

**Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 3950/92 establishing an additional levy in the milk and milk products sector**

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*(Submitted by the Commission on 27 June 2002)*

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 37 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Whereas:

(1) In order to permit the maintenance of traditional dairy farming in Madeira, Council Regulation (EC) No 1453/2001 of 28 June 2001 introducing specific measures for certain agricultural products for the Azores and Madeira and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 1600/92 (POSEIMA) <sup>(1)</sup> stipulates that Council Regulation (EEC) No 3950/92 <sup>(2)</sup> is not, within the limit of local production, to apply to Madeira.

(2) Regulation (EEC) No 3950/92 sets the reference quantities applicable in each Member State. The exemption must not

affect application of the levy arrangements in Portugal. The reference quantity for Portugal should therefore be reduced by an amount equal to that of the quantities available to producers in Madeira that were used in determining it. The Annex to the Regulation is amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3950/92 is replaced by the Annex to this Regulation.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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.

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 198, 21.7.2001, p. 26.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 405, 31.12.1992, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 603/2001 (OJ L 89, 29.3.2001, p. 18).

## ANNEX

(a) Total reference quantities (Article 3(2)) applicable from 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001

(tonnes)

Member State	Deliveries	Direct sales
Belgium	3 171 279,539	139 151,461
Denmark	4 454 616,417	731,583
Germany	27 768 686,841	96 129,159
Greece	674 471,000	842,000
Spain	5 828 977,475	87 972,525
France	23 832 232,240	403 565,760
Ireland	5 332 448,840	9 315,160
Italy	10 100 482,000	213 578,000
Luxembourg	268 254,000	795,000
Netherlands	10 992 901,000	81 791,000
Austria	2 583 251,804	166 149,196
Portugal	1 863 166,000	9 295,000
Finland	2 397 527,921	9 120,645
Sweden	3 300 000,000	3 000,000
United Kingdom <sup>(1)</sup>	14 420 829,479	181 825,521

<sup>(1)</sup> Specific quota increase for allocation to Northern Ireland.

(b) Total reference quantities (Article 3(2)) applicable from 1 April 2001 to 31 March 2002

(tonnes)

Member State	Deliveries	Direct sales
Belgium	3 171 279,539	139 151,461
Denmark	4 454 616,417	731,583
Germany	27 768 686,841	96 129,159
Greece	699 671,000	842,000
Spain	6 028 977,475	87 972,525
France	23 832 232,240	403 565,760
Ireland	5 386 448,840	9 315,160
Italy	10 316 482,000	213 578,000
Luxembourg	268 254,000	795,000
Netherlands	10 992 901,000	81 791,000
Austria	2 583 251,804	166 149,196
Portugal <sup>(1)</sup>	1 861 166,000	9 295,000
Finland	2 397 527,921	9 120,645
Sweden	3 300 000,000	3 000,000
United Kingdom <sup>(2)</sup>	14 427 921,479	181 825,521

<sup>(1)</sup> Except Madeira.<sup>(2)</sup> Specific quota increase for allocation to Northern Ireland.

(c) Total reference quantities (Article 3(2)) applicable from 1 April 2002 to 31 March 2005

(tonnes)		
Member State	Deliveries	Direct sales
Belgium	3 171 279,539	139 151,461
Denmark	4 454 616,417	731,583
Germany	27 768 686,841	96 129,159
Greece	699 671,000	842,000
Spain	6 028 977,475	87 972,525
France	23 832 232,240	403 565,760
Ireland	5 386 448,840	9 315,160
Italy	10 316 482,000	213 578,000
Luxembourg	268 254,000	795,000
Netherlands	10 992 901,000	81 791,000
Austria	2 583 251,804	166 149,196
Portugal <sup>(1)</sup>	1 861 166,000	9 295,000
Finland	2 397 527,921	9 120,645
Sweden	3 300 000,000	3 000,000
United Kingdom	14 427 921,479	181 825,521

<sup>(1)</sup> Except Madeira.

(d) Total reference quantities (Article 3(2)) applicable from 1 April 2005 to 31 March 2006

(tonnes)		
Member State	Deliveries	Direct sales
Belgium	3 187 831,539	139 151,461
Denmark	4 476 893,417	731,583
Germany	27 908 010,841	96 129,159
Greece	699 671,000	842,000
Spain	6 028 977,475	87 972,525
France	23 953 411,240	403 565,760
Ireland	5 386 448,840	9 315,160
Italy	10 316 482,000	213 578,000
Luxembourg	269 599,000	795,000
Netherlands	11 048 274,000	81 791,000
Austria	2 596 998,804	166 149,196
Portugal <sup>(1)</sup>	1 870 528,000	9 295,000
Finland	2 409 550,921	9 120,645
Sweden	3 316 515,000	3 000,000
United Kingdom	14 500 871,479	181 825,521

<sup>(1)</sup> Except Madeira.

(e) Total reference quantities (Article 3(2)) applicable from 1 April 2006 to 31 March 2007

(tonnes)		
Member State	Deliveries	Direct sales
Belgium	3 204 383,539	139 151,461
Denmark	4 499 169,417	731,583
Germany	28 047 334,841	96 129,159
Greece	699 671,000	842,000
Spain	6 028 977,475	87 972,525
France	24 074 590,240	403 565,760
Ireland	5 386 448,840	9 315,160
Italy	10 316 482,000	213 578,000
Luxembourg	270 944,000	795,000
Netherlands	11 103 648,000	81 791,000
Austria	2 610 745,804	166 149,196
Portugal <sup>(1)</sup>	1 879 891,000	9 295,000
Finland	2 421 572,921	9 120,645
Sweden	3 333 030,000	3 000,000
United Kingdom	14 573 821,479	181 825,521

<sup>(1)</sup> Except Madeira.

(f) Total reference quantities (Article 3(2)) applicable from 1 April 2007 to 31 March 2008

(tonnes)		
Member State	Deliveries	Direct sales
Belgium	3 220 935,539	139 151,461
Denmark	4 521 446,417	731,583
Germany	28 186 658,841	96 129,159
Greece	699 671,000	842,000
Spain	6 028 977,475	87 972,525
France	24 195 769,240	403 565,760
Ireland	5 386 448,840	9 315,160
Italy	10 316 482,000	213 578,000
Luxembourg	272 290,000	795,000
Netherlands	11 159 021,000	81 791,000
Austria	2 624 492,804	166 149,196
Portugal <sup>(1)</sup>	1 889 253,000	9 295,000
Finland	2 433 595,921	9 120,645
Sweden	3 349 545,000	3 000,000
United Kingdom	14 646 772,479	181 825,521

<sup>(1)</sup> Except Madeira.