

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1309/77

of 17 June 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 899/70 fixing the maximum tolerance for quantity losses of sugar during intervention operations

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2334/69 of 25 November 1969 on the financing of intervention expenditure in respect of the internal market in sugar⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3180/76⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 4 (2) (c) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 899/70 of 19 May 1970 fixing the maximum tolerance for quantity losses of sugar during intervention operations⁽³⁾ fixed that maximum at two parts per thousand per sugar marketing year;

Whereas the intervention agencies keep their accounts on a calendar year basis; whereas Regulation (EEC) No 2334/69 has already been amended accordingly; whereas Regulation (EEC) No 899/70 should also be amended accordingly;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 899/70 the term 'marketing year' is hereby amended to read 'calendar year'.

Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 17 June 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 298, 27. 11. 1969, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 359, 30. 12. 1976, p. 11.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 108, 20. 5. 1970, p. 12.