

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1639/77

of 18 July 1977

determining for the 1977/78 marketing year the threshold prices for husked rice and broken rice

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1358/77 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 14 (4) and 15 (3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 14 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 provides that the threshold price for husked rice must be fixed in such a way that the selling price of imported husked rice on the Duisburg market corresponds to the target price; whereas this object is achieved by deducting from the target price the items referred to in paragraph 2 (a) thereof;

Whereas Article 15 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 lays down that the threshold price for broken rice must be fixed between a lower and an upper limit calculated in relation to the threshold price for maize; whereas, so that imports of broken rice do not restrict

the normal flow of production over the Community market as a whole, the threshold price for broken rice should be fixed between these limits,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

This Regulation shall apply during the 1977/78 rice marketing year.

Article 2

The threshold price for round grain husked rice shall be 291.53 units of account per tonne.

Article 3

The threshold price for broken rice shall be 191.70 units of account per tonne.

Article 4

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, 18 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

A. HUMBLET

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 136, 2. 6. 1977, p. 13.