COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 671/84

of 15 March 1984

on applications for the financing of aids granted by Member States to producers' organizations in the fishery products sector

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 of 22 November 1982 on granting and financing aid granted by Member States to producers' organizations in the fishery products sector (1), and in particular Article 10 (3) thereof,

Whereas claims for the financing of aids granted by Member States pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 should include certain particulars so that a check can be made on whether the expenditure complies with the provisions of the said Regulation;

Whereas, in order that effective checks may be carried out, the Member States should keep the supporting documents at the Commission's disposal for a period of three years after the final financing has taken place;

Whereas this Regulation replaces Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1273/72 (2); whereas the latter Regulation should therefore be repealed;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The applications for financing referred to in Article 10 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 must

be submitted in the form of the tables shown in the Annexes.

2. The Member States shall communicate to the Commission, along with their first application for financing, the texts of the national provisions relating to implementation and controls and of the relevant administrative instructions, together with any forms or other documents relating to the administration of the aid.

Article 2

The Member States shall keep at the Commission's disposal, in respect of each beneficiary and for a period of three years after the final financing has taken place, all the supporting documents of authenticated copies thereof which are in their possession and on the basis of which the decision was taken to grant the aid provided for in Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81.

Article 3

Regulation (EEC) No 1273/72 is hereby repealed.

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, 15 March 1984.

For the Commission
Giorgios CONTOGEORGIS
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 331, 26. 11. 1982, p. 7. (2) OJ No L 141, 21. 6. 1972, p. 9.

ANNEX I

Information supplied by the Member States in respect of producers' organizations in the fishing industry within the meaning of Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81

| | Member State |
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| | - Serial No (1) |
| _ | Producers' organization (name and address) |
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| | - Date of formation |
| | It is hereby confirmed that the date of recognition is |
| 1. | How does the producers' organization intend to ensure that fishing is carried out along rational lines and that conditions for the sale of products are improved? |
| 2. | What provision is made in the charter for satisfying the requirement that all products in respect of which producers hold membership must be disposed of through the organization and how is this applied in practice? |
| 3. | Where appropriate: what are the products and the quantities which member producers are authorized by the producers' organization to market themselves and what pre-established common rules apply in this case? |
| 4. | What rules governing production and marketing are applied by the producers' organization? |
| 5. | By what specific means does the producers' organization intend to ensure compliance with the minimum production and marketing rules throughout the fishing year? |

- 6. Supply information that will confirm that the producers' organization does not hold a dominant
- position on the common market, unless such a position is necessary for the pursuit of the objectives of Article 39 of the Treaty.
- 7. Are there in the same area other organizations which have already been recognized and whose activities relate to the same products or similar products? If so, give the names, the addresses and the operating areas of such other organizations. Indicate to what extent the information of the producers' organization brings about, by greater rationalization of fishing activities on the basis of catch plans and by improved concentration of supplies of the products landed by its members, an improvement in production and marketing structures as compared with the existing situation (2).
- 8. If the producers' organization is formed from pre-existing organizations, give the names and addresses of the latter.
- 9. How was the organization informed of the Community contribution towards the financing of the aid?

Continuous numbering from one year to the next.

To be answered only in respect of producers' organizations in receipt of the aids provided for in Article 6 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 (OJ No L 379, 31. 12. 1981, p. 1).

ANNEX II A

A. Application for financing

| Serial No (') | Producers' organization | Amount of aid granted in accordance with Article 6 (1) and (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 | Amount to be reimbursed |
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| Aids relating to the firs | t year following the date of recogni | ition : | |
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| Aids relating to the fou | rth year following the date of recog | gnition (²): | • |
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| ids relating to the fifth | h year following the date of recogn | ition (²): | e e |
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| Aids to producers' organ | nizations formed from pre-existing o | organizations : | |
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| | Recovery: | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | |
| | Total: | | |

(2) Applies only to aids pursuant to Article 6 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81.

Stamp and signature of the competent authority

ANNEX II B

Tables concerning aids granted to producers' organizations

Member State

| | Documents | to be submitte | ed each yea | ar in respect of | f each | producen | s' orga | nization | | | |
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| Serial No (1) | | ••••• | | • | ••••• | • • • • • • • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • • | ••••• | ••••• | ••••• | |
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| Date of formation . | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date of recognition | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date on which aid a | • | | | | | | | | | | |
| ORGANIZATION Y | | | | TOLLOWING | 1116 | DAIL | OIA A | VIIICH | 1111 | FRODU | CERS |

B. 1. Factors used in calculating the aid

| Number of members in accordance with Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 | Products | | Marketed production calculated in accordance with Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 | | | Production price calculated in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 | | | | Average value calculated in accordance | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|--|----|----|---|------|----|----|--|---|
| | Description of products | CCT subheading No | 19 | 19 | 19 | Average over the three years | 19 | 19 | 19 | Average over the three years | with Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 |
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It is confirmed that:

- (a) the above-named organization fulfils the conditions listed in Annex I to this Regulation;
- (b) the average value of marketed production is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82;
- (c) when the aid granted to the association of producers' organizations referred to in Article 5 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 was calculated, production marketed by the producers' organizations which has already benefited from identical aids in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 was not taken into account.
- (1) Continuous numbering corresponding to that of Annex I.

B. 2. Calculation of the aid

| Average value of marketed production calculated in accordance with Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 3140/82 | Administrative expenses as defined in Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 (1) | Costs relating to the drawing up of the constituting act and of the statuts (2) | Amount of aid granted under Article 6 (1) and (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 |
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| | (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) | | |
| | Total: | | |

⁽¹⁾ Indicate in the manner provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 1452/83 (OJ No L 149, 7. 6. 1983, p. 5).

It is hereby confirmed that the administrative expenses referred to in Article 6 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 have been determined in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1452/83 and approved by the competent authorities of the Member States.

⁽²⁾ To be filled in only in respect of the producer's organizations formed from pre-existing organizations.

ANNEX III

Amounts recovered in 19.. in respect of aids paid in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81

| Serial No (1) | Producers' organization | Eligible aids recovered | Amount to be deducted from the EAGGF contribution | Where appropriate, code number of the communication pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 283/72 (2) |
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| | Total | | | |

⁽¹⁾ Continuous numbering corresponding to that of Annex I.

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⁽²⁾ The presentation of this table does not exclude the forwarding of the documents specified in Articles 3 and 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 283/72 (OJ No L 36, 10. 2. 1972, p. 1) concerning irregularities and the recovery of sums wrongly paid in connection with the financing of the common agricultural policy and the organization of an information system in this field.

Consequently, if the recovery relates to an irregularity communicated in accordance with the abovementioned Regulation, the number under which the case was communicated must be mentioned.