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REGULATION (EEC) No 2256/71 OF THE COMMISSION

of 21 October 1971

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2637/70 as regards advance fixing certificates for oilseeds

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC¹ of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organisation of the market in oils and fats, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2554/70,² and in particular Article 28 (3) thereof;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 162/66/EEC³ of 27 October 1966 on trade in oils and fats between the Community and Greece;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 142/67/EEC⁴ of 21 June 1967 on export refunds on colza, rape and sunflower seeds, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2556/70,⁵ and in particular Article 6 thereof;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 11 (1) of Commission Regulation No 2637/70⁶ of 23 December 1970 on special detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences and advance fixing certificates for agricultural products, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2195/71,⁷ the advance fixing certificate for oilseeds is valid from its date of issue until the end of the second month following that of issue; whereas, however, to take account of the special purchasing conditions in certain third countries, Article 11 (2) extended the period of

advance fixing in respect of exports of colza and rape seed to these countries;

Whereas there are also special purchasing conditions for exports to South Africa of colza and rape seed intended for uses other than oil production; whereas the provisions of Article 11 (2) should therefore be extended to these exports;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Oils and Fats;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The following shall be substituted for Article 11 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 2637/70:

'(b) colza and rape seed with a germinating power of over 90% or sulphurated, with less than 0.5% of impurities, in bags, to Argentina, Austria, Denmark, Great Britain, Portugal, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United States.'

Article 2

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

¹ OJ No 172, 30.9.1966, p. 3025/66.

² OJ No L 275, 19.12.1970, p. 5.

³ OJ No 197, 29.10.1966, p. 3393/66.

⁴ OJ No 125, 20.6.1967, p. 2461/67.

⁵ OJ No L 275, 19.12.1970, p. 8.

⁶ OJ No L 283, 29.12.1970, p. 15.

⁷ OJ No L 231, 14.10.1971, p. 26.

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

Done at Brussels, 21 October 1971.

For the Commission

The President

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