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II

(Non-legislative acts)

REGULATIONS

COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) No 21/2011

of 12 January 2011

establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (Single CMO Regulation) ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 of 21 December 2007 laying down implementing rules for Council Regulations (EC) No 2200/96, (EC) No 2201/96 and (EC) No 1182/2007 in the fruit and vegetable sector ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 138(1) thereof,

Whereas:

Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 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 Annex XV, Part A thereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The standard import values referred to in Article 138 of Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 are fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 13 January 2011.

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

Done at Brussels, 12 January 2011.

*For the Commission,
On behalf of the President,
José Manuel SILVA RODRÍGUEZ
Director-General for Agriculture and
Rural Development*

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 299, 16.11.2007, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 350, 31.12.2007, p. 1.

ANNEX

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	MA	76,8
	TN	120,5
	TR	98,0
	ZZ	98,4
0707 00 05	EG	158,2
	JO	96,7
	TR	145,2
	ZZ	133,4
0709 90 70	MA	40,9
	TR	110,6
	ZZ	75,8
0709 90 80	EG	222,3
	ZZ	222,3
0805 10 20	EG	57,0
	IL	67,1
	MA	58,9
	TR	71,4
	ZA	56,7
	ZZ	62,2
0805 20 10	MA	67,4
	TR	79,6
	ZZ	73,5
0805 20 30, 0805 20 50, 0805 20 70, 0805 20 90	CN	129,3
	HR	46,1
	IL	68,2
	JM	92,6
	MA	107,9
	TR	76,7
	ZZ	86,8
0805 50 10	TR	59,6
	ZZ	59,6
0808 10 80	CA	99,7
	CN	87,9
	US	127,8
	ZA	124,2
	ZZ	109,9
0808 20 50	CN	82,9
	US	122,1
	ZZ	102,5

⁽¹⁾ Nomenclature of countries laid down by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1833/2006 (OJ L 354, 14.12.2006, p. 19). Code 'ZZ' stands for 'of other origin'.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) No 22/2011**of 12 January 2011****amending the representative prices and additional import duties for certain products in the sugar sector fixed by Regulation (EU) No 867/2010 for the 2010/11 marketing year**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (single CMO Regulation) ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 951/2006 of 30 June 2006 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 318/2006 as regards trade with third countries in the sugar sector ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 36(2), second subparagraph, second sentence thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The representative prices and additional duties applicable to imports of white sugar, raw sugar and certain syrups

for the 2010/11 marketing year are fixed by Commission Regulation (EU) No 867/2010 ⁽³⁾. These prices and duties have been last amended by Commission Regulation (EU) No 18/2011 ⁽⁴⁾.

- (2) The data currently available to the Commission indicate that those amounts should be amended in accordance with the rules and procedures laid down in Regulation (EC) No 951/2006,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The representative prices and additional duties applicable to imports of the products referred to in Article 36 of Regulation (EC) No 951/2006, as fixed by Regulation (EU) No 867/2010 for the 2010/11, marketing year, are hereby amended as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 13 January 2011.

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

Done at Brussels, 12 January 2011.

*For the Commission,
On behalf of the President,
José Manuel SILVA RODRÍGUEZ
Director-General for Agriculture and
Rural Development*

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 299, 16.11.2007, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 178, 1.7.2006, p. 24.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 259, 1.10.2010, p. 3.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 6, 11.1.2011, p. 13.

ANNEX

Amended representative prices and additional import duties applicable to white sugar, raw sugar and products covered by CN code 1702 90 95 from 13 January 2011

(EUR)

CN code	Representative price per 100 kg net of the product concerned	Additional duty per 100 kg net of the product concerned
1701 11 10 ⁽¹⁾	64,59	0,00
1701 11 90 ⁽¹⁾	64,59	0,00
1701 12 10 ⁽¹⁾	64,59	0,00
1701 12 90 ⁽¹⁾	64,59	0,00
1701 91 00 ⁽²⁾	62,43	0,00
1701 99 10 ⁽²⁾	62,43	0,00
1701 99 90 ⁽²⁾	62,43	0,00
1702 90 95 ⁽³⁾	0,62	0,16

⁽¹⁾ For the standard quality defined in point III of Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007.⁽²⁾ For the standard quality defined in point II of Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007.⁽³⁾ Per 1 % sucrose content.

DECISIONS

COMMISSION DECISION

of 12 January 2011

amending Decision 2007/134/EC establishing the European Research Council

(2011/12/EU)

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Decision No 1982/2006/EC of the European Parliament and the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Seventh Framework Programme of the European Community for research, technological development and demonstration activities (2007 to 2013) ⁽¹⁾ and in particular Articles 2 and 3 thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 2006/972/EC of 19 December 2006 concerning the Specific Programme: 'Ideas' implementing the Seventh Framework Programme of the European Community for research, technological development and demonstration activities (2007 to 2013) ⁽²⁾ and in particular Article 4(2) and (3) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) The European Research Council (ERC) was established by Commission Decision 2007/134/EC ⁽³⁾.

(2) According to the Specific Programme 'Ideas', an independent review was carried out of the ERC's structures and mechanisms, against the criteria of scientific excellence, autonomy, efficiency and transparency and with the full involvement of the Scientific Council. The Review Panel suggested a number of adjustments in order to ensure a more effective European Research Council and a coherent presentation of the ERC's activities to stakeholders.

(3) On the basis of the review and the ambition to make the ERC fully sustainable, the Communication from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament: 'The European Research Council — meeting the challenge of world class excellence' ⁽⁴⁾, sets out the

aims for the second phase of the ERC's development. It includes a number of specific actions to improve the ERC's operations to ensure the effective and efficient implementation of the 'Ideas' Specific Programme.

(4) In accordance with that Communication, it is necessary to ensure a single clear and transparent vision and seamless liaison between the ERC's strategy and operational implementation, reflecting the activities of both the European Research Council Executive Agency (ERCEA), established by Commission Decision 2008/37/EC ⁽⁵⁾ and the Scientific Council, and to develop and implement a coherent and integrated communication strategy.

(5) In order to recognise the personal commitment of the members of the Scientific Council, and especially the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons, it is appropriate to introduce an honorarium for their attendance at the Scientific Council plenary meetings. The honorarium should reflect their responsibilities and be benchmarked against similar provisions in similar entities and Member States. It is also appropriate to provide for the financing of a standing Identification Committee for the identification of future Scientific Council members.

(6) It is necessary to continue the arrangements for the local support to the Chairperson and the Vice-Chairpersons of the Scientific Council, using the 'Coordination and Support Action' grant funding scheme of the Seventh Framework Programme.

(7) The term of office of the founding members of the Scientific Council expires on 1 February 2011 and there is a need for the staged renewal of the Scientific Council, as provided for in Article 4(6) of Decision 2007/134/EC. The identification of new members was carried out by means of an independent Identification Committee and in accordance with the provisions of Article 4(4) of Decision 2007/134/EC, including a report to Parliament and Council. This Committee made recommendations for the staged renewal of the Scientific Council and these recommendations have been accepted.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 412, 30.12.2006, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 400, 30.12.2006, p. 243.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 57, 24.2.2007, p. 14.

⁽⁴⁾ COM(2009) 552 final.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 9, 12.1.2008, p. 15.

- (8) Decision 2007/134/EC should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Decision 2007/134/EC is amended as follows:

1. Article 1 is replaced by the following:

‘Article 1

Establishment

The European Research Council is hereby established for the period from 2 February 2007 to 31 December 2013 for the implementation of the Specific Programme “Ideas”. It shall be composed of a Scientific Council and the European Research Council Executive Agency as established by Commission Decision 2008/37/EC (*).

(*) OJ L 9, 12.1.2008, p. 15.’

2. In Article 3 the following paragraph 3 is added:

‘3. The Scientific Council shall cooperate with the European Research Council Executive Agency to ensure coherent and efficient implementation of the Specific Programme “Ideas” and close alignment of the scientific and administrative aspects of the ERC’s operations. That cooperation shall include a coherent communication of the ERC’s activities and the setting up of a common website covering the different aspects of the ERC’s operations.’

3. Article 4 is amended as follows:

- (a) paragraph 4 is replaced by the following:

‘4. Future members shall be appointed by the Commission based on the factors and criteria set out in Annex I and following an independent and transparent procedure for their identification, agreed with the Scientific Council, including a consultation of the scientific community and a report to the European Parliament and the Council. The appointment of future members shall be published in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 45/2001. For this purpose, a high level standing Identification Committee of independent experts may be set up as an expert group with honoraria paid under the operational budget of the Specific Programme “Ideas”.’;

- (b) paragraph 9 is deleted.

4. Article 5 is amended as follows:

- (a) paragraph 4 is replaced by the following:

‘4. The Scientific Council shall be accountable to the Commission, maintain continuous close liaison with it and the European Research Council Executive Agency, and establish any necessary arrangements for this.’;

- (b) paragraph 6 is replaced by the following:

‘6. The Commission shall provide information and assistance necessary for the work of the Scientific Council allowing it to operate under conditions of autonomy and independence. A Coordination and Support Action as referred to in Annex III to Decision No 1982/2006/EC may be used to provide local administrative or advisory support to the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the Scientific Council.’;

- (c) the following paragraph 8 is added:

‘8. The Scientific Council is provided access to documents and data in possession of the European Research Council Executive Agency in accordance with the procedure set out in Annex III.’

5. Article 6 is amended as follows:

- (a) paragraphs 3 and 4 are replaced by the following:

‘3. The Scientific Council shall adopt its rules of procedure which shall include detailed provisions for the elections referred to in paragraph 1 of this Article, as well as a code of conduct on confidentiality, potential conflict of interest, and processing of personal data in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 45/2001.

4. The Scientific Council shall meet in plenary up to five times a year as required by its work. A summary minute of the plenary meetings shall be published on the ERC website.’;

- (b) the following paragraph 6 is added:

‘6. The Scientific Council may set up, from amongst its members, Standing Committees, Working Groups and other structures addressing specific tasks of the Scientific Council.’

6. Article 8 is replaced by the following:

‘Article 8

Honoraria and meeting expenses

1. The Scientific Council members shall be compensated for the tasks they perform by means of an honorarium for their attendance at Scientific Council plenary meetings. The honoraria and travel and subsistence expenses shall be charged to the operational budget allocated to the Specific Programme “Ideas”. The honoraria and related implementation rules are set out in Annex IV.

2. For other meetings than plenary meetings, the European Research Council Executive Agency shall reimburse travel expenses and, where appropriate, subsistence expenses of the members of the Scientific Council necessary for carrying out their activities, in accordance with the Commission's rules on the compensation of external experts (*). Subject to prior approval of the European Research Council Executive Agency, travel and subsistence expenses related to such other meetings, necessary for the conduct of the Scientific Council's work may be also covered.

(*) Commission Decision C(2007) 5858.'

7. Annex II is replaced as set out in the Annex to this Decision.

8. Annexes III and IV, as set out in the Annex to this Decision, are added.

Article 2

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

Done at Brussels, 12 January 2011.

For the Commission
Máire GEOGHEGAN-QUINN
Member of the Commission

ANNEX

‘ANNEX II

MEMBERS OF THE ERC SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL

Name and Institute	End of term of office
Claudio BORDIGNON, San Raffaele Scientific Institute, Milan	1 February 2013
Nicholas CANNY, National University of Ireland, Galway	31 December 2013
Sierd A.P.L. CLOETINGH, Free University of Amsterdam	26 April 2013
Mathias DEWATRIPONT, Université Libre de Bruxelles	1 February 2013
Tomasz DIETL, Polish Academy of Sciences	31 December 2013
Daniel DOLEV, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem	31 December 2013
Carlos M. DUARTE, Spanish Council for Scientific Research, Majorca	26 April 2013
Daniel ESTEVE, CEA Saclay	31 December 2013
Pavel EXNER, Doppler Institute, Prague	31 December 2013
Hans-Joachim FREUND, Fritz-Haber-Institute, Berlin	1 February 2013
Timothy HUNT, London Research Institute	31 December 2013
Carl-Henrik HELDIN, Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research	31 December 2013
Norbert KROO, Hungarian Academy of Sciences	1 February 2013
Maria Teresa LAGO, University of Porto	1 February 2013
Henrietta L. MOORE, University of Cambridge	26 April 2013
Helga NOWOTNY, Wissenschaftszentrum, Wien	31 December 2013
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Isabelle VERNOS, Centre Regulació Genòmica, Barcelona	31 December 2013

ANNEX III

ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS AND DATA**Access to documents and data**

1. In order to perform the tasks entrusted to it, the Scientific Council may request access to documents and to process data which are in possession of the European Research Council Executive Agency.
2. Beyond the material to which they have the right of access under the regime related to public access to documents ⁽¹⁾, the European Research Council Executive Agency shall provide the Scientific Council with documents and data necessary for the performance of the tasks entrusted to the Scientific Council as long as this is done in compliance with and within the limits of the obligations on confidentiality, security and protection of personal data as provided by the European Union law.
3. The members of the Scientific Council shall use such documents and data only for the purposes and tasks for which they are provided and shall be bound by an obligation of confidentiality.
4. Appropriate organisational and technical measures to ensure the security and confidentiality of access and processing shall be set out, in order to prevent any unauthorised disclosure or access, accidental or unlawful destruction, loss or alteration of data and documents.

Access to personal data

5. For the processing of personal data, the members of the Scientific Council who receive these personal data shall guarantee the level of protection of personal data in accordance with the provisions of the Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and the Directive 95/46/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽²⁾.
6. The members of the Scientific Council shall not process any personal data in a way incompatible with the purposes and tasks for which they are transmitted.
7. The members of the Scientific Council shall give due care to the legitimacy, adequacy, relevance, accuracy, necessity and the limitation in time of personal data collected and processed.

Information

8. In case access to documents and data or access to personal data may not be granted because of protection of personal data, confidentiality, security or public interest reasons, the European Research Council Executive Agency shall provide the Scientific Council with a written explanation of the reasons why access may not be granted, as well as any information on the topic in question that it considers possible to provide within the provisions of the regulations.

⁽¹⁾ Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents, OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 281, 23.11.1995, p. 31.

ANNEX IV

Honoraria and implementation rules for the participation of the ERC Scientific Council members at Scientific Council plenary meetings

Honoraria, travel expenses and subsistence expenses for the participation in up to five plenary meetings per year shall be implemented via an ad-hoc appointment-letter according to the following modalities.

The Scientific Council plenary meeting is normally of 1,5 days duration.

The honoraria of the members of the Scientific Council members shall be EUR 2 000 for full attendance at a plenary meeting of the Scientific Council or EUR 1 000 for partial attendance.

The honoraria of Vice-Chairpersons of the Scientific Council shall be EUR 3 500 for full attendance at a plenary meeting of the Scientific Council or EUR 1 750 for partial attendance.

The honorarium of the Chairperson of the Scientific Council shall be EUR 5 000 for full attendance at a plenary meeting of the Scientific Council or EUR 2 500 for partial attendance.

Payment will be authorised by the Director of the European Research Council Executive Agency or his/her duly authorised deputy on the basis of an attendance list validated by the Chairperson of the Scientific Council and the Director of the European Research Council Executive Agency or their duly authorised deputies. The attendance list will indicate if each member's attendance covered the full extent of the meeting (full attendance) or otherwise (partial attendance).'

COMMISSION DECISION**of 12 January 2011****on certain types of information about biofuels and bioliquids to be submitted by economic operators to Member States***(notified under document C(2011) 36)**(2011/13/EU)*

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Directive 2009/28/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 April 2009 on the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources and amending and subsequently repealing Directives 2001/77/EC and 2003/30/EC⁽¹⁾, and in particular the third subparagraph of Article 18(3) thereof,

Having regard to Directive 98/70/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 October 1998 relating to the quality of petrol and diesel fuels and amending Council Directive 93/12/EEC⁽²⁾, and in particular the third subparagraph of Article 7c(3) thereof,

After consulting the Advisory Committee established by Article 25(2) of Directive 2009/28/EC,

Whereas:

- (1) Member States should ensure that economic operators report to them on the compliance of bioliquids with the sustainability criteria established by Directive 2009/28/EC and on the compliance of biofuels with the sustainability criteria established by that Directive and Directive 98/70/EC, and also that economic operators provide information on certain additional environmental and social aspects.
- (2) As far as these additional environmental and social aspects are concerned, the Commission is required to establish the list of appropriate and relevant information to be reported.
- (3) Several voluntary schemes setting standards for the production of biomass products are in existence or under development that lay down requirements that cover, in part or whole, both the sustainability criteria and additional environmental and social aspects such as those to be covered by the Commission's list. The Commission may recognise these voluntary schemes as reliable and acceptable sources of data for the purpose of demonstrating compliance with the criteria. It may, in addition, recognise them as containing accurate data in relation to the additional environmental and social aspects.

- (4) The greenhouse gas calculation for biofuels and bioliquids included in the sustainability scheme allows for the use of a bonus if biomass is obtained from restored degraded land.
- (5) The greenhouse gas calculation included in the sustainability scheme includes a factor reflecting emission savings from soil carbon accumulation via improved agricultural management.
- (6) Taking into account the need to ensure that the provision of information on environmental and social aspects does not represent an excessive administrative burden for economic operators, it is appropriate to lay down that this information should be provided in the form of a statement identifying whether or not the consignments of biofuels or bioliquids in question have been certified or accepted as fulfilling the requirements of a recognised voluntary scheme that includes such aspects; whether or not the bonus referred to in recital 4 is used; and whether or not the carbon accumulation factor referred to in recital 5 is used.
- (7) The bonus referred to in recital 4 and the carbon stock accumulation factor referred to in recital 5 concern crop cultivation. For that reason, it is not necessary for information on these matters to be submitted for biofuels and bioliquids made from wastes or residues,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The information to be submitted by economic operators for each consignment of biofuel or bioliquid shall consist of an indication of:

- (a) whether the consignment has been certified or accepted as fulfilling the requirements of a voluntary scheme that has been recognised by the Commission, in accordance with the second subparagraph of Article 18(4) of Directive 2009/28/EC and the second subparagraph of Article 7c(4) of Directive 98/70/EC, as containing accurate data for the purposes of information on measures taken for soil, water and air protection, the restoration of degraded land, the avoidance of excessive water consumption in areas where water is scarce and/or to take into account the issues referred to in the second subparagraph of Article 17(7) of Directive 2009/28/EC and the second subparagraph of Article 7b(7) of Directive 98/70/EC;

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 140, 5.6.2009, p. 16.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 350, 28.12.1998, p. 58.

- (b) if the consignment has been certified or accepted as referred to in point (a), the name of the voluntary scheme in question;

With the exception of biofuels and bioliquids produced from waste and residues, it shall consist in addition of an indication of:

- (c) whether the bonus referred to in Annex V, part C, points 7 and 8 of Directive 2009/28/EC and Annex IV, part C, points 7 and 8 of Directive 98/70/EC has been used in the greenhouse gas calculation referred to in Annex V, part C, point 1 of Directive 2009/28/EC and Annex IV, part C, point 1 of Directive 98/70/EC for the consignment;
- (d) whether the factor for emissions savings from soil carbon accumulation via improved agricultural management referred to in Annex V, part C, point 1 of Directive 2009/28/EC and Annex IV, part C, point 1 of Directive

98/70/EC has been used in the greenhouse gas calculation referred to in the same paragraph for the consignment.

Article 2

This Decision shall be without prejudice to the Commission's right to request additional information from economic operators for the purposes of Article 23(2) of Directive 2009/28/EC.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 12 January 2011.

For the Commission

Günther OETTINGER

Member of the Commission

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