

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1816/82

of 7 July 1982

amending Regulation (EEC) No 645/82 applying quality Class III to certain fruit
for the 1982/83 marketing year

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization
of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1203/82⁽²⁾, and in
particular Article 4 (1) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 379/71 of
19 February 1971 laying down common quality stan-
dards for citrus fruit⁽³⁾, laid down a Class III for the
products concerned;

Whereas, pursuant to the first subparagraph of Article
4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72, the quality
Class III may be applied only if the products
concerned are needed to meet consumer demand;
whereas, this need, which has already been recognized
for a limited period for lemons by Commission Regu-
lation (EEC) No 645/82⁽⁴⁾, also appears to exist at
present for certain citrus fruits other than lemons;
whereas, in view of the considerable fluctuations in
production from one marketing year to another, the
period of application of quality Class III should be
limited;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 645/82 is hereby
amended by the addition of the following :

- Oranges of blond varieties other than "Biondo
comune": from 1 October 1982 to 31
December 1982,
- satsumas, clementines, tangerines and other
similar citrus hybrids other than mandarins
from 1 October 1982 to 31 December 1982.'

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.

Done at Brussels, 7 July 1982.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 140, 20. 5. 1982, p. 36.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 45, 24. 2. 1971, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 76, 20. 3. 1982, p. 18.