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I

(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 958/88**of 12 April 1988****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 the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

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) 3989/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13 (5) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 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 1636/87 ⁽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 Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4047/87 ⁽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 corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

- 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 11 April 1988;

Whereas the aforesaid corrective factor affects the entire calculation basis for the levies, including the equivalence coefficients;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 4047/87 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 13 April 1988.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1987, p. 99.

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

Done at Brussels, 12 April 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 12 April 1988 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

(ECU/tonne)

CN code	Levies	
	Portugal	Third, country
0709 90 60	14,54	174,10
0712 90 19	14,54	174,10
1001 10 10	71,19	258,97 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
1001 10 90	71,19	258,97 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
1001 90 91	9,43	190,81
1001 90 99	9,43	190,81
1002 00 00	49,73	167,52 ⁽⁶⁾
1003 00 10	43,41	174,69
1003 00 90	43,41	174,69
1004 00 10	99,87	147,51
1004 00 90	99,87	147,51
1005 10 90	14,54	174,10 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
1005 90 00	14,54	174,10 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
1007 00 90	38,03	184,12 ⁽⁴⁾
1008 10 00	43,41	100,43
1008 20 00	43,41	145,04 ⁽⁴⁾
1008 30 00	43,41	63,21 ⁽⁵⁾
1008 90 10	⁽⁷⁾	⁽⁷⁾
1008 90 90	43,41	63,21
1101 00 00	28,19	282,12
1102 10 00	84,61	249,93
1103 11 10	124,11	415,16
1103 11 90	28,27	302,52

⁽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 Council 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 1008 90 10 (triticale).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 959/88

of 12 April 1988

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 the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

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 3989/87⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (6) thereof,Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 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 1636/87⁽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 Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4048/87⁽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 corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

- 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 11 April 1988;

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

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 coming from Portugal shall be zero.

2. 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 coming from third countries shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 13 April 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 12 April 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1987, p. 102.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 12 April 1988 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

CN code	(ECU/tonne)			
	Current 4	1st period 5	2nd period 6	3rd period 7
0709 90 60	0	0	0	0
0712 90 19	0	0	0	0
1001 10 10	0	0	0	0
1001 10 90	0	0	0	0
1001 90 91	0	0	0	0
1001 90 99	0	0	0	0
1002 00 00	0	0	0	0
1003 00 10	0	0	0	0
1003 00 90	0	0	0	0
1004 00 10	0	0	0	0
1004 00 90	0	0	0	0
1005 10 90	0	0	0	0
1005 90 00	0	0	0	0
1007 00 90	0	0	0	0
1008 10 00	0	0	0	0
1008 20 00	0	12,22	12,22	12,22
1008 30 00	0	0	0	0
1008 90 90	0	0	0	0
1101 00 00	0	0	0	0

B. Malt

CN code	(ECU/tonne)				
	Current 4	1st period 5	2nd period 6	3rd period 7	4th period 8
1107 10 11	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 19	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 91	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 99	0	0	0	0	0
1107 20 00	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 960/88

of 12 April 1988

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

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 3989/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (4) thereof,Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3990/87 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 12 (4) thereof,Having regard to Council Regulation No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1636/87 ⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 847/88 ⁽⁷⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 883/88 ⁽⁸⁾;Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1906/87 ⁽⁹⁾ as amended by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 ⁽¹⁰⁾ as regards products falling within subheadings 2302 10, 2302 20, 2302 30 and 2302 40 of the combined nomenclature;

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 corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,
- 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 these exchange rates being those recorded on 11 April 1988;

Whereas the aforesaid corrective factor affects the entire calculation basis for the levies, including the equivalence coefficients;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed differs from the average levy by more than 3,02 ECU per tonne of basic product; whereas, pursuant to Article 1 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74 ⁽¹¹⁾ the levies at present in force must therefore 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 processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 as fixed in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 847/88 are hereby altered to the amounts set out in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 13 April 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 12 April 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 15.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 87, 31. 3. 1988, p. 13.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 87, 31. 3. 1988, p. 92.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 182, 3. 7. 1987, p. 49.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 12 April 1988 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

(ECU/tonne)

CN code	Import levies	
	Third countries (other than ACP or OCT)	ACP or OCT
1102 90 30 ⁽²⁾	272,60	266,56
1103 12 00 ⁽²⁾	272,60	266,56
1103 29 30 ⁽²⁾	272,60	266,56
1104 12 10 ⁽²⁾	154,07	151,05
1104 12 90 ⁽²⁾	302,22	296,18
1104 22 10 ⁽²⁾	269,58	266,56
1104 22 30 ⁽²⁾	269,58	266,56
1104 22 50 ⁽²⁾	239,96	236,94
1104 22 90 ⁽²⁾	154,07	151,05

⁽²⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 1101, 1102, 1103 and 1104 and those falling within subheadings 2302 10, 2302 20, 2302 30 and 2302 40, products falling within heading Nos 1101, 1102, 1103 and 1104 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

- a starch content (determined by the modified Ewert polarimetric method), referred to dry matter, exceeding 45 % by weight,
- an ash content, by weight, referred to dry matter (after deduction of any added minerals), not exceeding 1,6 % for rice, 2,5 % for wheat, 3 % for barley, 4 % for buckwheat, 5 % for oats and 2 % for other cereals.

Germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground, falls in all cases within heading Nos 1103 and 1104.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 961/88

of 12 April 1988

fixing for Great Britain the level of the variable slaughter premium for sheep
and the amounts to be charged on products leaving region 5

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and
Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80
of 27 June 1980 on the common organization of the
market in sheepmeat and goatmeat⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 3939/87⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No
1633/84 of 8 June 1984 laying down detailed rules for
applying the variable slaughter premium for sheep and
repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2661/80⁽³⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1860/86⁽⁴⁾, and in
particular Articles 3 (1) and 4 (1) thereof,

Whereas the United Kingdom is the only country which
grants the variable slaughter premium, in region 5, within
the meaning of Article 3 (5) of Regulation (EEC) No
1837/80; whereas it is necessary therefore for the
Commission to fix, for the week beginning 14 March
1988, the level of the premium and the amount to be
charged on products leaving that region;

Whereas Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84
stipulates that the level of the variable slaughter premium
is to be fixed each week by the Commission;

Whereas Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84
lays down that the amount to be charged on products
leaving region 5 shall be fixed weekly by the Commis-
sion;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87⁽⁵⁾ intro-
duced from 1 January 1988 a new combined nomencla-
ture meeting the requirements of both the Common
Customs Tariff and the Community's statistics of foreign
trade and replacing the previous nomenclature;

Whereas, pursuant to the provisions of Article 9 (1) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80, for the week beginning 14
March 1988, the variable slaughter premium for sheep
certified as eligible in the United Kingdom is to be in
accordance with the amounts fixed in the Annexes
hereto; whereas, for that week, in the light of the Judg-
ment of the Court of Justice of 2 February 1988 in Case
61/86, the provisions of Article 9 (3) of Regulation (EEC)
No 1837/80 and of Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No
1633/84 lead to the amounts to be charged on products,
leaving region 5, being fixed in accordance with those
Annexes;

Whereas, as regards the controls necessary for the appli-
cation of the provisions relating to the said amounts, the
system of controls provided for by Regulation (EEC) No
1633/84 should be maintained without prejudice to the
preparation of any more specific provisions following the
abovementioned Judgment of the Court of Justice,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For sheep or sheepmeat certified as eligible in the United
Kingdom in region 5, within the meaning of Article 3 (5)
of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80, for the variable
slaughter premium during the week beginning 14 March
1988, the level of the premium is fixed at 139,522
ECU/100 kilograms of estimated or actual dressed carcase
weight within the limits laid down by Article 1 (1) (b) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84.

Article 2

For products referred to in Article 1 (a) and (c) of Regu-
lation (EEC) No 1837/80 which left the territory of region 5
during the week beginning 14 March 1988, the amounts
to be charged shall be equivalent to those fixed in the
Annexes hereto.

Article 3

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

It shall apply with effect from 14 March 1988.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 183, 16. 7. 1980, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 373, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 154, 9. 6. 1984, p. 27.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 161, 17. 6. 1986, p. 25.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 12 April 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

ANNEX

Amount to be charged for products leaving region 5 during the week commencing
14 March 1988

(ECU/100 kg)

CN code	Amounts	
	A. Products qualifying for the premium specified in Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80	B. Products specified in Article 4 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84 (1)
	Live weight	Live weight
0104 10 90	65,575	0
0104 20 90		0
	Net weight	Net weight
0204 10 00	139,522	0
0204 21 00	139,522	0
0204 50 11		0
0204 22 10	97,665	
0204 22 30	153,474	
0204 22 50	181,379	
0204 22 90	181,379	
0204 23 00	253,930	
0204 30 00	104,642	
0204 41 00	104,642	
0204 42 10	73,249	
0204 42 30	115,106	
0204 42 50	136,035	
0204 42 90	136,035	
0204 43 00	190,448	
0204 50 13		0
0204 50 15		0
0204 50 19		0
0204 50 31		0
0204 50 39		0
0204 50 51		0
0204 50 53		0
0204 50 55		0
0204 50 59		0
0204 50 71		0
0204 50 79		0
0210 90 11	181,379	
0210 90 19	253,930	
1602 90 71		
— unboned (bone-in)	181,379	
— boned or boneless	253,930	

(1) Eligibility for these reduced amounts is subject to compliance with the conditions laid down in the second subparagraph of Article 5 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 962/88

of 12 April 1988

suspending the issue of import licences for dessert apples originating in Chile

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 824/88⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 29 (2) thereof,Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2707/72⁽³⁾ lays down the conditions for applying protective measures for fruit and vegetables;Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 346/88⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 871/88⁽⁵⁾, introduces special surveillance of imports of dessert apples from third countries;

Whereas at present applications for import licences for dessert apples originating in Chile exceed the traditional quantity of imports of such products originating in that country;

Whereas, since the existence of substantial stocks and withdrawals and of prices considerably lower than those in the previous marketing year on the markets of the main producer countries is a feature of the Community market for dessert apples, the continuation of such imports could lead to serious disturbance of the market such as to jeopardize the objectives of Article 39 of the EEC Treaty and in particular to cause serious injury to Community producers; whereas, on account of these critical circumstances, protective measures must be

urgently taken in respect of imports of such products by suspending the issue of import licences for the period necessary for a review of the overall situation on the market for dessert apples;

Whereas, since the period of validity of import licences has been fixed so as to cover amply the dispatch of dessert apples to the Community and to permit the operators to obtain import licences before the ships depart, no account should be taken of goods being transported to the Community other than those for which import licences have been issued,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For the period from 15 to 22 April 1988, the issue of import licences for dessert apples covered by CN codes 0808 10 91, 0808 10 93 and 0808 10 99 originating in Chile is hereby suspended.
2. Applications pending on 18 April 1988 for import licences for those products shall be rejected and the relevant securities immediately released.

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, 12 April 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 85, 30. 3. 1988, p. 5.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 291, 28. 12. 1972, p. 3.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 34, 6. 2. 1988, p. 21.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 87, 31. 3. 1988, p. 73.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 14 December 1987

amending Decisions 84/73/EEC instituting on the island of Lesbos, prefecture of Lesbos, Greece, a pilot action in preparation for the integrated Mediterranean programmes and 86/39/EEC instituting in the prefecture of Grevena, Greece, a pilot action in preparation for the integrated Mediterranean programmes

(Only the Greek text is authentic)

(88/207/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Article 1

Whereas the Council has adopted Regulation (EEC) No 2088/85⁽¹⁾ concerning the integrated Mediterranean programmes;

In Annex 1 to Decision 84/73/EEC, point 5, 'Timetable', 'From December 1983 to December 1986', is hereby replaced by 'From December 1983 to December 1987'.

Whereas, by Decision 84/73/EEC⁽²⁾, as last amended by Decision 86/42/EEC⁽³⁾, the Commission instituted a pilot action on the island of Lesbos;

Article 2

In Annex 1 to Decision 86/39/EEC, point 4, 'Timetable', 'From December 1985 to December 1986', is hereby replaced by 'From December 1985 to December 1987'.

Whereas, by Decision 86/39/EEC⁽⁴⁾, the Commission instituted a pilot action in the prefecture of Grevena;

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Hellenic Republic.

Whereas Article 2 of those Decisions stipulates that the implementation of the pilot actions is to be reviewed at regular intervals by the Commission in consultation with the Member State concerned so that it may be decided whether, and in which aspects, the items set out in Annex 1 should be modified;

Done at Brussels, 14 December 1987.

Whereas it has emerged from further contacts with the competent national authorities that Decision 84/73/EEC and Decision 86/39/EEC should be revised as regards the timetable of implementation of certain particular operations,

For the Commission

Grigoris VARFIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 197, 27. 7. 1985, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 44, 15. 2. 1984, p. 18.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 62, 5. 3. 1986, p. 36.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 62, 5. 3. 1986, p. 25.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 15 February 1988

authorizing Member States to permit temporarily the marketing of forest reproductive material not satisfying the requirements of Council Directive 66/404/EEC

(88/208/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 66/404/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of forest reproductive material⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 thereof,

Having regard to the requests submitted by certain Member States,

Whereas production of reproductive material of the species set out in the Annex hereto is at present insufficient in all Member States, with the result that their requirements for reproductive material conforming to the provisions of Directive 66/404/EEC cannot be met;

Whereas third countries are not in a position to supply sufficient reproductive material of the relevant species which can afford the same guarantees as Community reproductive material and which conforms to the provisions of the abovementioned Directive;

Whereas, moreover, Denmark has requested authorization to permit temporarily the marketing in its territory of seedlings of *Fagus silvatica* L. produced in Romania, Czechoslovakia, Switzerland and Yugoslavia, of *Quercus pedunculata* Ehrh. produced in the Community and in Sweden and of *Quercus sessiliflora* Sal. produced in Norway and Sweden, in each case from seed satisfying less stringent requirements in respect of provenance;

Whereas the Member States should therefore be authorized to permit, for a limited period, the marketing of reproductive material of the relevant species which satisfies less stringent requirements in respect of provenance;

Whereas for genetic reasons, the reproductive material must be collected at places of origin within the natural range of the relevant species and the strictest possible guarantees should be given to ensure the identity of the material;

Whereas each of the Member States should furthermore be authorized to permit the marketing in its territory of

seed which satisfies less stringent requirements in respect of provenance, together with seedlings produced therefrom, the marketing of which has been permitted under this Decision in the other Member States; whereas such a measure is likely to permit intra-Community trade in the relevant reproductive material and to satisfy better the needs of the Member States involved;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

1. Member States are hereby authorized, on the terms set out in the Annex hereto and on condition that the proof specified in Article 3 is furnished with regard to the place of provenance of the seed and the altitude at which it was collected, to permit the marketing in their territory of seed satisfying less stringent requirements in respect of provenance.

2. Member States are further authorized to permit the marketing in their territory of seed approved for marketing under this Decision in the other Member States.

3. Member States are further authorized to permit the marketing in their territory of seedlings produced from the abovementioned seed.

Article 2

Denmark is hereby authorized, on condition that the proof specified in Article 3 is furnished with regard to the place of provenance of the seed, to permit the marketing in its territory of seedlings of *Fagus silvatica* L., *Quercus pedunculata* Ehrh. and *Quercus sessiliflora* Sal. produced from seed satisfying less stringent requirements in respect of provenance under the following conditions:

- (i) the seedlings of *Fagus silvatica* L. must come from Romania, Czechoslovakia, Switzerland or Yugoslavia;
- (ii) the number of seedlings must not exceed 500 000;
- (iii) the seedling of *Quercus pedunculata* Ehrh. must come from Member States or Sweden;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2326/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.

- (iv) the number of seedlings must not exceed 200 000 ;
- (v) the seedlings of *Quercus sessiliflora* Sal. must come from Norway or Sweden ;
- (iv) the number of seedlings must not exceed 100 000.

Article 3

1. The proof referred to in Articles 1 (1) and 2 shall be deemed to be furnished where the seed is of the category 'source identified reproductive material' as defined in the OECD (Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development) scheme for the control of forest reproductive material moving in international trade, or of another category defined in that scheme.

2. Where the OECD scheme referred to in paragraph 1 is not used at the place of provenance of the seed, other official evidence shall be admissible.

3. Where official evidence cannot be provided in the case of the species *Pinus strobus*, Member States may accept other non-official evidence.

Article 4

The authorizations provided for in Article 1 (1) and (2), in so far as they concern the first marketing in the territory

of the Member States, shall expire on 30 November 1988. The authorizations provided for in Article 1 (1) and (2), in so far as they do not concern the first marketing, and the authorizations provided for in Article 2 shall expire on 31 December 1990.

Article 5

Member States shall, before 1 January 1989, notify the Commission of the quantities of seed or, where appropriate, seedlings satisfying less stringent requirements which have been approved for first marketing in their territory under this Decision. The Commission shall inform the other Member States thereof.

Article 6

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 15 February 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

LEGEND

The Member States and the States of provenance are indicated in the order of the abbreviations of the international code used for motor vehicles.

1. Member States

B	= Kingdom of Belgium
D	= Federal Republic of Germany
DK	= Kingdom of Denmark
E	= Kingdom of Spain
F	= French Republic
GB	= United Kingdom
GR	= Greece
I	= Italian Republic
IRL	= Ireland
L	= Grand Duchy of Luxembourg
NL	= Kingdom of the Netherlands
P	= Republic of Portugal

2. States of provenance

A	= Austria
BG	= Bulgaria
CDN	= Canada
CH	= Switzerland
CS	= Czechoslovakia
DDR	= German Democratic Republic
H	= Hungary
J	= Japan
N	= Norway
PL	= Poland
PL (CA)	= Poland (Carpathians)
R	= Romania
S	= Sweden
SU	= Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
USA	= United States of America
YU	= Yugoslavia

3. Other abbreviations

exc.	= except
max. alt.	= maximum altitude

ANEXO — BILAG — ANLAGE — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ — ANNEX — ANNEXE — ALLEGATO — BIJLAGE — ANEXO

Estado miembro Medlemsstat Mitgliedstaat Κράτος μέλος Member State État membre Stato membro Lid-Staat Estado-membro	Abies alba Mill.		Fagus silvatica L.		Larix decidua Mill.	
	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência
B	30	R	15 000	R (max. alt. 900 m)	50	CS (Sudètes) PL (max. alt. 900 m)
D	900	DDR, CS, R, CH, YU	20 000	DDR, CS, R, CH	100	CS
DK	850	R	15 000	R, CS, CH, YU	50	CS
E						
F					150	PL (zones VI-7, VII-8) CS (Sudètes) CH (max. alt. 800 m)
GB			16 350	EEC, R, CS, YU	390	EEC, A, CS
GR						
I			3 000	EEC		
IRL			750	EEC, R, YU		
L						
NL	75	R	15 000	R	50	PL, CS
P						
Estado miembro Medlemsstat Mitgliedstaat Κράτος μέλος Member State État membre Stato membro Lid-Staat Estado-membro	Larix leptolepis (Sieb. & Zucc.) Gord.		Picea abies Karst.		Picea sitchensis Trautv. & Mey.	
	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência
B	80	J (Hokkaido, Nagano)	100	PL (Ca) R } (max. alt. 900 m) CS }	50	USA (Washington)
D			200	CS, R, DDR, PL, SU, H	300	CDN (Queen Charlotte Island and West Coast) USA (Washington)
DK	50	J	1 000	EEC, PL, CS, DDR	300	CDN (British Columbia) USA (Washington)
E					50	USA
F	50	J	200	PL (zones II-1, II-2, VIII-5)	300	USA (Oregon, Washington)
GB	430	EEC, J	910	EEC, R, CS	450	USA (Washington) CDN (Vancouver Island)
GR						
I	120	J (Hokkaido)				
IRL	50	EEC, J			300	USA (Washington) CDN (Queen Charlotte Island)
L						
NL	80	J	200	PL, CS	25	USA (Washington) CDN (British Columbia)
P						

Estado miembro Medlemsstat Mitgliedstaat Κράτος μέλος Member State État membre Stato membro Lid-Staat Estado-membro	Pinus nigra Arn.		Pinus silvestris L.		Pinus strobus L.	
	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência
B	60	YU (exc. Dalmatia)			40	CDN (Ontario) USA YU
D	300	YU	150	PL	150	USA (Appalachians), EEC, DDR, CS
DK	150	YU, CS	150	N	10	USA
E						
F	100	BG (Kustendil)	80	PL (zones II-1, II-2)		
GB	135	EEC, A	830	EEC	2	EEC
GR						
I					50	USA (Eastern States)
IRL						
L						
NL	200	A, YU			75	USA (Appalachians) CDN (Ontario)
P						
Estado miembro Medlemsstat Mitgliedstaat Κράτος μέλος Member State État membre Stato membro Lid-Staat Estado-membro	Pseudotsuga taxifolia (Poir.) Britt.		Quercus borealis Michx.		Quercus pedunculata Ehrh.	
	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência
B	500	USA (Washington, West of the Cascades; max. alt. 610 m)			10 000	R, YU (Save Valley)
D	6 000	USA (Washington, Oregon) CDN (British Columbia)	2 000	USA, DDR, CS	15 000	YU, DDR
DK	350	USA, CDN			15 000	EEC, S
E	150	USA				
F	2 500	USA (Washington, Oregon)				
GB	965	USA (Washington) CDN	2 100	EEC	70 600	EEC, CS, YU
GR						
I	450	USA (Oregon, Washing- ton, California)				
IRL	150	USA (Washington)	300	EEC	1 000	EEC, YU
L						
NL	600	USA (Washington)				
P						

Estado miembro Medlemsstat Mitgliedstaat Κράτος μέλος Member State État membre Stato membro Lid-Staat Estado-membro	Quercus sessiliflora Sal.	
	kg	Procedencia Oprindelse Herkunft Προέλευση Provenance Provenance Provenienza Herkomst Proveniência
B	10 000	R
D		
DK	55 000	N, S
E		
F		
GB	41 050	EEC, CS
GR		
I	2 000	EEC
IRL	1 000	EEC, YU
L		
NL	10 000	PL, CS
P		

COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 February 1988

**approving the accelerated plans for the eradication of leukosis in cattle
presented by the Republic of Portugal**

(Only the Portuguese text is authentic)

(88/209/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 87/58/EEC of 22 December 1986 introducing a supplementary Community measure for the eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and leukosis in cattle ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,Whereas, conforming to Article 2 of Decision 87/58/EEC, the Republic of Portugal shall prepare accelerated eradication plans in accordance with Article 4 of Council Directive 77/391/EEC of 17 May 1977 introducing Community measures for the eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and leukosis in cattle ⁽²⁾, and conforming to the criteria established by Council Directive 78/52/EEC of 13 December 1977 establishing the Community criteria for national plans for the accelerated eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and enzootic leukosis in cattle ⁽³⁾;

Whereas by letter dated 12 October 1987 the Republic of Portugal notified the Commission of accelerated plans for the eradication of leukosis in cattle;

Whereas, after examination, the accelerated plan was found to comply with Directive 77/391/EEC, Directive 78/52/EEC and Decision 87/58/EEC; whereas the conditions for financial participation by the Community are therefore met;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee; whereas the Fund Committee has been consulted,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The accelerated plan for the eradication of leukosis in cattle, presented by Portugal is hereby approved.

Article 2

Portugal shall bring into force by 1 January 1988 the laws, regulations and administrative provisions for implementing the plans referred to in Article 1.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Portuguese Republic.

Done at Brussels, 26 February 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 24, 27. 1. 1987, p. 51.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 145, 13. 6. 1977, p. 44.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 15, 19. 1. 1978, p. 34.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 February 1988

approving the accelerated plans for the eradication of leukosis in cattle
presented by the Federal Republic of Germany

(Only the German text is authentic)

(88/210/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,
Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 87/58/EEC of 22
December 1986 introducing a supplementary Community
measure for the eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and
leukosis in cattle ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Whereas conforming to Article 2 of Decision 87/58/EEC
the Federal Republic of Germany shall prepare
accelerated eradication plans in accordance with Article 4
of Council Directive 77/391/EEC of 17 May 1977
introducing Community measures for the eradication of
brucellosis, tuberculosis and leukosis in cattle ⁽²⁾ and
conforming with the criteria established by Council
Directive 78/52/EEC of 13 December 1977 establishing
the Community criteria for national plans for the
accelerated eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and
leukosis in cattle ⁽³⁾;

Whereas by letter dated 28 July 1987 the Federal
Republic of Germany notified the Commission of
accelerated plans for the eradication of leukosis in cattle ;

Whereas, after examination, the accelerated plan was
found to comply with Directive 77/391/EEC, Directive
78/52/EEC and Decision 87/58/EEC; whereas the
conditions for financial participation by the Community
are therefore met ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in
accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary

Committee ; whereas the Fund Committee has been
consulted,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The accelerated plan for the eradication of leukosis in
cattle, presented by Germany is hereby approved.

Article 2

Germany shall bring into force by 1 January 1987 the
laws, regulations and administrative provisions for
implementing the plans referred to in Article 1.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Federal Republic of
Germany.

Done at Brussels, 26 February 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 24, 27. 1. 1987, p. 51.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 145, 13. 6. 1977, p. 44.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 15, 19. 1. 1978, p. 34.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 8 March 1988

authorizing the Italian Republic to apply intra-Community surveillance to imports of slide fasteners with scoops not of base metal and parts thereof originating in Taiwan

(Only the Italian text is authentic)

(88/211/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Commission Decision 87/433/EEC of 22 July 1987 on surveillance and protective measures which Member States may be authorized to take pursuant to Article 115 of the EEC Treaty⁽¹⁾, and in particular Articles 1 and 2 thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3752/87⁽²⁾ instituted a system for the authorization within certain limits of imports into Italy of certain kinds of slide fasteners originating in Taiwan;

Whereas the conditions for importing the products in question into Italy differ from the conditions for importing them into the other Member States; whereas these differences are liable to result in deflections of trade;

Whereas, in order to detect such deflections of trade rapidly, the Italian Government has asked the Commission of the European Communities for authorization to apply prior intra-Community surveillance to imports of the products in question originating in Taiwan and in free circulation in the other Member States;

Whereas the Commission has examined the matter to determine whether these imports could be subject to intra-Community surveillance; whereas this examination has shown that deflection has occurred in the past and is likely to recur and so undermine the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3752/87 and aggravate or prolong

the economic difficulties of the sector concerned, as described in that Regulation;

Whereas, in these circumstances, Italy should be authorized to apply intra-Community surveillance to imports of the products in question originating in Taiwan and in free circulation in the other Member States,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Italian Republic is hereby authorized in accordance with Article 2 of Decision 87/433/EEC to apply intra-Community surveillance until 31 December 1988 to imports of the following products originating in Taiwan:

CN code	Description
9607 19 00 9607 20 91	Slide fasteners with scoops not of base metal and parts thereof

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Italian Republic.

Done at Brussels, 8 March 1988.

For the Commission

Willy DE CLERCQ

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 238, 21. 8. 1987, p. 26.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 353, 16. 12. 1987, p. 11.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 9 March 1988

on health protection measures concerning blue tongue in respect of Canada

(88/212/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 72/462/EEC of 12 December 1972 on health and veterinary inspection problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from third countries ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Directive 87/64/EEC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 thereof,

Whereas Commission Decision 83/494/EEC ⁽³⁾ provides that Member States shall authorize the importation of bovine animals from Canada under certain conditions;

Whereas, however, it is laid down in Article 6 of Directive 72/462/EEC that Member States shall not authorize the importation of bovine animals unless they come from third countries which have been free, for the previous 12 months, in particular in respect of blue tongue;

Whereas Article 7 of Directive 72/462/EEC provides that prohibitions laid down by Article 6 of the said Directive can be limited to a part of the territory of the third country;

Whereas it has been noted that blue tongue has occurred in the Okanagan Valley region of British Columbia, Canada; whereas this region has particular geographical and climatic characteristics which confine this disease to an area within the region;

Whereas it has been established by means of official serological surveys for many years that the disease has been confined to the Okanagan Valley region;

Whereas the remainder of Canada may be considered to be free of blue tongue;

Whereas the veterinary authorities of Canada have given satisfactory assurances that bovine animals which have at any time been in the infected region will not be exported to the Community;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:—

Article 1

By way of derogation from Article 1 of Decision 83/494/EEC, Member States shall not authorize the importation of bovine animals from that part of the territory of Canada described in the Annex.

Article 2

The following is hereby added to the health certificate given in Annex A to Decision 83/494/EEC:

'Bovine animals conforming to Commission Decision 88/212/EEC of 9 March 1988 on health protection measures concerning blue tongue in respect of Canada'.

Article 3

The application of Articles 1 and 2 shall be reviewed in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 29 of Directive 72/462/EEC by 31 December 1988 at the latest.

This review shall be made on the basis of information which shall be made available by the Canadian authorities.

Article 4

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 9 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 302, 31. 12. 1972, p. 28.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 34, 5. 2. 1987, p. 52.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 273, 6. 10. 1983, p. 37.

*ANNEX***Okanagan valley area of British Columbia**

From a point on the Canada/United States border

120°15' longitude, 49° latitude

northerly to a point

119°35' longitude, 50°30' latitude

north easterly to a point

119° longitude, 50°45' latitude

southerly to a point on the Canada/United States border

118°15' longitude, 49° latitude.

CORRIGENDA

Corrigendum to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 852/88 of 30 March 1988 fixing the rates of the refunds applicable to certain cereal and rice products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

(Official Journal of the European Communities No L 87 of 31 March 1988)

Page 30, in the Annex, opposite 1002 00 00 Rye :

for: '10,025'

read: '11,025'.
