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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 541/2000
of 14 February 2000
concerning the export of certain ECSC steel products from Poland to the Community for the
period 1 January to 31 December 2000 (extension of the double-checking system)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 133 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas:

- (1) The Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Poland, of the other part ⁽¹⁾, entered into force on 1 February 1994.
- (2) The Parties decided by Decision No 1/2000 of the Association Council ⁽²⁾ to extend the double-checking system introduced by Decision No 2/1999 of the Association Council ⁽³⁾ for the period between 1 January and 31 December 2000.
- (3) It is consequently necessary to extend the Community implementing legislation introduced by Council Regulation (EC) No 1093/1999 of 30 March 1999 establishing a double-checking system for exports of certain ECSC steel products from the Republic of Poland to the European Community for the period 1 April to 31 December 1999 ⁽⁴⁾,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EC) No 1093/1999 shall continue to apply for the period 1 January to 31 December 2000, in accordance with the provisions of Decision No 1/2000 of the Association Council between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Poland, of the other part.

Article 2

Regulation (EC) No 1093/1999 shall in consequence be amended as follows:

In the title, preamble 1(1) and (3) references to the period '1 April to 31 December 1999' shall be replaced by references to '1 January to 31 December 2000'.

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 1 January 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 February 2000.

For the Council

The President

J. GAMA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 348, 31.12.1993, p. 2.

⁽²⁾ See page 34 of this Official Journal.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 133, 28.5.1999, p. 44.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 133, 28.5.1999, p. 6.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 542/2000**of 14 February 2000****concerning the export of certain ECSC steel products from Romania to the Community for the period 1 January to 31 December 2000 (extension of the double-checking system)**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 133 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas:

- (1) The Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Romania, of the other part ⁽¹⁾, entered into force on 1 February 1995.
- (2) The Parties decided by Decision No 1/2000 of the Association Council ⁽²⁾ to extend the double-checking system introduced by Decision No 3/97 of the Association Council ⁽³⁾ for the period between 1 January and 31 December 2000.
- (3) It is consequently necessary to extend the Community implementing legislation introduced by Council Regulation (EC) No 84/98 of 19 December 1997, concerning the export of certain ECSC steel products from Romania to the Community for the period 1 January to 31 December 1998 (extension of the double-checking system) ⁽⁴⁾,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EC) No 84/98 shall continue to apply for the period 1 January to 31 December 2000, in accordance with the provisions of Association Council Decision No 1/2000 between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Romania, of the other part.

Article 2

Regulation (EC) No 84/98 shall in consequence be amended as follows:

In the title, preamble 1(1) and (4) references to the period '1 January to 31 December 1999' shall be replaced by references to '1 January to 31 December 2000'.

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 1 January 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 February 2000.

For the Council

The President

J. GAMA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 357, 31.12.1994, p. 2.

⁽²⁾ See page 35 of this Official Journal.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 13, 19.1.1998, p. 57. Decision as amended by Decision 5/1998 of the Association Council (OJ L 19, 26.1.1999, p. 9).

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 13, 19.1.1998, p. 1. Regulation as amended by Regulation (EC) No 166/1999 (OJ L 19, 26.1.1999, p. 1).

COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 543/2000**of 14 February 2000****concerning the export of certain ECSC and EC steel products from the Slovak Republic to the Community for the period 1 January to 31 December 2000 (extension of the double-checking system)**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 133 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas:

- (1) The Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of, the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part ⁽¹⁾; entered into force on 1 February 1995.
- (2) The Parties decided by Decision No 000/2000 of the Association Council ⁽²⁾ to extend the double-checking system, introduced by Decision No 3/97 of the Association Council, for the period between 1 January and 31 December 2000 ⁽³⁾.
- (3) It is consequently necessary to extend the Community implementing legislation introduced by Council Regulation (EC) No 85/98 of 19 December 1997, concerning the export of certain ECSC and EC steel products from Slovakia to the Community for the period 1 January to 31 December 1999 (extension of the double-checking system) ⁽⁴⁾,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EC) No 85/98 shall continue to apply for the period between 1 January and 31 December 2000, in accordance with the provisions of Decision No 1/2000 of the Association Council between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part.

Article 2

Regulation (EC) No 85/98 shall in consequence be amended as follows:

In the title preamble and Article 1(1) and (4) references to the period '1 January to 31 December 1999' shall be replaced by references to '1 January to 31 December 2000'.

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 1 January 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 February 2000.

For the Council

The President

J. GAMA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 359, 31.12.1994, p. 2.

⁽²⁾ See page 36 of this Official Journal.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 13, 19.1.1998, p. 71. Decision as amended by Decision 1/1999 of the Association Council (OJ L 36, 10.2.1999, p. 18).

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 13, 19.1.1998, p. 15. Regulation as amended by Regulation (EC) No 288/1999 (OJ L 36, 10.2.1999, p. 1).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 544/2000
of 14 March 2000
establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 of 21 December 1994 on detailed rules for the application of the import arrangements for fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1498/98 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 4(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 lays down, pursuant to the outcome of the Uruguay Round multilateral trade negotiations, the criteria whereby the Commission fixes the standard values for imports from third countries, in respect of the products and periods stipulated in the Annex thereto.

- (2) In compliance with the above criteria, the standard import values must be fixed at the levels set out in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The standard import values referred to in Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 shall be fixed as indicated in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 March 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 337, 24.12.1994, p. 66.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 198, 15.7.1998, p. 4.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 14 March 2000 establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

(EUR/100 kg)

CN code	Third country code ⁽¹⁾	Standard import value
0702 00 00	052	154,0
	204	96,5
	624	165,4
	999	138,6
0707 00 05	052	117,9
	068	112,1
	628	140,7
	999	123,6
0709 10 00	220	180,1
	999	180,1
0709 90 70	052	97,9
	204	44,2
	628	141,9
	999	94,7
0805 10 10, 0805 10 30, 0805 10 50	052	67,1
	204	39,1
	212	42,6
	600	40,9
	624	53,1
	999	48,6
0805 30 10	052	30,6
	600	59,5
	999	45,0
0808 10 20, 0808 10 50, 0808 10 90	388	115,2
	400	91,2
	404	83,3
	508	81,5
	512	83,8
	528	74,7
	720	64,2
	728	97,0
	999	86,4
	388	80,8
0808 20 50	400	100,7
	512	62,4
	528	72,4
	999	79,1

⁽¹⁾ Country nomenclature as fixed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2543/1999 (OJ L 307, 2.12.1999, p. 46). Code '999' stands for 'of other origin'.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 545/2000
of 14 March 2000
providing for a further allocation of import rights under Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 for young
male bovine animals for fattening

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 of 30 June 1999 opening and providing for the administration of an import tariff quota for young male bovine animals for fattening (1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000) ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

Whereas:

Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 provides for the opening for the period 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000 of a tariff quota of 169 000 young male bovine animals of a weight not exceeding 300 kilograms and intended for fattening. Article 8

of that Regulation provides for a further allocation of quantities not covered by import licence applications by 29 February 2000,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The quantities referred to in Article 8(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 shall be 251 head.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 March 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 166, 1.7.1999, p. 49.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 546/2000**of 14 March 2000****amending Regulation (EC) No 2367/1999 introducing preventive distillation as provided for in Article 38 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 for the 1999/2000 wine year**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 of 16 March 1987 on the common organisation of the market in wine ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1677/1999 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 38(5) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 2367/1999 ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 286/2000 ⁽⁴⁾, introduces the preventive distillation provided for in Article 38 of Regulation (EEC) No 822/87.
- (2) The final data on supplies for the current wine year are now available. The provisional total Community volume should be adjusted on the basis of those data from 10 000 000 hl to 12 000 000 hl of table wine. The breakdown of that volume by production region must accordingly be revised.
- (3) For the purpose of properly administering the measure this Regulation should be made to apply with effect from the date of the communication referred to in Article 1(5) of Regulation (EC) No 2367/1999.
- (4) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Wine,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EC) No 2367/1999 is amended as follows:

1. In Article 1(1) and (5) the volume of 10 000 000 hl is replaced by 12 000 000 hl.
2. The table in the second subparagraph of Article 1(1) is replaced by the following:

	(hectolitres)
Region 1 (Germany)	468 079
Region 2 (Luxembourg)	0
Region 3 (France)	787 500
Region 4 (Italy)	4 360 000
Region 5 (Greece)	226 069
Region 6 (Spain)	5 676 122
Region 7 (Portugal)	470 000
Austria	12 230'

*Article 2*This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply from 24 February 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 27.3.1987, p. 1.⁽²⁾ OJ L 199, 30.7.1999, p. 8.⁽³⁾ OJ L 283, 6.11.1999, p. 10.⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 31, 5.2.2000, p. 81.

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 547/2000
of 14 March 2000**

**supplementing the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 2400/96 on the entry of certain names in the
'Register of protected designations of origin and protected geographical indications' provided for
in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2081/92 on the protection of geographical indications and designa-
tions of origin for agricultural products and foodstuffs**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2081/92 of 14 July 1992 on the protection of geographical indications and designations of origin for agricultural products and foodstuffs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1068/97 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 6(3) and (4) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) In accordance with Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 2081/92, Spain has sent the Commission an application for the registration of a name as a geographical indication.
- (2) Following a statement of objection within the meaning of Article 7 of that Regulation sent to the Commission after publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* ⁽³⁾ of the name given in Annex I to this Regulation, the question was clarified by the adoption of a new Commission Regulation (EC) No 2377/1999 ⁽⁴⁾ amending the Community standard for asparagus.
- (3) With regard to the description of the product as laid down in Article 4(2)(b) of Regulation (EEC) No 2081/92, the size and tolerance of the asparagus in question have been adjusted and now conform to the new Community rules on the matter. For that reason and for purposes of clarification, those aspects should be specified as they form part of the main points of the specification.

- (4) In accordance with Article 6(1) of that Regulation, the application has been found to meet all the requirements laid down therein and in particular to contain all the information required under Article 4 thereof.
- (5) The name should therefore be entered in the 'Register of protected designations of origin and protected geographical indications' and hence be protected throughout the Community as a protected geographical indication.
- (6) Annex I to this Regulation supplements the Annex to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2400/96 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2107/1999 ⁽⁶⁾,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The name in Annex I to this Regulation is added to the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 2400/96 and entered as a protected geographical indication (PGI) in the 'Register of protected designations of origin and protected geographical indications' provided for in Article 6(3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2081/92.

The main points of the specification are set out in Annex II. This information replaces that published in *Official Journal of the European Communities* C 207.

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, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 208, 24.7.1992, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 156, 13.6.1997, p. 10.

⁽³⁾ OJ C 207, 3.7.1998, p. 8.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 287, 10.11.1999, p. 6.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 327, 18.12.1996, p. 11.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 258, 5.10.1999, p. 3.

ANNEX I

PRODUCTS LISTED IN ANNEX I TO THE EC TREATY INTENDED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

Fruit and vegetables

SPAIN

Espárrago de Huétor-Tájar (PGI).

ANNEX II

REGULATION (EEC) No 2081/92

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION: ARTICLE 5

PDO () PGI (X)

National application No: —

1. Responsible department in the Member State:

Name: Subdirección General de Denominaciones de Calidad. Dirección General de Política Alimentaria e Industrias Agrarias y Alimentarias, Secretaría de Agricultura y Alimentación del Ministerio de Agricultura, Pesca y Alimentación, Spain

Address: Paseo de la Infanta Isabel, 1, E-28071 Madrid

Tel. (34) 913 47 55 58

Fax (34) 913 47 54 10

2. Applicant group:

2.1. Name: Asociación de productores y elaboradores de espárrago autóctono de Huétor-Tájar

2.2. Address: Carretera de la Estación s/n, E-18360 Huétor-Tájar (Granada), España

Tel. (34) 958 33 34 43

Fax (34) 958 33 34 43

2.3. Composition: Producer/processor (X) other ()

3. Type of product: Asparagus — Class 1.8 — Vegetables

4. Specification:

(Summary of requirements pursuant to Article 4(2))

4.1. Name: Espárrago de Huétor-Tájar (PGI)

4.2. Description: Asparagus grown from green-purple, tender, healthy and clean shoots obtained from seedbeds of native asparagus, a tetraploid subspecies of *Asparagus officinalis*.

Characteristics:

- shape: slender asparagus, with a stem measuring 4 to 12 mm in diameter. Pointed tip with a diameter larger than the rest of the stem. The shoot is purple, bronzepurple, bronze, green-purple or green in colour,
- organoleptic: tender, fleshy and firm texture, delicate sweet-sour flavour and a deep aroma,
- cytological: tetraploid chromosomes ($2n = 40$)

Classes protected Extra and Class I.

Size: (in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2377/1999).

- (a) according to length of stems (20 to 27 cm). Maximum difference in length in the same bunch 5 cm.
- (b) according to diameter (between 4 and 10 mm and 10 mm and above)

Tolerances

(a) Quality tolerances:

- (i) Extra Class: 5 % by number or weight of stems which do not meet the requirements for the class but which comply with those for Class I or, exceptionally, are within the tolerances for that class, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2377/1999.
- (ii) Class I: 10 % by number or weight of stems which do not meet the requirements for the class but which comply with those for Class II in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2377/1999.

- (b) Size tolerances: 10 % by number or weight of stems which do not meet, by a maximum difference of 1 cm in length or 2 mm in diameter, the sizes indicated and the requirements applicable to them in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2377/1999.

May be sold fresh or preserved.

- 4.3. *Geographical area*: Situated in the western part of the province of Granada, in the lower alluvial plain of the Genil river, between the Subbetic chain to the north and the Penibetic chain to the south. Comprises the municipalities of Huétor-Tájar, Illora, Loja, Moraleda de Zafayona, Salar and Villanueva de Mesías. Covers a total of 78 000 ha.
- 4.4. *Proof of origin*: The seeds and seedlings are produced and selected by local farmers, in seedbeds registered with, and under the control of, the regulatory body and are kept in nurseries situated in the production area. The propagating material is produced under the control of the regulatory body. The asparagus fields are located in the production area and entered in a special register. Cultivation techniques, harvesting and transport to the packing stations are all under the control of the regulatory body, the latter also being responsible for supervising the packaging of fresh asparagus and the processing of processed asparagus.
- 4.5. *Method of production*: After being selected by registered stations, shoots of native asparagus plants are packed in the fresh state in homogeneous bundles of 0,5, 1 or 2 kg and placed in suitable crates for transportation.
- When asparagus is intended for sale as a preserved product the shoots undergo an industrial process whereby: the stems are washed, cut according to the size of the container (about half-way up), cooked, cleaned, graded, and placed in containers; liquid is added, the containers are preheated and sealed, sterilised, refrigerated, etc. The entire process is under the control of the regulatory body.
- 4.6. *Link*: Asparagus was first cultivated by the ancient Romans. Green wild asparagus is mentioned as a prized ingredient in recipes compiled by the Andalusian historian Ibn Bassal in various books on Al-Andalus cooking, and survived in that region until the end of the Nazarí dynasty late in the XIVth century.

Asparagus (in essence wild asparagus) continued to be grown — for own consumption — on a small family farms in the plain of the Genil river, this region being a pioneer in the cultivation of the crop, stepping up production from 1930 onwards.

A flat region with alluvial deposits and terracing where secondary and tertiary material come to the surface. Asparagus is grown at an altitude of 450 to 650 metres. The soil consists of heavy or medium or, in some cases, light loam, with a pH between 7,8 and 8,4 and a carbonate content, expressed in calcium carbonate, exceeding 40 %, a high potassium and magnesium content due to the dolomitic nature of the carbonates present, and low levels of assimilable phosphorus and organic matter. The high magnesium and low phosphorus content is conducive to strong pigmentation of the shoot, the stem being a deeper green and the head more purple. The high potassium content inhibits sprouting of the head. Continental Mediterranean climate with an average temperature of 16,3°C, average annual rainfall of the order of 350 mm and light winds. The cultivation techniques, work carried out, and pest and disease control provide ideal conditions for growing asparagus with characteristics linked to its environment.

4.7. *Inspection body*:

Name:	Consejo regulador de la denominación específica 'Espárrago de Huétor-Tájar'
Address:	Carretera de la Estación s/n, E-18360 Huétor-Tájar (Granada)
Tel.	(34) 958 33 34 43
Fax	(34) 958 33 34 43

- 4.8. *Labelling*: Must include the words: 'Denominación Específica Espárrago de Huétor-Tájar'. The labels must be approved by the regulatory body. The secondary labels are numbered and issued by the regulatory body.
- 4.9. *National requirements*: Law No 25/1970 of 2 December 1970. Order of 2 April 1997 approving the rules governing the specific designation 'Denominación específica Espárrago de Huétor-Tájar' and its regulatory body.

EC No: G/ES00056/97.12.04.

Date of receipt of the full application: 11.2.2000.

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 548/2000
of 14 March 2000**

amending Regulation (EEC) No 94/92 laying down detailed rules for implementing the arrangements for imports from third countries provided for in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 of 24 June 1991 on organic production of agricultural products and indications referring thereto on agricultural products and foodstuffs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 331/2000 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 11(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 11(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 stipulates that products which are imported from a third country may be marketed only where they originate from a third country appearing in a list drawn up in accordance with the conditions laid down in Article 11(2) of the Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91. Such list has been laid down in the Annex to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 94/92 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1367/98 ⁽⁴⁾.
- (2) The Czech Republic introduced in the Commission a request to be included in the list provided for in Article 11(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 and submitted the information required pursuant to Article 2(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 94/92.
- (3) The examination of this information and consequent discussion with their authorities has led to the conclusion that in this country the rules governing production and inspection are equivalent to those laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91.

- (4) The deadline of inclusion of Argentina, Australia, Hungary and Israel in the list provided for in Article 11(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91, expires on 30 June 2000 and therefore needs to be prolonged for a further period, in order to permit imports to continue. For Israel and Argentina the prolongation of the deadline will be reconsidered in the light of the inspection visits made or planned in these countries.
- (5) The Hungarian authorities have communicated the change of name of the Hungarian inspection body Biokultura, which need to be included in the Annex.
- (6) Some technical updates are necessary for Australia, Israel and Switzerland.
- (7) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of Article 14 of Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 94/92 is hereby amended as shown in the Annex to the current Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following that 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, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 198, 22.7.1991, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 48, 19.2.2000, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 11, 17.1.1992, p. 14.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 185, 30.6.1998, p. 11.

ANNEX

1. The following text shall be added after the text referring to Australia:
'CZECH REPUBLIC:
 1. **Product categories:**
 - (a) unprocessed crop products within the meaning of Article 1(1)(a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91;
 - (b) foodstuffs composed essentially of one or more ingredients of plant origin within the meaning of Article 1(1)(b) of Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91.
 2. **Origin:** Products of category 1(a) and organically grown ingredients in products of category 1(b) have been grown in Czech Republic.
 3. **Inspection body:** KEZ o.p.s.
 4. Certificate issuing body:
 - Department of Structural Policy and Ecology (Ministry of Agriculture)
 - KEZ o.p.s.
 5. **Duration of the inclusion:** 30.6.200.'
 2. Point 5 of the texts referring to Argentina, Australia, Hungary and Israel is replaced by the following:
'5. **Duration of the inclusion:** 30.6.2003.'
 3. Points 3 and 4 of the text referring to Hungary are replaced by the following:
 - '3. **Inspection body:** Biokontroll Hungária Közhasznú Társaság (Biokontroll Hungária Kht) and Skal
 4. **Certificate issuing body:** Biokontroll Hungária Közhasznú Társaság and Skal (Office in Hungary)'
 4. In point 3 of the text referring to Australia, the name of the inspection body 'Australian Quarantine Inspection Service (AQIS)' is replaced by:
'Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service (AQIS) (Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry)'
 5. Point 3 of the text referring to Israel is replaced by the following:
'3. **Inspection authority:** Plant Protection and Inspection Services (PPIS) (Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development).'
 6. Point 3 of the text referring to Switzerland is replaced by the following:
'3. **Inspection bodies:** Institut für Marktökologie (IMO), bio.inspecta AG and Schweizerische Vereinigung für Qualitäts- und Management-Systeme (SQS)'
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COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 549/2000
of 14 March 2000
determining the rice intervention centres

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3072/95 of 22 December 1995 on the common organisation of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2072/98 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 8(a) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2047/84 ⁽³⁾ determines the rice intervention centres other than Vercelli. That Regulation has been amended several times, most recently by Regulation (EC) No 695/98 ⁽⁴⁾. For reasons of clarity it should be replaced in its entirety.
- (2) Following consultations with the Member States concerned, the list of intervention centres in Spain and Greece should be amended.
- (3) Those measures should take effect from the start of the period of application of the intervention arrangements.

- (4) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The intervention centres mentioned in Article 3(3) of Regulation (EC) No 3072/95 are listed in the Annex.

Article 2

Regulation (EEC) No 2047/84 is hereby repealed.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 April 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 329, 30.12.1995, p. 18.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 265, 30.9.1998, p. 4.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 190, 18.7.1984, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 96, 28.3.1998, p. 20.

ANNEX

1. SPAIN

Region	Intervention centre
Aragon	Ejea de los Caballeros Grañén
Catalonia	Aldea-Tortosa
Valencia	Albal-Silla Sueca Cullera
Murcia	Calasparra
Extremadura	Don Benito Montijo Madrigalejo
Andalusia	Coria del Rio Las Cabezas de San Juan La Puebla del Rio Los Palacios Vejer de la Frontera
Navarre	Tudela

2. FRANCE

Department	Intervention centre
Bouches-du-Rhône	Arles Port-du-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône
Gard	Beaucaire Saint-Gilles
Guiana	Mana (Saint-Laurent-du-Maroni)

3. GREECE

Region	Intervention centre
Central Greece	Volos Lamia Messolongi Elassona
Macedonia	Skotousa Drimos Plati Provatas Pirgos Thessaloniki Serres Giannitsa
Peloponnese	Messini

4. ITALY

Region	Intervention centre
Piedmont	Vercelli Novara Cuneo Turin Alessandria Biella
Veneto	Rovigo
Lombardy	Pavia Mantua Milan Lodi
Emilia-Romagna	Piacenza Parma Ferrara Bologna Ravenna Reggio Emilia
Sardinia	Oristano Cagliari

5. PORTUGAL

Region	Intervention centre
Beira Litoral	Granja do Ulmeiro Soure Lourinhã
Ribatejo	Coruche Mora Avis Ponte de Sor Azambuja
Alentejo	Grândola Pegões Ferreira do Alentejo

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 550/2000**of 14 March 2000****setting the final reference amounts for producers of soya beans, rape or colza seed and sunflower seed for the 1999/2000 marketing year**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92 of 30 June 1992 establishing a support system for producers of certain arable crops ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1624/98 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 12 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 5(1)(d) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92 provides that the Commission is to calculate a final regional reference amount based on the observed reference price for oilseeds by substituting the observed reference price for the projected reference price. The Commission has determined the observed reference price using the data provided pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 3405/93 ⁽³⁾.
- (2) Article 5(1)(e) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92 specifies that if the area of land for which the crop-specific oilseed compensatory payment is made, after application of Article 2(6) of that Regulation, exceeds the maximum guaranteed area (MGA), the final regional reference amounts must be reduced in accordance with Article 5(1)(f) and (g) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92.
- (3) The maximum guaranteed area was exceeded for the 1997/1998 and 1998/1999 marketing years but the information provided by the Member States, in particular the data forwarded in accordance with Article 8 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 658/96 ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 610/1999 ⁽⁵⁾, indicates that there has been no such overrun for the 1999/2000 marketing year. The Commission may accordingly decide, under Article 5(1)(h) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92, that the final reference amounts for the following marketing year need not be reduced. It should

therefore be decided not to apply the reduction for the 1999/2000 marketing year.

- (4) The producers received an advance payment at the level set in Article 2 of Commission Regulation (EC) No 1684/1999 ⁽⁶⁾.
- (5) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Joint Meeting of Management Committees for cereals, oils and fats and dried fodder,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. A succinct explanation of the calculation of the final regional reference amounts referred to in Article 5(3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92 is set out in Annex I.
2. The final regional reference amounts for the 1999/2000 marketing year shall be as set out in Annex II.
3. In calculating the balance of the compensatory payment to be made to producers of oilseeds referred to in Article 11(4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92, the competent authority shall take account of:
 - any advance payment made in accordance with Article 2 of Regulation (EC) No 1684/1999,
 - and, where applicable, any reduction in the producer's eligible area and the level of the compensatory payment.

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 12.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 210, 28.7.1998, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 310, 14.12.1993, p. 10.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 91, 12.4.1996, p. 46.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 75, 20.3.1999, p. 24.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 199, 30.7.1999, p. 29.

ANNEX I

Succinct explanation of the calculation of the corrected final regional reference amount for producers of oilseeds in the 1999/2000 marketing year*I. Adjustment of support payments pursuant to Article 5(1)(d) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92 (prices)*

1. The observed reference price for oilseeds, which represents the average price recorded on the markets during the 1999/2000 marketing year, has been assessed at EUR 188,188 per tonne. This observed reference price has been calculated on the basis of offers and prices reported by Member States in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 3405/93.
2. The level of the observed reference price is such that it is not necessary to change the projected level of compensatory payments pursuant to Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92.

II. Adjustment of support payments pursuant to Article 5(1)(e) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92 (area)

1. After applying Article 2(6) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92, the areas of land for which crop-specific oilseed payments have been made are smaller than the maximum guaranteed area.
2. Pursuant to Article 5(1)(h) of Regulation (EEC) No 1765/92, the final reference amounts have therefore not been reduced.

III. Final regional reference amounts

In view of points I and II above, the final regional reference amounts are set at the same level as the projected regional reference amounts laid down in Regulation (EC) No 1684/1999.

ANNEX II

FINAL REGIONAL REFERENCE AMOUNTS 1999/2000

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
België/Belgique:	Polders/Polders	Oilseeds	2,40	440,85
	Leemstreek/Limoneuse	Oilseeds	3,31	608,00
	Zandleemstreek/Sablolimoneuse	Oilseeds	3,12	573,10
	Condroz/Condroz	Oilseeds	3,07	563,92
	Weidestreek/Herbagère	Oilseeds	3,03	556,57
	Zandstreek/Sablonneuse	Oilseeds	2,85	523,51
	Kempen/Campine	Oilseeds	2,72	499,63
	Famenne/Famenne	Oilseeds	2,97	545,55
	Venen/Fagnes	Oilseeds	3,15	578,61
	Ardennen/Ardenne	Oilseeds	2,99	549,22
	Jurastreek/Jurassique	Oilseeds	3,38	620,86
	Hen. Kempen/Campine-Hennuyère	Cereals	6,44	606,90
	Hoge Ardennen/Haute Ardenne	Cereals	3,77	355,28
Danmark:		Oilseeds	2,700	495,95
Deutschland:	Schleswig-Holstein	Oilseeds	3,380	620,86
	Hamburg	Oilseeds	3,070	563,92
	Bremen	Oilseeds	3,130	574,94
	Niedersachsen			
	— Regions 1-9	Oilseeds	3,060	562,08
	— Region 10	Oilseeds	3,440	631,88
	Nordrhein-Westfalen	Oilseeds	3,110	571,26
	Hessen	Oilseeds	3,100	569,43
	Rheinland-Pfalz	Oilseeds	2,850	523,51
	Baden-Württemberg	Oilseeds	2,970	545,55
	Bayern	Oilseeds	3,180	584,12
	Saarland	Oilseeds	2,700	495,95
	Berlin	Oilseeds	2,680	492,28
	Brandenburg			
	— Region 1	Oilseeds	3,440	631,88
	— Region 2	Oilseeds	2,680	492,28
	Mecklenburg-Vorpommern	Oilseeds	3,440	631,88
	Sachsen	Oilseeds	2,960	543,71
	Sachsen-Anhalt	Oilseeds	2,670	490,44
	Thüringen	Oilseeds	2,870	527,18
Ellada:	Region 1	Oilseeds	1,900	349,00
	Region 2	Oilseeds	2,200	404,11

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
España:	Secano:	1 Cereals	0,900	84,82
		2 Cereals	1,200	113,09
		3 Cereals	1,500	141,36
		4 Cereals	1,800	169,63
		5 Cereals	2,000	188,48
		6 Cereals	2,200	207,33
		7 Cereals	2,500	235,60
		8 Cereals	2,700	254,45
		9 Cereals	3,200	301,57
		10 Cereals	3,700	348,68
		11 Cereals	4,100	386,38
	Regadío:	1 Cereals	3,000	282,72
		2 Cereals	3,100	292,14
		3 Cereals	3,200	301,57
		4 Cereals	3,400	320,41
		5 Cereals	3,500	329,84
		6 Cereals	3,600	339,26
		7 Cereals	3,700	348,68
		8 Cereals	3,800	358,11
		9 Cereals	3,900	367,53
		10 Cereals	4,000	376,96
		11 Cereals	4,100	386,38
		12 Cereals	4,200	395,80
		13 Cereals	4,300	405,23
		14 Cereals	4,400	414,65
		15 Cereals	4,500	424,08
		16 Cereals	4,600	433,50
		17 Cereals	4,700	442,92
		18 Cereals	4,800	452,35
		19 Cereals	4,900	461,77
		20 Cereals	5,000	471,20
		21 Cereals	5,100	480,62
		22 Cereals	5,200	490,04
		23 Cereals	5,300	499,47
		24 Cereals	5,400	508,89
		25 Cereals	5,500	518,32
		26 Cereals	5,700	537,16
		27 Cereals	5,800	546,59
		28 Cereals	5,900	556,01
		29 Cereals	6,100	574,86
		30 Cereals	6,200	584,28
		31 Cereals	6,300	593,71

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	32	Cereals	6,400	603,13
	33	Cereals	6,600	621,98
	34	Cereals	7,100	669,10
	35	Cereals	8,200	772,76
	36	Cereals	8,300	782,18
France:	Zone I			
	Soja: — Non irrigué	Cereals	5,930	558,84
	— Irrigué	Cereals	8,120	765,22
	Colza/Tournesol	Cereals	6,023	567,60
	Zone II			
	Soja: — Non irrigué	Cereals	4,680	441,04
	— Irrigué	Cereals	8,770	826,48
	Colza/Tournesol	Cereals	5,554	523,40
Ireland		Oilseeds	3,300	606,17
Italia:				
	Torino montagna interna	Cereals	2,224	209,59
	Torino collina interna	Oilseeds	3,612	663,48
	Torino pianura	Oilseeds	4,399	808,04
	Vercelli-Biella montagna interna	Cereals	4,853	457,34
	Vercelli-Biella collina interna	Oilseeds	4,233	777,54
	Vercelli-Biella pianura	Oilseeds	4,826	886,47
	Novara-Verbanò-Cuseo-Oss. montagna interna	Cereals	3,731	351,61
	Novara-Verbanò-Cuseo-Oss. collina interna	Oilseeds	3,744	687,72
	Novara pianura	Oilseeds	4,488	824,38
	Cuneo montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,762	691,03
	Cuneo collina interna	Oilseeds	3,877	712,15
	Cuneo pianura	Oilseeds	4,187	769,10
	Asti collina interna	Oilseeds	3,254	597,72
	Asti pianura	Oilseeds	3,409	626,19
	Alessandria montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,550	652,09
	Alessandria collina interna	Oilseeds	3,384	621,59
	Alessandria pianura	Oilseeds	3,359	617,00
	Aosta montagna interna	Cereals	2,328	219,39
	Varese montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,950	725,56
	Varese collina interna	Oilseeds	3,437	631,33
	Varese pianura	Oilseeds	3,244	595,88
	Como-Lecco subz. 1 montagna interna	Cereals	6,652	626,88
	Como-Lecco subz. 1 collina interna	Oilseeds	3,541	650,43

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	Como pianura	Oilseeds	4,167	765,42
	Sondrio montagna interna	Cereals	4,793	451,69
	Milano collina interna	Oilseeds	4,349	798,85
	Milano-Lodi pianura	Oilseeds	4,662	856,35
	Bergamo-Lecco subz. 2 montagna interna	Cereals	3,817	359,71
	Bergamo-Lecco subz. 2 collina interna	Oilseeds	4,375	803,63
	Bergamo pianura	Oilseeds	5,000	918,43
	Brescia montagna interna	Cereals	5,469	515,39
	Brescia collina interna	Oilseeds	5,000	918,43
	Brescia pianura	Oilseeds	5,000	918,43
	Pavia montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,377	620,31
	Pavia collina interna	Oilseeds	3,578	657,23
	Pavia pianura	Oilseeds	4,194	770,38
	Cremona pianura	Oilseeds	4,737	870,12
	Mantova collina interna	Oilseeds	4,620	848,63
	Mantova pianura	Oilseeds	5,000	918,43
	Bolzano montagna interna	Cereals	1,848	174,15
	Trento montagna interna	Cereals	4,374	412,20
	Verona montagna interna	Oilseeds	5,000	918,43
	Verona collina interna	Oilseeds	4,715	866,08
	Verona pianura	Oilseeds	4,972	913,29
	Vicenza montagna interna	Oilseeds	4,439	815,38
	Vicenza collina interna	Oilseeds	5,000	918,43
	Vicenza pianura	Oilseeds	4,817	884,82
	Belluno montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,499	642,72
	Treviso collina interna	Oilseeds	4,422	812,26
	Treviso pianura	Oilseeds	4,640	852,31
	Venezia pianura	Oilseeds	4,688	861,12
	Padova collina interna	Oilseeds	4,044	742,83
	Padova pianura	Oilseeds	4,300	789,85
	Rovigo pianura	Oilseeds	4,502	826,96
	Udine montagna interna	Cereals	4,320	407,11
	Udine collina interna	Oilseeds	4,159	763,95
	Udine pianura	Oilseeds	4,552	836,14
	Gorizia collina interna	Oilseeds	4,049	743,75
	Gorizia pianura	Oilseeds	4,517	829,71
	Trieste pianura	Cereals	4,879	459,79
	Pordenone montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,012	553,26
	Pordenone collina interna	Oilseeds	3,570	655,76
	Pordenone pianura	Oilseeds	4,150	762,30

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	Imperia montagna interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Imperia collina interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Imperia collina litoranea	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Savona montagna interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Savona montagna litoranea	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Savona collina interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Savona collina litoranea	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Genova montagna interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Genova montagna litoranea	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Genova collina interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Genova collina litoranea	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	La Spezia montagna interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	La Spezia collina interna	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	La Spezia collina litoranea	Cereals	3,372	317,77
	Piacenza montagna interna	Cereals	3,676	346,42
	Piacenza collina interna	Oilseeds	3,607	662,56
	Piacenza pianura	Oilseeds	3,895	715,46
	Parma montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,631	666,97
	Parma collina interna	Oilseeds	3,693	678,35
	Parma pianura	Oilseeds	3,808	699,48
	Reggio-Emilia montagna interna	Cereals	3,188	300,43
	Reggio-Emilia collina interna	Oilseeds	2,989	549,04
	Reggio-Emilia pianura	Oilseeds	4,124	757,52
	Modena montagna interna	Cereals	3,834	361,31
	Modena collina interna	Oilseeds	3,599	661,09
	Modena pianura	Oilseeds	4,209	773,14
	Bologna montagna interna	Cereals	4,360	410,88
	Bologna collina interna	Oilseeds	3,277	601,94
	Bologna pianura	Oilseeds	3,890	714,54
	Ferrara pianura	Oilseeds	4,590	843,12
	Ravenna collina interna	Oilseeds	3,366	618,29
	Ravenna pianura	Oilseeds	3,644	669,35
	Forlì montagna interna	Cereals	2,828	266,51
	Forlì-Rimini collina interna	Oilseeds	3,190	585,96
	Forlì-Rimini collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,125	574,02
	Forlì-Rimini pianura	Oilseeds	3,426	629,31
	Massa-Carrara montagna interna	Cereals	5,659	533,30
	Massa-Carrara montagna litoranea	Cereals	7,970	751,09
	Massa-Carrara collina interna	Cereals	5,952	560,91
	Lucca montagna litoranea	Cereals	5,320	501,35
	Lucca montagna interna	Cereals	3,437	323,90
	Lucca pianura	Oilseeds	3,135	575,86

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	Pistoia montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,536	649,52
	Pistoia collina interna	Oilseeds	3,495	641,98
	Firenze-Prato montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,971	545,73
	Firenze-Prato collina interna	Oilseeds	2,695	495,03
	Firenze pianura	Oilseeds	2,873	527,73
	Livorno collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,089	567,41
	Pisa collina interna	Oilseeds	2,850	523,51
	Pisa collina litoranea	Oilseeds	2,848	523,14
	Pisa pianura	Oilseeds	2,947	541,32
	Arezzo montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,967	545,00
	Arezzo collina interna	Oilseeds	2,816	517,26
	Siena montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,560	470,24
	Siena collina interna	Oilseeds	3,027	556,02
	Grosseto montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,478	455,18
	Grosseto collina interna	Oilseeds	3,013	553,45
	Grosseto collina litoranea	Oilseeds	2,961	543,90
	Grosseto pianura	Oilseeds	3,040	558,41
	Perugia montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,964	544,45
	Perugia collina interna	Oilseeds	3,003	551,61
	Terni montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,837	704,80
	Terni collina interna	Oilseeds	3,103	569,98
	Pesaro-Urbino montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,979	547,20
	Pesaro-Urbino collina interna	Oilseeds	3,005	551,98
	Pesaro-Urbino collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,066	563,18
	Ancona montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,099	569,24
	Ancona collina interna	Oilseeds	3,122	573,47
	Ancona collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,160	580,45
	Macerata montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,075	564,84
	Macerata collina interna	Oilseeds	3,218	591,10
	Macerata collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,207	589,08
	Ascoli Piceno montagna interna	Cereals	3,446	324,75
	Ascoli Piceno collina interna	Oilseeds	3,054	560,98
	Ascoli Piceno collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,067	563,37
	Viterbo collina interna	Oilseeds	3,027	556,02
	Viterbo pianura	Oilseeds	3,239	594,96
	Rieti montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,352	615,72
	Rieti collina interna	Oilseeds	3,186	585,23
	Roma montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,016	554,00
	Roma collina interna	Oilseeds	3,114	572,00
	Roma collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,138	576,41
	Roma pianura	Oilseeds	3,133	575,49

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	Latina montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,662	488,97
	Latina collina interna	Oilseeds	3,637	668,07
	Latina collina litoranea	Cereals	4,697	442,64
	Latina pianura	Oilseeds	3,398	624,17
	Frosinone montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,401	441,03
	Frosinone collina interna	Oilseeds	3,305	607,08
	L'Aquila montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,038	558,04
	Teramo montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,849	523,32
	Teramo collina interna	Oilseeds	3,003	551,61
	Teramo collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,104	570,16
	Pescara montagna interna	Cereals	3,323	313,16
	Pescara collina interna	Oilseeds	2,976	546,65
	Pescara collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,108	570,90
	Chieti montagna interna	Cereals	2,443	230,23
	Chieti collina interna	Oilseeds	2,850	523,51
	Chieti collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,098	569,06
	Campobasso montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,875	528,10
	Campobasso collina interna	Oilseeds	2,981	547,57
	Campobasso collina litoranea	Oilseeds	2,983	547,94
	Isernia montagna interna	Cereals	3,005	283,19
	Isernia collina interna	Cereals	3,788	356,98
	Caserta montagna interna	Oilseeds	4,000	734,75
	Caserta collina interna	Oilseeds	2,712	498,16
	Caserta collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,237	594,59
	Caserta pianura	Oilseeds	3,176	583,39
	Benevento collina interna	Oilseeds	2,763	507,53
	Benevento montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,941	540,22
	Napoli collina interna	Oilseeds	3,560	653,92
	Napoli collina litoranea	Cereals	5,316	500,98
	Napoli pianura	Cereals	8,209	773,61
	Avellino montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,901	532,87
	Avellino collina interna	Cereals	3,809	358,96
	Salerno montagna interna	Cereals	1,842	173,59
	Salerno collina interna	Oilseeds	3,760	690,66
	Salerno collina litoranea	Cereals	2,087	196,68
	Salerno pianura	Oilseeds	3,656	671,56
	Foggia montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,898	532,32
	Foggia collina interna	Oilseeds	2,897	532,14
	Foggia collina litoranea	Cereals	2,485	234,18
	Foggia pianura	Oilseeds	2,901	532,87
	Bari collina interna	Oilseeds	2,916	535,63
	Bari pianura	Cereals	1,535	144,66

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	Taranto collina litoranea	Oilseeds	3,121	573,29
	Taranto pianura	Oilseeds	2,783	511,20
	Brindisi collina litoranea	Cereals	1,154	108,75
	Brindisi pianura	Oilseeds	3,970	729,24
	Lecce pianura	Oilseeds	3,637	668,07
	Potenza montagna interna	Cereals	1,611	151,82
	Potenza montagna litoranea	Cereals	1,601	150,88
	Potenza collina interna	Oilseeds	2,458	451,50
	Matera montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,444	448,93
	Matera collina interna	Oilseeds	2,508	460,69
	Matera pianura	Oilseeds	2,788	512,12
	Cosenza montagna interna	Oilseeds	4,000	734,75
	Cosenza montagna litoranea	Cereals	1,632	153,80
	Cosenza collina interna	Oilseeds	2,758	506,61
	Cosenza collina litoranea	Cereals	1,451	136,74
	Cosenza pianura	Oilseeds	3,185	585,04
	Catanzaro-Crotone-Vibo Val. montagna interna	Oilseeds	3,375	619,94
	Catanzaro-Crotone-Vibo Val. collina interna	Cereals	2,074	195,45
	Catanzaro-Crotone-Vibo Val. collina litoranea	Cereals	1,861	175,38
	Catanzaro-Crotone pianura	Cereals	1,664	156,81
	Reggio Calabria montagna interna	Cereals	1,702	160,40
	Reggio Calabria montagna litoranea	Cereals	1,612	151,91
	Reggio Calabria collina litoranea	Cereals	1,697	159,92
	Reggio Calabria pianura	Cereals	2,678	252,37
	Trapani collina interna	Cereals	1,706	160,77
	Trapani collina litoranea	Cereals	1,606	151,35
	Trapani pianura	Cereals	1,606	151,35
	Palermo montagna interna	Cereals	1,918	180,75
	Palermo montagna litoranea	Cereals	1,610	151,73
	Palermo collina interna	Cereals	1,584	149,27
	Palermo collina litoranea	Cereals	1,556	146,64
	Palermo pianura	Cereals	1,507	142,02
	Messina montagna interna	Cereals	1,278	120,44
	Messina montagna litoranea	Cereals	1,222	115,16
	Messina collina litoranea	Cereals	1,289	121,47

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
	Agrigento montagna interna	Cereals	1,669	157,29
	Agrigento collina interna	Cereals	1,512	142,49
	Agrigento collina litoranea	Cereals	1,333	125,62
	Agrigento pianura	Cereals	1,667	157,10
	Caltanissetta collina interna	Cereals	1,333	125,62
	Caltanissetta collina litoranea	Cereals	1,080	101,78
	Caltanissetta pianura	Cereals	1,027	96,78
	Enna montagna interna	Cereals	1,100	103,66
	Enna collina interna	Oilseeds	2,397	440,30
	Catania montagna interna	Oilseeds	2,922	536,73
	Catania montagna litoranea	Cereals	5,000	471,20
	Catania collina interna	Oilseeds	2,326	427,25
	Catania collina litoranea	Oilseeds	2,575	472,99
	Catania pianura	Oilseeds	2,509	460,87
	Ragusa collina interna	Cereals	2,200	207,33
	Ragusa collina litoranea	Cereals	2,584	243,51
	Ragusa pianura	Cereals	3,590	338,32
	Siracusa collina interna	Cereals	1,362	128,35
	Siracusa collina litoranea	Oilseeds	2,700	495,95
	Siracusa pianura	Oilseeds	2,625	482,18
	Sassari montagna interna	Cereals	1,750	164,92
	Sassari collina interna	Cereals	1,667	157,10
	Sassari collina litoranea	Cereals	1,752	165,11
	Sassari pianura	Oilseeds	3,999	734,56
	Nuoro montagna interna	Cereals	1,350	127,22
	Nuoro collina interna	Cereals	1,536	144,75
	Nuoro collina litoranea	Cereals	1,772	166,99
	Cagliari collina interna	Oilseeds	4,000	734,75
	Cagliari collina litoranea	Oilseeds	4,000	734,75
	Cagliari pianura	Oilseeds	3,904	717,11
	Oristano collina interna	Oilseeds	2,991	549,41
	Oristano pianura	Oilseeds	4,000	734,75
Luxembourg:		Oilseeds	2,700	495,95
Nederland:	1	Cereals	7,100	669,10
	2	Cereals	5,000	471,20
Österreich:		Oilseeds	2,74	503,30

Member State	Region	Reference	Yield (tonnes/ha)	Final reference amount (EUR/ha)
Portugal:	Sequeiro	S-C.1 Cereals	1,50	141,36
		S-C.2 Cereals	1,10	103,66
		S-C.3 Cereals	2,05	193,19
		S-C.4 Cereals	3,20	301,57
		S-C.5 Cereals	2,60	245,02
		S-M.1 Cereals	2,00	188,48
		S-A.1 Cereals	3,80	358,11
	Regadio	R-C.1 Cereals	8,20	772,76
		R-C.2 Cereals	6,80	640,83
		R-C.3 Cereals	4,25	400,52
		R-C.4 Cereals	2,40	226,17
		R-C.5 Cereals	6,95	654,96
		R-C.6 Cereals	5,05	475,91
		R-C.7 Cereals	5,60	527,74
		R-C.8 Cereals	4,45	419,36
		R-C.9 Cereals	3,20	301,57
		R-M.1 Cereals	4,40	414,65
Suomi:		Oilseeds	1,59	292,06
Sverige:	Zone 1	Oilseeds	2,674	491,18
	Zone 2	Oilseeds	2,259	414,95
	Zone 3	Cereals	4,147	390,81
	Zone 4	Cereals	3,626	341,71
	Zone 5	Cereals	2,875	270,94
United Kingdom:	England	Oilseeds	3,08	565,75
	Wales	Oilseeds	3,14	576,78
	Northern Ireland	Oilseeds	2,92	536,36
	Scotland (LFA)	Oilseeds	2,84	521,67
	Scotland (remainder)	Oilseeds	3,45	633,72

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 551/2000
of 14 March 2000
fixing representative prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin, and amending
Regulation (EC) No 1484/95

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in eggs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1516/96 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 5(4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in poultrymeat ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2916/95 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 5(4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2783/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common system of trade for ovalbumin and lactalbumin ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2916/95, and in particular Article 3(4) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1484/95 ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 344/2000 ⁽⁷⁾, fixes detailed rules for implementing the system of additional import duties and fixes representative prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin.

- (2) It results from regular monitoring of the information providing the basis for the verification of the import prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin that the representative prices for imports of certain products should be amended taking into account variations of prices according to origin. Therefore, representative prices should be published.

- (3) It is necessary to apply this amendment as soon as possible, given the situation on the market.

- (4) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1484/95 is hereby replaced by the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 March 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 49.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 189, 30.7.1996, p. 99.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 77.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 305, 19.12.1995, p. 49.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 104.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 145, 29.6.1995, p. 47.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 43, 16.2.2000, p. 26.

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CN code	Description	Representative price EUR/100 kg	Security referred to in Article 3(3) EUR/100 kg	Origin (¹)
0207 14 10	Boneless cuts of fowls of the species <i>gallus domesticus</i> , frozen	200,8	30	01
		208,1	28	02
		265,8	10	03
		265,8	10	04
1602 32 11	Preparations uncooked of fowls of the species <i>gallus domesticus</i>	218,9	20	01
		219,2	20	02

(¹) Origin of imports:

01 Brazil

02 Thailand

03 Chile

04 Argentina.'

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 552/2000
of 14 March 2000
fixing the export refunds on pigmeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in pigmeat ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by the Act of Accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden and by Regulation (EC) No 3290/94 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the second paragraph of Article 13 (3) thereof,

Whereas

- (1) Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1(1) of that Regulation and prices for these products within the Community may be covered by an export refund.
- (2) It follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in pigmeat that the refund should be fixed as set out below;
- (3) In the case of products falling within CN code 0210 19 81, the refund should be limited to an amount which takes account of the qualitative characteristics of each of the products falling within these codes and of the foreseeable trend of production costs on the world market. It is important that the Community should continue to take part in international trade in the case of certain typical Italian products falling within CN code 0210 19 81.
- (4) Because of the conditions of competition in certain third countries, which are traditionally importers of products falling within CN codes 1601 00 and 1602, the refund

for these products should be fixed so as to take this situation into account. Steps should be taken to ensure that the refund is granted only for the net weight of the edible substances, to the exclusion of the net weight of the bones possibly contained in the said preparations.

- (5) Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 provides that the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund on the products listed in Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 according to destination.
- (6) The refunds should be fixed taking account of the amendments to the refund nomenclature established by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2765/1999 ⁽⁴⁾.
- (7) The Management Committee for Pigmeat has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The list of products on which the export refund specified in Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 is granted and the amount of the refund shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 March 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ L 349, 31.12.1994, p. 105.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 338, 30.12.1999, p. 1.

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(EUR/100 kg net weight)			(EUR/100 kg net weight)		
Product code	Destination of refund ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund	Product code	Destination of refund ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund
0203 11 10 9000	01	13,00	0203 29 11 9100	01	13,00
	02	35,00		02	35,00
0203 12 11 9100	01	13,00	0203 29 13 9100	01	13,00
	02	35,00		02	35,00
0203 12 19 9100	01	13,00	0203 29 15 9100	01	9,00
	02	35,00		02	22,00
0203 19 11 9100	01	13,00	0203 29 55 9110	01	13,00
	02	35,00		02	35,00
0203 19 13 9100	01	13,00	0210 11 31 9110	04	90,00
	02	35,00		04	90,00
0203 19 15 9100	01	9,00	0210 11 31 9910	04	90,00
	02	22,00		04	20,00
0203 19 55 9110	01	13,00	0210 12 19 9100	04	20,00
	02	35,00		04	95,00
0203 19 55 9310	01	9,00	0210 19 81 9100	04	95,00
	02	22,00		04	76,00
0203 21 10 9000	01	13,00	1601 00 91 9000	04	28,00
	02	35,00		04	25,00
0203 22 11 9100	01	13,00	1601 00 99 9110	04	25,00
	02	35,00		04	62,00
0203 22 19 9100	01	13,00	1602 41 10 9210	04	62,00
	02	35,00		04	34,00
			1602 42 10 9210	04	34,00
				04	25,00

(¹) The destinations are as follows:

01 Poland, Czech Republic, Slovak Republic, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, Slovenia, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia

02 All destinations except those of 01

04 All destinations

NB: The product codes and the footnotes are defined in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 553/2000
of 14 March 2000
fixing the export refunds on poultrymeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in poultrymeat ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2916/95 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1(1) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund.
- (2) It follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in poultrymeat that the refund should be fixed at an amount which would permit Community participation in world trade and

would also take account of the nature of these exports and their importance at the present time.

- (3) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The list of product codes for which, when they are exported, the export refund referred to in Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 is granted, and the amount of that refund shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 15 March 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 77.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 305, 19.12.1995, p. 49.

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Product code	Destination of refund ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund
		EUR/100 units
0105 11 11 9000	01	1,40
0105 11 19 9000	01	1,40
0105 11 91 9000	01	1,40
0105 11 99 9000	01	1,40
		EUR/100 kg
0207 12 10 9900	02	28,00
	03	25,00
0207 12 90 9190	02	28,00
	03	25,00
0207 12 90 9990	02	28,00
	03	25,00

⁽¹⁾ The destinations are as follows:

01 All destinations except the United States of America,

02 Angola, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman, the United Arab Emirates, Jordan, Yemen, Lebanon, Iraq and Iran,

03 Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan and Ukraine.

NB: The product codes and the footnotes are defined in amended Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COUNCIL

DECISION 1/2000 OF THE EU-POLAND ASSOCIATION COUNCIL

of 17 February 2000

extending the double-checking system established by Decision No 2/1999 of the Association Council for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000

(2000/213/EC)

THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL,

Whereas:

- (1) The contact group referred to in Article 10 of Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Poland, of the other part, which entered into force on 1 February 1994, met on 28 September 1999 and agreed to recommend to the Association Council established under Article 102 of the Agreement that the double-checking system introduced in 1999 by Decision No 2/1999 of the Association Council ⁽¹⁾ should be extended for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000.
- (2) The Association Council, having been supplied with all relevant information, has agreed with this recommendation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The double-checking system established by Decision No 2/1999 shall continue to apply for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000. In the preamble and Article 1(1) and (3) of the Decision, references to the period 1 April to 31 December 1999 shall be replaced by references to 1 January to 31 December 2000.

Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 2000.

Done at Brussels, 17 February 2000.

For the Association Council

The President

J. GAMA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 133, 28.5.1999, p. 44.

DECISION No 1/2000 OF THE EU-ROMANIA ASSOCIATION COUNCIL
of 17 February 2000
extending the double-checking system established by Decision No 3/97 of the Association Council
for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000

(2000/214/EC)

THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL,

Whereas:

- (1) The contact group referred to in Article 11 of Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Romania, of the other part, which entered into force on 1 February 1995, met on 6 October 1999 and agreed to recommend to the Association Council established under Article 106 of the Agreement that the double-checking system introduced in 1998 by Decision No 3/97 of the Association Council ⁽¹⁾, extended for the period from 1 January to 31 December 1999 by Decision No 5/98 thereof ⁽²⁾, should be extended for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000.
- (2) The Association Council, having been supplied with all relevant information, has agreed with this recommendation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The double-checking system established by Decision No 3/97 shall continue to apply for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000. In the preamble and Article 1(1) and (3) of the Decision, references to the period 1 January to 31 December 1999 shall be replaced by references to 1 January to 31 December 2000.

Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 2000.

Done at Brussels, 17 February 2000.

For the Association Council

The President

P. ROMAN

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 13, 19.1.1998, p. 57.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 19, 26.1.1999, p. 9.

DECISION No 1/2000 OF THE EU-SLOVAKIA ASSOCIATION COUNCIL
of 17 February 2000
extending the double-checking system established by Decision No 3/97 of the Association Council
for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000

(2000/215/EC)

THE ASSOCIATION COUNCIL,

Whereas:

- (1) The contact group referred to in Article 10 of Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part, which entered into force on 1 February 1995, met on 7 October 1999 and agreed to recommend to the Association Council established under Article 104 of the Agreement that the double-checking system introduced in 1998 by Decision No 3/97 of the Association Council ⁽¹⁾ and extended by Decision No 1/1999 ⁽²⁾ thereof for the period from 1 January to 31 December 1999 should be extended for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000.
- (2) The Association Council, having been supplied with all relevant information, has agreed with this recommendation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The double-checking system established by Decision No 3/97 shall continue to apply for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2000. In the preamble and Article 1(1) and (3) of the Decision, references to the period 1 January to 31 December 1999 shall be replaced by references to 1 January to 31 December 2000.

Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 2000.

Done at Brussels, 17 February 2000.

For the Association Council
The President
E. KUKAN

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 13, 19.1.1998, p. 57.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 36, 10.2.1999, p. 18.

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 1 March 2000

excluding from Community financing certain expenditure incurred by the Member States under the Guarantee Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund (EAGGF)

(notified under document number C(2000) 488)

(2000/216/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 729/70 of 21 April 1970 on the financing of the common agricultural policy ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1287/95 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 5(2)(c) thereof,

After consulting the Committee of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund,

Whereas:

- (1) Under Article 5(2)(c) of Regulation (EEC) No 729/70 the Commission, after consulting the Fund Committee, must decide on the expenditure to be excluded from Community financing where it finds that expenditure has not been effected in compliance with Community rules.
- (2) Article 5(2)(c) of Regulation (EEC) No 729/70 and Article 8(1) and (2) of Commission Regulation (EC) No 1663/95 of 7 July 1995 laying down detailed rules for the application of Regulation (EEC) No 1663/95 of 7 July 1995 laying down detailed rules for the application of Regulation (EEC) No 729/70 regarding the procedure for the clearance of the accounts of the EAGGF Guarantee Section ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2245/1999 ⁽⁴⁾, require the Commission to carry out the necessary inspections, notify its findings to the Member States, take note of their comments, initiate bilateral discussions in an effort to come to an agreement with the Member States concerned and formally communicate its findings to them, referring to Commission Decision 94/442/EC of 1 July 1994 setting up a concili-

liation procedure in the context of the clearance of the accounts of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund (EAGGF) Guarantee Section ⁽⁵⁾.

- (3) The Member States have had an opportunity to request conciliation and did so in a number of cases, and the report delivered on completion of the conciliation procedure has been examined by the Commission.
- (4) Under Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 729/70, financing may be provided only for export refunds on products exported to third countries and action designed to stabilise the agricultural markets, granted or undertaken respectively in accordance with the Community rules on the common organisation of the agricultural markets.
- (5) In the light of the inspections carried out, the outcome of the bilateral discussions and the conciliation procedures, part of the expenditure declared by the Member States does not fulfil these requirements and cannot be financed under the EAGGF Guarantee Section.
- (6) The amounts found not to be chargeable to the EAGGF Guarantee Section are shown in the Annex to this Decision. They do not concern expenditure incurred prior to the 24-month period preceding the Commission's written notification to the Member States of the findings of the inspections.
- (7) In the cases covered by this Decision, the evaluation of the amounts to be excluded from Community financing on grounds of non-compliance with the Community rules was communicated by the Commission to the Member States through a summary report.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 94, 28.4.1970, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 125, 8.6.1995, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 158, 8.7.1995, p. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 273, 23.10.1999, p. 5.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 182, 16.7.1994, p. 45.

- (8) This Decision is without prejudice to any financial consequences drawn by the Commission from judgments of the Court of Justice in cases pending on the date of this Decision and relating to matters covered by this Decision,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The expenditure of the paying agencies accredited by the Member States declared under the EAGGF Guarantee Section, shown in the Annex hereto, is excluded by this Decision from

Community financing for failure to comply with the Community rules.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1 March 2000.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

Total corrections

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency)	Deductions already made (national currency)	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency)	Financial year
Belgium	Late payments	1054	Late payments	- 466 107,00	- 1 023 754,00	557 647,00	1998
Belgium	Debtors	Various	Incomplete list of debtors	- 6 951 007,00	0,00	- 6 951 007,00	1998
Belgium	Export refunds	2100	Inadequate physical controls	- 7 510 188,00	0,00	- 7 510 188,00	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 14 927 302,00	- 1 023 754,00	-13 903 548,00	
Germany	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 42 778 684,33	0,00	- 42 778 684,33	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 42 778 684,33	0,00	- 42 778 684,33	
Denmark	Promotion	3800	Late payments	- 1 031 365,44	0,00	- 1 031 365,44	1997
			Total	- 1 031 365,44	0,00	- 1 031 365,44	
Spain	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 193 202 104,00	- 193 202 104,00	0,00	1998
Spain	Meat	2220	Advance payments not followed by settlements	- 36 437 314,00	0,00	- 36 437 314,00	1997
Spain	Meat	2128	Late payments (1357/1997)	- 5 199 137,00	- 5 199 137,00	0,00	1997
Spain	Fruit and vegetables	1515	Judgment of the European Court of Justice in case C-240/97	- 58 804 012,00	0,00	58 804 012,00	
			Total	- 176 034 543,00	- 198 401 241,00	22 366 698,00	
France	Late payments	2121	Late payments	- 243 786,75	- 243 786,75	0,00	1998
France	Accompanying measures	5011	Errors in administrative treatment of dossiers	- 4 273 774,63	- 4 273 774,63	0,00	1998
France	Meat premiums	2124	Unsatisfactory control (F.Y.97)	- 963 920,00	0,00	- 963 920,00	1997
France	Meat premiums	2130	Unsatisfactory control (F.Y.97)	- 4 915 586,00	0,00	- 4 915 586,00	1997
France	Meat premiums	2128	Unsatisfactory control (F.Y.97)	- 3 859 380,00	0,00	- 3 859 380,00	1998
France	Meat premiums	2122	Non-respect of minimum inspection rates	- 3 194 251,00	0,00	- 3 194 251,00	1996 to 1998
France	Meat premiums	2125	Non-respect of minimum inspection rates	- 883 416,00	0,00	- 883 416,00	1996 to 1998
France	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 649 946 925,00	0,00	- 649 946 925,00	1996 to 1997
France	Arable crops	1050	Reallocation of surfaces between base areas	0,00	- 11 890 000,00	11 890 000,00	1998
France	Arable crops	1040	Incorrect yield applied	- 5 934 129,00	0,00	- 5 934 129,00	1996 to 1997
France	Arable crops	1050	Inadequate control on the spot	- 418 733,00	0,00	- 418 733,00	1997
France	Flax and hemp	1402	Areas under hemp harvested before the regulation stage	- 419 402,00	0,00	- 419 402,00	1996 to 1997
			Total	- 675 053 303,38	- 16 407 561,38	- 658 645 742,00	

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency)	Deductions already made (national currency)	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency)	Financial year
Greece	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 339 028 666,00	0,00	- 339 028 666,00	1996 to 1998
Greece	Fruit and vegetables	1505	Regulatory requirements not satisfied	- 659 967 504,00	0,00	- 659 967 504,00	1996 to 1997
Greece	Fruit and vegetables	1512	Control weaknesses	- 1 966 954 869,00	0,00	- 1 966 954 869,00	1996 to 1997
Greece	Meat premiums	2133	Late payments (1357/96)	- 14 660 000,00	0,00	- 14 660 000,00	1996
			Total	- 2 980 611 039,00	0,00	- 2 980 611 039,00	
Ireland	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 1 282 409,32	- 1 282 409,32	0,00	1998
Ireland	Meat premiums	2220	Advance payments not followed by settlements	- 32 650,31	0,00	- 32 650,31	1997
Ireland	Meat premiums	2120	Unsatisfactory control on eligibility of suckler cows	- 3 679 254,00	0,00	- 3 679 254,00	1996 to 1997
Ireland	Accompanying measures	5011	Overclaim in the annual declaration	- 13 867,00	0,00	- 13 867,00	1997
			Total	- 5 008 180,63	- 1 282 409,32	- 3 725 771,31	
Italy	Wine	1611	Failure to seize a guarantee on time	- 7 760 156 831,00	- 7 760 156 831,00	0,00	1997
Italy	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 61 665 065 968,00	0,00	- 61 665 065 968,00	1996 to 1998
Italy	Export refunds	1200	Refunds paid on ineligible products	- 2 957 721 060,00	0,00	- 2 957 721 060,00	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 72 382 943 859,00	- 7 760 156 831,00	- 64 622 787 028,00	
Luxembourg	Export refunds	2100	Inadequate physical controls	- 220 489,00	0,00	- 220 489,00	1996 to 1997
Luxembourg	Arable crops	Various	Inadequate control system	- 56 106 800,00	0,00	- 56 106 800,00	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 56 327 289,00	0,00	- 56 327 289,00	
Netherlands	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 609 889,66	- 512 884,29	- 97 005,37	1998
Netherlands	Flax and hemp	1402	Areas under hemp harvested before the regulation stage	- 229 976,00	0,00	- 229 976,00	1996
			Total	- 839 865,66	- 512 884,29	- 326 981,37	
Portugal	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 663 470 945,00	- 652 779 104,00	- 10 691 841,00	1998
Portugal	Meat premiums	2220	Non-introduction of flock movement registers	- 339 365 684,00	- 153 827 739,00	- 185 537 945,00	1996 to 1998
Portugal	Meat premiums	2221	Non-introduction of flock movement registers	- 147 307 711,00	- 57 975 091,00	- 89 332 620,00	1996 to 1998

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency)	Deductions already made (national currency)	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency)	Financial year
Portugal	Meat premiums	2122	Miscalculation of livestock units	- 17 810 372,00	0,00	- 17 810 372,00	1996
Portugal	Meat premiums	2125	Miscalculation of livestock units	- 17 495 481,00	0,00	- 17 495 481,00	1996
Portugal	Meat premiums	2511	Miscalculation of livestock units	- 1 054 279,00	0,00	- 1 054 279,00	1996
Portugal	Meat premiums	2128	Late payments (1357/1997)	- 492 766 969,00	- 492 766 969,00	0,00	1997
Portugal	Fruit and vegetables	1508	Unsatisfactory quality of bananas	- 96 153 845,00	0,00	- 96 153 845,00	1996 to 1997
Portugal	Arable crops	Various	Weaknesses in controls	- 2 619 487 990,00	0,00	- 2 619 487 990,00	1996 to 1997
Total				- 4 394 913 276,00	- 1 357 348 903,00	- 3 037 564 373,00	
Finland	Late payments	1052	Late payments	- 227 778,35	- 227 778,35	0,00	1998
Finland	Meat premiums	2122	Deficient control regime	- 7 821 282,00	0,00	- 7 821 282,00	1996 to 1997
Finland	Meat premiums	2128	Late payments (1357/1997)	- 1 524 736,44	0,00	- 1 524 736,44	1997
Finland	Accompanying measures	5011	Insufficient level of on-farm inspection	- 13 489 271,00	0,00	- 13 489 271,00	1997
Finland	Accompanying measures	5012	Opting out of the agri-environmental scheme	- 2 690 391,00	0,00	- 2 690 391,00	1996 to 1998
Total				- 25 753 458,79	- 227 778,35	- 25 525 680,44	
Sweden	Meat premiums	2122	Absence of systematic control on I & R	- 3 821 753,00	0,00	- 3 821 753,00	1996 to 1997
Sweden	Meat premiums	2133	Overpaid premium on animals refused	- 864 077,00	0,00	- 864 077,00	1997
Total				- 4 685 830,00	0,00	- 4 685 830,00	
United Kingdom	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 22 230,04	- 22 230,04	0,00	1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2122	Exceeding the regional ceiling	- 143 532,66	0,00	- 143 532,66	1996 to 1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2125	Exceeding the regional ceiling	- 47 733,30	0,00	- 47 733,30	1996 to 1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2122	Weaknesses on administrative control	- 4 318 495,00	0,00	- 4 318 495,00	1996 to 1997
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2120	Weaknesses on administrative control	- 1 069 433,00	0,00	- 1 069 433,00	1996
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2122	Weaknesses on administrative control	- 601 109,00	0,00	- 601 109,00	1996
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2220	Late payments (M.Y.94 and M.Y.95)	- 55 585,00	0,00	- 55 585,00	1996
United Kingdom	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 3 253 883,10	0,00	- 3 253 883,10	1996 to 1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2128	Late payments	- 805 748,38	0,00	- 805 748,38	1997

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency)	Deductions already made (national currency)	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency)	Financial year
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2190	Late payments	- 255 580,51	0,00	- 255 580,51	1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2190	Late payments	- 5 934,50	0,00	- 5 934,50	1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2220	Advance payments not followed by settlements	- 131 927,00	0,00	- 131 927,00	1995 to 1996
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5011	Lack of cross-checks to the integrated system	- 548 389,00	0,00	- 548 389,00	1997 to 1998
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5012	Insufficient level of on-farm inspection	- 64 186,00	0,00	- 64 186,00	1997
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5011	Lack of cross-checks to the integrated system	- 86 092,00	0,00	- 86 092,00	1997 to 1998
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5012	Insufficient level of on-farm inspection	- 65 427,00	0,00	- 65 427,00	1997
United Kingdom	Arable crops	Various	Inadequate administrative controls — Wales	- 244 910,00	0,00	- 244 910,00	1997
United Kingdom	Arable crops	1040	Error in the calculation of base area overshoot	- 1 515 111,00	0,00	- 1 515 111,00	1997
Total				- 13 235 306,49	- 22 230,04	- 13 213 076,45	

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency) EUR	Deductions already made (national currency) EUR	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency) EUR	Financial year
Belgium	Late payments	1054	Late payments	-11 554,49	- 25 378,20	- 13 823,71	1998
Belgium	Debtors	Various	Incomplete list of debtors	- 172 310,96	0,00	- 172 310,96	1998
Belgium	Export refunds	2100	Inadequate physical controls	- 186 172,70	0,00	- 186 172,70	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 370 038,15	- 25 378,20	- 344 659,95	
Germany	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 21 872 393,99	0,00	- 21 872 393,99	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 21 872 393,99	0,00	- 21 872 393,99	
Denmark	Promotion	3800	Late payments	- 138 641,16	0,00	- 138 641,16	1997
			Total	- 138 641,16	0,00	138 641,16	
Spain	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 1 161 168,03	- 1 161 168,03	0,00	1998
Spain	Meat	2220	Advance payments not followed by settlements	- 218 992,67	0,00	- 218 992,67	1997
Spain	Meat	2128	Late payments (1357/1997)	- 31 247,44	- 31 247,44	0,00	1997
Spain	Fruit and vegetables	1515	Judgement of the European Court of Justice in case C-240/97	353 419,23	0,00	353 419,23	
			Total	- 1 057 988,91	- 1 192 415,47	134 426,56	
France	Late payments	2121	Late payments	- 37 165,05	- 37 165,05	0,00	1998
France	Accompanying measures	5011	Errors in administrative treatment of dossiers	- 651 532,74	- 651 532,74	0,00	1998
France	Meat premiums	2124	Unsatisfactory control (F.Y.97)	- 146 948,66	0,00	- 146 948,66	1997
France	Meat premiums	2130	Unsatisfactory control (F.Y.97)	- 749 376,25	0,00	- 749 376,25	1997
France	Meat premiums	2128	Unsatisfactory control (F.Y.97)	- 588 358,69	0,00	- 588 358,69	1998
France	Meat premiums	2122	Non-respect of minimum inspection rates	- 486 960,43	0,00	- 486 960,43	1996 to 1998
France	Meat premiums	2125	Non-respect of minimum inspection rates	- 134 675,90	0,00	- 134 675,90	1996 to 1998
France	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 99 083 769,97	0,00	- 99 083 769,97	1996 to 1997
France	Arable crops	1050	Reallocation of surfaces between base areas	0,00	- 1 812 618,81	- 1 812 618,81	1998
France	Arable crops	1040	Incorrect yield applied	- 904 652,13	0,00	- 904 652,13	1996 to 1997
France	Arable crops	1050	Inadequate control on the spot	- 63 835,43	0,00	- 63 835,43	1997
France	Flax and hemp	1402	Areas under hemp harvested before the regulation stage	- 63 937,42	0,00	- 63 937,42	1996 to 1997
			Total	- 102 911 212,68	- 2 501 316,61	- 100 409 896,08	

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency) EUR	Deductions already made (national currency) EUR	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency) EUR	Financial year
Greece	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 1 031 893,67	0,00	- 1 031 893,67	1996 to 1998
Greece	Fruit and vegetables	1505	Regulatory requirements not satisfied	- 2 008 727,76	0,00	- 2 008 727,76	1996 to 1997
Greece	Fruit and vegetables	1512	Control weaknesses	- 5 986 774,83	0,00	- 5 986 774,83	1996 to 1997
Greece	Meat premiums	2133	Late payments (1357/96)	- 44 620,30	0,00	- 44 620,30	1996
			Total	- 9 072 016,55	0,00	- 9 072 016,55	
Ireland	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 1 628 323,95	- 1 628 323,95	0,00	1998
Ireland	Meat premiums	2220	Advance payments not followed by settlements	- 41 457,34	0,00	- 41 457,34	1997
Ireland	Meat premiums	2120	Unsatisfactory control on eligibility of suckler cows	- 4 671 688,90	0,00	- 4 671 688,90	1996 to 1997
Ireland	Accompanying measures	5011	Overclaim in the annual declaration	- 17 607,46	0,00	- 17 607,46	1997
			Total	- 6 359 077,65	- 1 628 323,95	- 4 730 753,70	
Italy	Wine	1611	Failure to seize a guarantee on time	- 4 007 786,53	- 4 007 786,53	0,00	1997
Italy	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 31 847 348,75	0,00	- 31 847 348,75	1996 to 1998
Italy	Export refunds	1200	Refunds paid on ineligible products	- 1 527 535,45	0,00	- 1 527 535,45	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 37 382 670,73	- 4 007 786,53	- 33 374 884,20	
Luxembourg	Export refunds	2100	Inadequate physical controls	- 5 465,78	0,00	- 5 465,78	1996 to 1997
Luxembourg	Arable crops	Various	Inadequate control system	- 1 390 851,24	0,00	- 1 390 851,24	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 1 396 317,02	0,00	- 1 396 317,02	
Netherlands	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 276 755,86	- 232 736,74	- 44 019,12	1998
Netherlands	Flax and hemp	1402	Areas under hemp harvested before the regulation stage	- 104 358,56	0,00	- 104 358,56	1996
			Total	- 381 114,42	- 232 736,74	- 148 377,68	

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency) EUR	Deductions already made (national currency) EUR	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency) EUR	Financial year
Portugal	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 3 309 379,12	- 3 256 048,44	- 53 330,68	1998
Portugal	Meat premiums	2220	Non-introduction of flock movement registers	- 1 692 748,90	- 767 289,53	- 925 459,37	1996 to 1998
Portugal	Meat premiums	2221	Non-introduction of flock movement registers	- 734 767,76	- 289 178,53	- 445 589,23	1996 to 1998
Portugal	Meat premiums	2122	Miscalculation of livestock units	- 88 837,76	0,00	- 88 837,76	1996
Portugal	Meat premiums	2125	Miscalculation of livestock units	- 87 267,09	0,00	- 87 267,09	1996
Portugal	Meat premiums	2511	Miscalculation of livestock units	- 5 258,72	0,00	- 5 258,72	1996
Portugal	Meat premiums	2128	Late payments (1357/96 to 1997)	- 2 457 911,28	- 2 457 911,28	0,00	1997
Portugal	Fruit and vegetables	1508	Unsatisfactory quality of bananas	- 479 613,36	0,00	- 479 613,36	1996 to 1997
Portugal	Arable crops	Various	Weaknesses in controls	- 13 065 951,01	0,00	- 13 065 951,01	1996 to 1997
			Total	- 21 921 735,00	- 6 770 427,78	- 15 151 307,21	
Finland	Late payments	1052	Late payments	- 38 309,57	- 38 309,57	0,00	1998
Finland	Meat premiums	2122	Deficient control regime	- 1 315 445,20	0,00	- 1 315 445,20	1996 to 1997
Finland	Meat premiums	2128	Late payments (1357/1997)	- 256 442,26	0,00	- 256 442,26	1997
Finland	Accompanying measures	5011	Insufficient level of on-farm inspection	- 2 268 732,52	0,00	- 2 268 732,52	1997
Finland	Accompanying measures	5012	Opting out of the agri-environmental scheme	- 452 491,28	0,00	- 452 491,28	1996 to 1998
			Total	- 4 331 420,83	- 38 309,57	- 4 293 111,26	
Sweden	Meat premiums	2122	Absence of systematic control on I & R	- 443 435,98	0,00	- 443 435,98	1996 to 1997
Sweden	Meat premiums	2133	Overpaid premium on animals refused	- 100 258,40	0,00	- 100 258,40	1997
			Total	- 543 694,38	0,00	- 543 694,38	
United Kingdom	Late payments	Various	Late payments	- 35 330,64	- 35 330,64	0,00	1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2122	Exceeding the regional ceiling	- 228 119,29	0,00	- 228 119,29	1996 to 1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2125	Exceeding the regional ceiling	- 75 863,48	0,00	- 75 863,48	1996 to 1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2122	Weaknesses on administrative control	- 6 863 469,49	0,00	- 6 863 469,49	1996 to 1998

Member State	Sector	Budget post	Reason	Expenditure to be excluded from financing (national currency) EUR	Deductions already made (national currency) EUR	Financial effects of this Decision (national currency) EUR	Financial year
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2120	Weaknesses on administrative control	- 1 699 671,01	0,00	- 1 699 671,01	1996
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2122	Weaknesses on administrative control	- 955 354,42	0,00	- 955 354,42	1996
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2220	Late payments (M.Y.94 and M.Y.95)	- 88 342,34	0,00	- 88 342,34	1997
United Kingdom	Export refunds	Various	Inadequate physical controls	- 5 171 460,74	0,00	- 5 171 460,74	1996 to 1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2128	Late payments	- 1 280 591,83	0,00	- 1 280 591,83	1997
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2190	Late payments	- 406 199,16	0,00	- 406 199,16	1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2190	Late payments	- 9 431,82	0,00	- 9 431,82	1998
United Kingdom	Meat premiums	2220	Advance payments not followed by settlements	- 209 674,19	0,00	- 209 674,19	1995 to 1996
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5011	Lack of cross-checks to the integrated system	- 871 565,48	0,00	- 871 565,48	1997 to 1998
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5012	Insufficient level of on-farm inspection	- 102 012,08	0,00	- 102 012,08	1997
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5011	Lack of cross-checks to the integrated system	- 136 827,72	0,00	- 136 827,72	1997 to 1998
United Kingdom	Accompanying measures	5012	Insufficient level of on-farm inspection	- 103 984,42	0,00	- 103 984,42	1997
United Kingdom	Arable crops	Various	Inadequate administrative controls — Wales	- 389 240,31	0,00	- 389 240,31	1997
United Kingdom	Arable crops	1040	Error in the calculation of base area overshoot	- 2 407 995,87	0,00	- 2 407 995,87	1997
			Total	- 21 035 134,28	- 35 330,64	- 20 999 803,64	

CORRIGENDA**Corrigendum to Commission Regulation (EC) No 493/2000 of 6 March 2000 on the supply of vegetable oil as food aid**

(Official Journal of the European Communities L 60 of 7 March 2000)

On page 10, point 1:

for: '1. **Action No:** 267/98',

read: '1. **Action No:** 279/98 (A); 283/98 (B)'.

Corrigendum to Commission Directive 92/103/EEC of 1 December 1992 amending Annexes I to IV to Council Directive 77/93/EEC on protective measures against the introduction into the Community of organisms harmful to plants or plant products and against their spread within the Community

(Official Journal of the European Communities L 363 of 11 December 1992)

On page 4, Annex I, Part A, Section I, point (a) 25 should read as follows:

'25. Tephritidae (non-European) such as:'
