

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1281/2000
of 19 June 2000**

**definitively fixing the aid for unginned cotton from 1 September 1999 to 31 March 2000 for the
1999/2000 marketing year**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Greece, and in particular paragraph 10 of Protocol 4 on cotton, as last amended by Council Regulation (EC) No 1553/95 ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1554/95 of 29 June 1995 laying down the general rules for the system of aid for cotton and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2169/81 ⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1419/98 ⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 5(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Under Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 1554/95, the world market price for unginned cotton is fixed periodically during the marketing year.
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1287/2000 ⁽⁴⁾ fixes actual production of unginned cotton and the amount by which the guide price is to be reduced in each Member State for the 1999/2000 marketing year.
- (3) Article 5(1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1201/89 of 3 May 1989 laying down rules implementing the system of aid for cotton ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1624/1999 ⁽⁶⁾, provides for the aid on unginned cotton applicable to each period for which a world market price has been determined to be fixed before 15 July.
- (4) The aid for the 1999/2000 marketing year should accordingly be fixed definitively at the levels indicated below,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The aid on unginned cotton corresponding to the world prices fixed in Commission Regulations (EC) No 1876/1999 ⁽⁷⁾, (EC) No 1947/1999 ⁽⁸⁾, (EC) No 2013/1999 ⁽⁹⁾, (EC) No 2077/1999 ⁽¹⁰⁾, (EC) No 2150/1999 ⁽¹¹⁾, (EC) No 2231/1999 ⁽¹²⁾, (EC) No 2296/1999 ⁽¹³⁾, (EC) No 2388/1999 ⁽¹⁴⁾, (EC) No 2462/1999 ⁽¹⁵⁾, (EC) No 2526/1999 ⁽¹⁶⁾, (EC) No 2615/1999 ⁽¹⁷⁾, (EC) No 2721/1999 ⁽¹⁸⁾, (EC) No 2752/1999 ⁽¹⁹⁾, (EC) No 54/2000 ⁽²⁰⁾, (EC) No 119/2000 ⁽²¹⁾, (EC) No 125/2000 ⁽²²⁾, (EC) No 172/2000 ⁽²³⁾, (EC) No 246/2000 ⁽²⁴⁾, (EC) No 315/2000 ⁽²⁵⁾, (EC) No 387/2000 ⁽²⁶⁾, (EC) No 460/2000 ⁽²⁷⁾, (EC) No 512/2000 ⁽²⁸⁾, (EC) No 533/2000 ⁽²⁹⁾ and (EC) No 602/2000 ⁽³⁰⁾, shall be as set out in the Annex hereto, which amount shall be fixed definitively from the entry into force of each of the Regulations concerned.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 148, 30.6.1995, p. 45.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 148, 30.6.1995, p. 48.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 190, 4.7.1998, p. 4.

⁽⁴⁾ See page 19 of this Official Journal.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 123, 4.5.1989, p. 23.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 192, 24.7.1999, p. 39.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 231, 1.9.1999, p. 13.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ L 241, 11.9.1999, p. 17.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ L 248, 21.9.1999, p. 27.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ L 256, 1.10.1999, p. 35.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ L 263, 9.10.1999, p. 4.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ L 271, 21.10.1999, p. 21.

⁽¹³⁾ OJ L 280, 30.10.1999, p. 5.

⁽¹⁴⁾ OJ L 288, 11.11.1999, p. 23.

⁽¹⁵⁾ OJ L 299, 20.11.1999, p. 29.

⁽¹⁶⁾ OJ L 306, 1.12.1999, p. 8.

⁽¹⁷⁾ OJ L 318, 11.12.1999, p. 3.

⁽¹⁸⁾ OJ L 327, 21.12.1999, p. 51.

⁽¹⁹⁾ OJ L 331, 23.12.1999, p. 33.

⁽²⁰⁾ OJ L 6, 11.1.2000, p. 21.

⁽²¹⁾ OJ L 14, 20.1.2000, p. 22.

⁽²²⁾ OJ L 16, 21.1.2000, p. 50.

⁽²³⁾ OJ L 21, 26.1.2000, p. 14.

⁽²⁴⁾ OJ L 25, 1.2.2000, p. 20.

⁽²⁵⁾ OJ L 36, 11.2.2000, p. 28.

⁽²⁶⁾ OJ L 47, 19.2.2000, p. 25.

⁽²⁷⁾ OJ L 56, 1.3.2000, p. 28.

⁽²⁸⁾ OJ L 63, 10.3.2000, p. 14.

⁽²⁹⁾ OJ L 64, 11.3.2000, p. 18.

⁽³⁰⁾ OJ L 72, 21.3.2000, p. 6.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh 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, 19 June 2000.

For the Commission

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ANNEX

AID FOR UNGINNED COTTON

(EUR/100 kg)

Regulation (EC) No	Aid amount		
	Spain	Greece	Portugal
1876/1999	50,306	45,842	84,535
1947/1999	50,718	46,254	84,947
2013/1999	50,536	46,072	84,765
2077/1999	51,369	46,905	85,598
2150/1999	52,028	47,564	86,257
2231/1999	52,130	47,666	86,359
2296/1999 ⁽¹⁾	51,765	47,301	85,994
2388/1999	51,790	47,326	86,019
2462/1999	52,054	47,590	86,283
2526/1999	51,768	47,304	85,997
2615/1999	52,320	47,856	86,549
2721/1999	52,341	47,877	86,570
2752/1999	52,255	47,791	86,484
54/2000	52,397	47,933	86,626
119/2000	50,495	46,031	84,724
125/2000	49,846	45,382	84,075
172/2000	46,735	42,271	80,964
246/2000	45,606	41,142	79,835
315/2000	45,120	40,656	79,349
387/2000	44,108	39,644	78,337
460/2000	42,875	38,411	77,104
512/2000	39,884	35,420	74,113
533/2000	40,129	35,665	74,358
602/2000	39,702	35,238	73,931

⁽¹⁾ As corrected by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2349/1999 (OJ L 281, 4.11.1999, p. 68).