should, therefore, be made subject to a system of surveillance;

Whereas this objective may be achieved by means of an administrative procedure based on offsetting imports of the products in question against the ceilings at Community level as and when these products are entered with customs authorities for free circulation; whereas this administrative procedure must make provision for the possible reintroduction of customs tariff duties as soon as the ceilings are reached at Community level;

Whereas this administrative procedure requires close and particularly swift cooperation between the

Member States and the Commission; whereas the latter must, in particular, be able to follow the progress of quantities charged against the ceilings and keep the Member States informed; whereas this cooperation has to be particularly close since the Commission must be able to take the appropriate measures to reintroduce customs tariff duties if one of the ceilings is reached;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Imports of the products, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States, and the overseas countries and territories, which are listed in the Annex, shall be subject to ceilings and to Community surveillance.

The products referred to in the first subparagraph, their tariff headings, the customs duties applicable, the periods of validity and the levels of the ceilings are set out in the said Annex.

2. Quantities shall be charged against the ceilings as and when products are entered with customs authorities for free circulation, accompanied by a movement certificate.

Products may be charged against a ceiling only if the movement certificate is submitted before the date on which customs duties are reintroduced.

The extent to which a ceiling is used up shall be determined at Community level on the basis of the imports charged against it, as defined in the preceding subparagraphs.

Member States shall inform the Commission, at the intervals and within the time limits specified in paragraph 4, of imports effected in accordance with the above procedures.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 61, 1. 3. 1985, p. 4.

3. As soon as a ceiling has been reached, the Commission shall adopt a Regulation reintroducing, until the end of its period of validity, the customs duties applicable to third countries.

4. Member States shall send the Commission statements of the quantities charged for periods of 10 days, to be forwarded within five clear days of the end of each 10-day period.

Article 2

The Commission shall take all appropriate measures, in close cooperation with the Member States, to ensure the implementation of this Regulation.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1986.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

COCKFIELD

Vice-President

ANNEX

Order No	CCT heading No	Description	Customs duty applicable	Level of ceiling (tonnes)
	07.01	Vegetables, fresh or chilled :		
		G. Carrots, turnips, salad beetroot, salsify, celeriac, radishes and similar edible roots :		
		ex II. Carrots and turnips :		
ACP 1		— Carrots, from 1 January to 31 March 1986	10,2 %	500
		ex H. Onions, shallots and garlic :		
ACP 2		— Onions, from 15 February to 15 May 1985	4,8 %	500

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2561/85

of 11 September 1985

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2670/81 laying down detailed implementing rules in respect of sugar production in excess of the quota

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar market ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1482/85 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 26 (3) thereof,

Whereas, Article 26 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides in particular that C sugar must be exported in the natural state; whereas the second subparagraph of Article 2 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2670/81 ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1760/84 ⁽⁴⁾, allows for substitution by other sugar white or raw in the natural state of C sugar to be exported on payment of a flat-rate amount by the producer to compensate for any advantage resulting from such a substitution; whereas the supply situation of the refineries of raw sugar in the Community, in particular with regard to the forthcoming accession of

Portugal and of its particular supply of raw sugar, requires a limitation of the ability to substitute C sugar on export to white sugar only;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In the first sentence of the second subparagraph of Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2670/81 the terms 'or raw' are deleted.

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, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 151, 10. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 262, 16. 9. 1981, p. 14.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 165, 23. 6. 1984, p. 19.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2562/85

of 11 September 1985

fixing the buying-in prices for carcasses and half-carcasses in the beef and veal sector valid with effect from 30 September to 18 October 1985 and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 1368/85

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 the Act of Accession of Greece, and in particular Article 6 (5) (c) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1308/85 of 23 May 1985 fixing for the 1985/86 marketing year the guide price and intervention price for adult bovine animals ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 3 (5) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to the provisions of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1302/73 of 15 May 1973 laying down general rules for intervention on the market in beef and veal ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 427/77 ⁽⁴⁾, the qualities and presentations of products bought in must be determined while taking account, on the one hand, of the need to ensure effective support for the market and balance between the market in question and that of rival animal products and, on the other hand, the Community's financial responsibilities in this field;

Whereas, in view of the situation in the beef and veal market and the unsettled prospects, provision should be made for producers to be able to offer carcasses and half-carcasses of certain qualities of bovine animals into intervention;

Whereas, by Regulation (EEC) No 869/84 of 31 March 1984 ⁽⁵⁾, the Council decided, by way of an experiment, to implement for a period of three years the Community scale for the classification of carcasses of adult bovine animals established under Regulation

(EEC) No 1208/81 ⁽⁶⁾ in connection with intervention measures; whereas the categories and qualities of products which may be bought in by the intervention agencies must therefore be defined on the basis of the said scale;

Whereas the maximum and minimum limits within which the Member States may vary the buying-in prices to take account of the classification subdivisions which they apply by virtue of Article 3 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1208/81 should be defined for each quality;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1368/85 of 24 May 1985 fixing the buying-in prices for fore-quarters in the beef and veal sector valid with effect from 27 May 1985 ⁽⁷⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2316/85 ⁽⁸⁾, should be repealed;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. With effect from 30 September to 18 October 1985, the intervention agencies shall buy in carcasses and half-carcasses of certain qualities of adult bovine animals offered subject to the conditions laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2226/78 ⁽⁹⁾ at prices fixed for each product in the Annex hereto.

2. The buying-in prices for each quality, referred to in paragraph 1, may be increased by a maximum of 2 ECU or reduced by a maximum of 5 ECU to take account of the possible subdivision of each classification under the Community scale referred to in Article 3 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1208/81.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 137, 27. 5. 1985, p. 16.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 132, 15. 5. 1973, p. 3.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 32.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 123, 7. 5. 1981, p. 3.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 139, 27. 5. 1985, p. 24.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 217, 14. 8. 1985, p. 5.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 261, 26. 9. 1978, p. 5.

3. The Member States which proceed with the subdivision of classes foreseen in paragraph 2 are authorized to limit purchases into intervention to some of these sub-classes.

Article 2

Regulation (EEC) No 1368/85 is hereby repealed with effect from 28 September 1985.

Article 3

4. Subject to the conditions referred to above, only meats from male animals shall be eligible for buying-in operations.

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, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

BILAG — ANHANG — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ — ANNEX — ANNEXE — ALLEGATO — BIJLAGE

Kategori	A:	Slagtekroppe af unge ikke-kastrerede handyr på under to år,
Kategori	C:	Slagtekroppe af kastrerede handyr.
Kategorie	A:	Schlachtkörper von jungen männlichen, nicht kastrierten Tieren von weniger als 2 Jahren,
Kategorie	C:	Schlachtkörper von männlichen kastrierten Tieren.
Κατηγορία	A:	Σφάγια νεαρών μη ευνουχισμένων αρρένων ζώων κάτω των 2 ετών,
Κατηγορία	C:	Σφάγια ευνουχισμένων αρρένων ζώων.
Category	A:	Carcases of uncastrated young male animals of less than two years of age,
Category	C:	Carcases of castrated male animals.
Catégorie	A:	Carcasses de jeunes animaux mâles non castrés de moins de 2 ans,
Catégorie	C:	Carcasses d'animaux mâles castrés.
Categoria	A:	Carcasse di giovani animali maschi non castrati di età inferiore a 2 anni,
Categoria	C:	Carcasse di animali maschi castrati.
Categorie	A:	Geslachte niet-gecastreerde jonge mannelijke dieren minder dan 2 jaar oud,
Categorie	C:	Geslachte gecastreerde mannelijke dieren.

Opkøbspris i ECU pr. 100 kg af produkterne
 Ankaufspreis in ECU je 100 kg des Erzeugnisses
 Τιμή αγοράς σε ECU ανά 100 χgr προϊόντων
 Buying-in price in ECU per 100 kg of product
 Prix d'achat en Écus par 100 kilogrammes de produits
 Prezzi di acquisto in ECU per 100 kg di prodotti
 Aankoopprijs in Ecu per 100 kg produkt

BELGIQUE/BELGIË

— *Carcasses, demi-carcasses:*— *Hele dieren, halve dieren:*

Catégorie A classe R2 / Categoria A classe R2	348,698
Catégorie A classe R3 / Categoria A classe R3	345,198
Catégorie A classe O2 / Categoria A classe O2	334,198

DANMARK

— *Hele og halve kroppe:*

Kategori A klasse R2	347,566
Kategori A klasse R3	344,066
Kategori A klasse O2	333,066

DEUTSCHLAND

— *Ganze oder halbe Tierkörper:*

Kategorie A Klasse U3	361,500
Kategorie A Klasse R3	348,500
Kategorie C Klasse U3	348,925
Kategorie C Klasse R3	336,425

ΕΛΛΑΔΑ

— *Εμπρόσθια ημισφάγια:*

Κατηγορία A κλάση R2	362,006
Κατηγορία A κλάση R3	358,506
Κατηγορία A κλάση O2	347,506

FRANCE

— *Carcasses, demi-carcasses:*

Catégorie A classe U3	364,289
Catégorie A classe R3	350,000
Catégorie C classe U3	362,425
Catégorie C classe R3	348,714

IRELAND

— *Carcases, half-carcases:*

Category C class R3	329,784
Category C class R4	323,284
Category C class O3	319,784

ITALIA

— *Carcasse e mezzene:*

Categoria A classe R2	366,429
Categoria A classe R3	362,929
Categoria A classe O2	351,929

LUXEMBOURG

— *Carcasses, demi-carcasses:*

Catégorie A classe R2	349,911
Catégorie A classe R3	346,411

NEDERLAND

— *Hele dieren, halve dieren:*

Categorie A klasse R2	349,109
Categorie A klasse R3	345,609

UNITED KINGDOM

A. Great Britain

— *Carcases, half-carcases:*

Category C class R3	329,607
Category C class R4	323,107

B. Northern Ireland

— *Carcases, half-carcases:*

Category C class R3	329,784
Category C class R4	323,284
Category C class O3	319,784

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2563/85

of 11 September 1985

amending the arrangements for imports of certain textile products originating in Taiwan

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3587/82 of 31 December 1982 on the arrangements for imports of certain textile products originating in Taiwan ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 853/83 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 2 (5) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1023/70 of 25 May 1970 establishing a common procedure for administering quantitative quotas ⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 2 thereof,

Whereas in 1985 additional imports were required in regions of the Community for imports in 1985 of certain products of categories 35 and 67;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Quota Administration Committee set up under Council Regulation (EEC) No 1023/70,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Additional quantities of categories 35 and 67 products are hereby fixed and allocated to the United Kingdom, France and Benelux as indicated below:

Category No	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1985)	Description	Unit	Member States	Additional quantity for 1985
35	51.04 A IV	51.04-10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 18, 21, 23, 25, 27, 28, 32, 34, 36, 41, 48	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous), including woven fabrics of monofil or strip falling within heading No 51.01 or 51.02: A. Woven fabrics of synthetic textile fibres: Woven fabrics of synthetic textile fibres (continuous) other than those for tyres and those containing elastomeric yarn	tonnes	UK	100 ⁽¹⁾
67	60.05 A II b) 5 B 60.06 B II III	60.05-93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99 60.06-92, 96, 98 60.05-97	Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized: Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof, elastic or rubberized (including elastic knee-caps and elastic stockings): B. Other: Clothing accessories and other articles (except garments), knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized; articles (other than bathing costumes) of knitted or crocheted fabric, elastic or rubberized, of wool, of cotton, or of man-made textile fibres a) Of which sacks and bags of a kind used for the packing of goods, made from polyethylene or polypropylene strip	tonnes	BNL F	30 ⁽²⁾ 20 ⁽²⁾

⁽¹⁾ This quantity applies only for the products of NIMEXE codes 51.04-13, 21 and 36.

⁽²⁾ These quantities apply only for the products 'covers for the heads of tennis rackets of knitted fabrics coated with plastic material' of tariff subheading 60.05 B.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 374, 31. 12. 1982, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 98, 16. 4. 1983, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 124, 8. 6. 1970, p. 1.

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 September 1985.

For the Commission
Willy DE CLERCQ
Member of the Commission

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2564/85
of 11 September 1985
fixing additional amounts for certain pigmeat products

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 2966/80⁽²⁾, and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 13 (5) thereof,

Whereas if, for a given product, the free-at-frontier offer price (hereinafter called the 'offer price') falls below the sluice-gate price, the levy applicable to that product must be increased by an additional amount equal to the difference between the sluice-gate price and the offer price determined in accordance with Article 1 of Commission Regulation No 202/67/EEC of 28 June 1967 on fixing the additional amount for imports of pigmeat products from third countries⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation No 614/67/EEC⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas the offer price must be determined for all imports from all third countries; whereas, however, if exports from one or more third countries are effected at abnormally low prices, lower than prices ruling for other third countries, a second offer price must be determined for exports from these other countries;

Whereas the regular review of the information serving as a basis for the determination of average offer prices for the products listed in Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 indicates that additional amounts corresponding to the figures shown in the Annex hereto should be fixed for the imports listed according to product and country of origin in that Annex;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2767/75 of 29 October 1975⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1906/83⁽⁶⁾, laid down general rules for the fixing of additional amounts for those products for which no sluice-gate price is fixed;

Whereas Regulation No 202/67/EEC lays down certain detailed rules, to that end, and in particular for

determining the free-at-frontier offers for those products; whereas, according to the information received by the Commission, offers from third countries in the determination of which not only the prices shown in customs documents but also all other indications concerning the prices ruling in third countries, are taken into account, are developing in such a way that additional amounts should be fixed for those products at the level shown in the Annex;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 1 of Regulation No 121/65/EEC⁽⁷⁾ and with Regulations (EEC) No 564/68⁽⁸⁾, (EEC) No 998/68⁽⁹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 328/83⁽¹⁰⁾, (EEC) No 2260/69⁽¹¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 328/83, and (EEC) No 1570/71⁽¹²⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 328/83, the levy on certain products listed in those Regulations which originate in and come from the Federal Republic of Austria, the People's Republic of Poland, the Hungarian People's Republic, the Socialist Republic of Romania and the People's Republic of Bulgaria should not be increased by an additional amount;

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

The additional amounts provided for in Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto for the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation which appear in the said Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 16 September 1985.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 307, 18. 11. 1980, p. 5.
⁽³⁾ OJ No 134, 30. 6. 1967, p. 2837/67.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 231, 27. 9. 1967, p. 6.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 29.
⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 190, 14. 7. 1983, p. 4.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No 155, 18. 9. 1965, p. 2560/65.
⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 107, 8. 5. 1968, p. 6.
⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 170, 19. 7. 1968, p. 14.
⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 38, 10. 2. 1983, p. 12.
⁽¹¹⁾ OJ No L 286, 14. 11. 1969, p. 22.
⁽¹²⁾ OJ No L 165, 23. 7. 1971, p. 23.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing additional amounts for certain pigmeat products

(ECU/100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description	Supplementary amount	Origin of imports
01.03	Live swine : A. Domestic species : II. Other : b) Other	30,00	Origin : German Democratic Republic (1)
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. Whole carcasses or half-carcasses 5. Bellies and parts thereof	45,00 30,00	Origin : German Democratic Republic (1) Origin : Hungary

(1) With the exception of the German internal trade pursuant to the Protocol on German internal trade and connected problems.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2565/85

of 11 September 1985

altering the export refunds 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 organi-
zation of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 1018/84 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the
fifth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof,

Whereas the export refunds on cereals and on wheat
or rye flour, groats and meal were fixed by Regulation
(EEC) No 2523/85 ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 2533/85 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2523/85 to the

information known to the Commission that the export
refunds at present in force should be altered to the
amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The export refunds on the products listed in Article 1
(a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75,
exported in the natural state, as fixed in the Annex to
amended Regulation (EEC) No 2523/85 are hereby
altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation in
respect of the products set out therein.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12
September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 239, 6. 9. 1985, p. 22.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 240, 7. 9. 1985, p. 26.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 altering the export refunds on cereals
and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

CCT heading No	Description	Refund (ECU/tonne)
10.01 B I	Common wheat and meslin for exports to : — Switzerland, Austria and Liechtenstein — other third countries	31,00 0
10.01 B II	Durum wheat for exports to : — Switzerland, Austria and Liechtenstein — other third countries	30,00 40,00
10.02	Rye for exports to : — Switzerland, Austria and Liechtenstein — other third countries	0 0
10.03	Barley for exports to : — Switzerland, Austria and Liechtenstein — Japan — other third countries	48,00 — 0
10.04	Oats for exports to : — Switzerland, Austria and Liechtenstein — other third countries	— —
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	—
10.07 B	Millet	—
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	61,00 61,00 54,00 50,00 46,00 41,00

CCT heading No	Description	Refund (ECU/tonne)
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	 61,00 61,00 61,00 61,00
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal : — of an ash content of 0 to 1 300 ⁽¹⁾ — of an ash content of 0 to 1 300 ⁽²⁾ — of an ash content of 0 to 1 300 — of an ash content of more than 1 300	 202,00 192,00 173,00 164,00
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal : — of an ash content of 0 to 520	 61,00

⁽¹⁾ Meal of which less than 10 % by weight is capable of passing through a sieve of 0,250 mm mesh.

⁽²⁾ Meal of which less than 10 % by weight is capable of passing through a sieve of 0,160 mm mesh.

N.B. The zones are those defined in Regulation (EEC) No 1124/77 (OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 501/85 (OJ No L 60, 28. 2. 1985).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2566/85**of 11 September 1985****altering the basic amount of the import levies on syrups and certain other products in the sugar sector**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1482/85 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 16 (8) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on syrups and certain other sugar products were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 2460/85 ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2509/85 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2460/85 to the information known to the Commission that the basic

amount of the levy on syrups and certain other sugar products at present in force should be altered,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The basic amounts of the import levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81, as fixed in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 2460/85 are hereby altered to the amounts shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 151, 10. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 234, 31. 8. 1985, p. 20.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 238, 5. 9. 1985, p. 35.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 altering the basic amount of the import levies on syrups and certain other products in the sugar sector

(ECU)

CCT heading No	Description	Basic amount per percentage point of sucrose content and per 100 kg net of the product in question	Amount of levy per 100 kg of dry matter
17.02	Other sugars in solid form ; sugar syrups, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter ; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey ; caramel :		
	C. Maple sugar and other syrup	0,4323	—
	D. Other sugars and syrups (other than lactose, glucose and malto-dextrine) :		
	I. Isoglucose	—	55,86
	ex II. Other	0,4323	—
	E. Artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey	0,4323	—
	F. I. Caramelized sugar and molasses containing, in the dry state, 50 % or more by weight of sucrose	0,4323	—
21.07	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included :		
	F. Flavoured or coloured sugar syrups :		
	III. Isoglucose	—	55,86
	IV. Other	0,4323	—

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2567/85
of 11 September 1985
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 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1482/85⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 16 (8) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1809/85⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2546/85⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1809/85 to the information known to the Commission that the levies

at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies referred to in Article 16 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 shall be, in respect of white sugar and standard quality raw sugar, as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

- ⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 151, 10. 6. 1985, p. 1.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 169, 29. 6. 1985, p. 77.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 242, 11. 9. 1985, p. 18.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 11 September 1985 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

(ECU/100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, in solid form :	
	A. White sugar : flavoured or coloured sugar	43,23
	B. Raw sugar	39,68 ⁽¹⁾

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

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2568/85**of 11 September 1985****fixing the maximum export refund for white sugar for the fifth partial invitation to tender issued within the framework of the principal standing invitation to tender provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 2236/85**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1482/85⁽²⁾, and in particular the first subparagraph of Article 19 (4) (b) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2236/85 of 29 July 1985 on a principal standing invitation to tender in order to determine levies and/or refunds on exports of white sugar⁽³⁾ requires partial invitations to tender to be issued for the export of this sugar;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2236/85, a maximum export refund shall be fixed, as the case may be, account being taken in particular of the state and foreseeable development of the Community and world markets in sugar, for the partial invitation to tender in question;

Whereas, following an examination of the tenders submitted in response to the fifth partial invitation to tender, the provisions set out in Article 1 should be adopted;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The maximum export refund for the fifth invitation to tender for white sugar issued under Regulation (EEC) No 2236/85 is hereby fixed at 39,127 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 12 September 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 September 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 151, 10. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 209, 6. 8. 1985, p. 19.

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