

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1028/98**  
**of 15 May 1998**  
**on the sale by tender of beef held by certain intervention agencies**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organisation of the market in beef and veal (<sup>1</sup>), as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2634/97 (<sup>2</sup>), and in particular Article 7(3) thereof,

Whereas the application of intervention measures in respect of beef has created stocks in several Member States; whereas, in order to prevent an excessive prolongation of storage, part of these stocks should be sold by tender;

Whereas the sale should be made subject to the rules laid down by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79 (<sup>3</sup>), as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2417/95 (<sup>4</sup>), subject to certain special exceptions which are necessary;

Whereas, with a view to ensuring a regular and uniform tendering procedure, measures should be taken in addition to those laid down in Article 8(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79;

Whereas provision should be made for derogations from Article 8(2)(b) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79, in view of the administrative difficulties which application of this point creates in the Member States concerned;

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

- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Danish intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the German intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Spanish intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the French intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Italian intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Irish intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Dutch intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Austrian intervention agency,
- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Swedish intervention agency,
- approximately 400 tonnes of boneless beef held by the French intervention agency,
- approximately 500 tonnes of boneless beef held by the Irish intervention agency,
- approximately 500 tonnes of boneless beef held by the United Kingdom intervention agency.

Detailed information concerning quantities is given in Annex I.

2. Subject to the provisions of this Regulation the products referred to in paragraph 1 shall be sold in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79, in particular Titles II and III thereof.

*Article 2*

1. Notwithstanding Articles 6 and 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79, the provisions of and Annexes to this Regulation shall serve as a general notice of invitation to tender.

The intervention agencies concerned shall draw up a notice of invitation to tender which shall include the following:

- (a) the quantities of beef offered for sale; and
- (b) the deadline and place for submitting tenders.

(<sup>1</sup>) OJ L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

(<sup>2</sup>) OJ L 356, 31. 12. 1997, p. 13.

(<sup>3</sup>) OJ L 251, 5. 10. 1979, p. 12.

(<sup>4</sup>) OJ L 248, 14. 10. 1995, p. 39.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

1. The sale shall take place of:

- approximately 100 tonnes of bone-in hindquarters held by the Belgian intervention agency,

2. Interested parties may obtain the details of the quantities available and the places where the products are stored from the addresses listed in Annex II to this Regulation. The intervention agencies shall, in addition, display the notice referred to in paragraph 1 at their head offices and may publish it in other ways.
3. For each product mentioned in Annex I the intervention agencies concerned shall sell first the meat which has been stored the longest.
4. Only tenders which reach the intervention agencies concerned by 12 noon on 25 May 1998 shall be considered.
5. Notwithstanding Article 8(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79, a tender must be submitted to the intervention agency concerned in a closed envelope, bearing the reference to the Regulation concerned. The closed envelope must not be opened by the intervention agency before the expiry of the tender deadline referred to in paragraph 4.
6. Notwithstanding Article 8(2)(b) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79, tenders shall not indicate in which cold store or stores the products are held.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 May 1998.

*For the Commission*

Franz FISCHLER

*Member of the Commission*

### *Article 3*

1. Member States shall provide the Commission with information concerning the tenders received not later than the working day following the deadline set for the submission of tenders.
2. After the tenders received have been examined a minimum selling price shall be set for each product or the sale will not proceed.

### *Article 4*

The security provided for in Article 15(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79 shall be ECU 120 per tonne.

### *Article 5*

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

*ANEXO I — BILAG I — ANHANG I — ΠΑΡΑΠΤΗΜΑ I — ANNEX I — ANNEXE I —  
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Estado miembro	Productos (')	Cantidad aproximada (toneladas)
Medlemsstat	Produkter (')	Tilnærmet mængde (tons)
Mitgliedstaat	Erzeugnisse (')	Ungefähr Mengen (Tonnen)
Κράτος μέλος	Προϊόντα (')	Κατά προσέγγιση ποσότητα (τόνοι)
Member State	Products (')	Approximate quantity (tonnes)
État membre	Produits (')	Quantité approximative (tonnes)
Stato membro	Prodotti (')	Quantità approssimativa (tonnellate)
Lidstaat	Producten (')	Hoeveelheid bij benadering (ton)
Estado-membro	Produtos (')	Quantidade aproximada (toneladas)
Jäsenvaltio	Tuotteet (')	Arvioitu määrä (tonneina)
Medlemsstat	Produkter (')	Ungfärlik kvantitet (ton)

- a) **Carne con hueso — Kød, ikke udbenet — Fleisch mit Knochen — Κρέατα με κόκαλα — Bone-in beef — Viande avec os — Carni non disossate — Vlees met been — Carne com osso — Luullinen naudanliha — Kött med ben**

BELGIQUE/BELGIË	— Quartiers arrière/Achtervoeten	100
DANMARK	— Bagfjerdinger	100
DEUTSCHLAND	— Hinterviertel	100
ESPAÑA	— Cuartos traseros	100
FRANCE	— Quartiers arrière	100
IRELAND	— Hindquarters	100
ITALIA	— Quarti posteriori	100
NEDERLAND	— Achtervoeten	100
ÖSTERREICH	— Hinterviertel	100
SVERIGE	— Bakkvartsparter	100

- b) **Carne deshuesada — Udbenet kød — Fleisch ohne Knochen — Κρέατα χωρίς κόκαλα — Boneless beef — Viande désossée — Carni senza osso — Vlees zonder been — Carne desossada — Luuton naudanliha — Benfritt kött**

FRANCE	— Semelle (INT 14)	100
	— Rumsteak (INT 16)	100
	— Faux-filet (INT 17)	100
	— Entrecôte (INT 19)	100
IRELAND	— Intervention topside (INT 13)	100
	— Intervention silverside (INT 14)	100
	— Intervention fillet (INT 15)	100
	— Intervention rump (INT 16)	100
	— Intervention striploin (INT 17)	100
UNITED KINGDOM	— Intervention topside (INT 13)	100
	— Intervention silverside (INT 14)	100
	— Intervention fillet (INT 15)	100
	— Intervention rump (INT 16)	100
	— Intervention striploin (INT 17)	100

- (<sup>l</sup>) Véanse los anexos V y VII del Reglamento (CEE) nº 2456/93 de la Comisión (DO L 225 de 4. 9. 1993, p. 4), cuya última modificación la constituye el Reglamento (CE) nº 2602/97 (DO L 351 de 23. 12. 1997, p. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Se bilag V og VII til Kommissionens forordning (EØF) nr. 2456/93 (EFT L 225 af 4. 9. 1993, s. 4), senest ændret ved forordning (EF) nr. 2602/97 (EFT L 351 af 23. 12. 1997, s. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Vgl. Anhänge V und VII der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 2456/93 der Kommission (ABl. L 225 vom 4. 9. 1993, S. 4), zuletzt geändert durch die Verordnung (EG) Nr. 2602/97 (ABl. L 351 vom 23. 12. 1997, S. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Βλέπε παραρτήματα V και VII του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 2456/93 της Επιτροπής (ΕΕ L 225 της 4. 9. 1993, σ. 4), όπως τροποποιήθηκε τελευταία από τον κανονισμό (ΕΚ) αριθ. 2602/97 (ΕΕ L 351 της 23. 12. 1997, σ. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) See Annexes V and VII to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2456/93 (OJ L 225, 4. 9. 1993, p. 4), as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2602/97 (OJ L 351, 23. 12. 1997, p. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Voir annexes V et VII du règlement (CEE) n° 2456/93 de la Commission (JO L 225 du 4. 9. 1993, p. 4). Règlement modifié en dernier lieu par le règlement (CE) n° 2602/97 (JO L 351 du 23. 12. 1997, p. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Cfr. allegati V e VII del regolamento (CEE) n. 2456/93 della Commissione (GU L 225 del 4. 9. 1993, pag. 4), modificato da ultimo dal regolamento (CE) n. 2602/97 (GU L 351 del 23. 12. 1997, pag. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Zie de bijlagen V en VII van Verordening (EEG) nr. 2456/93 van de Commissie (PB L 225 van 4. 9. 1993, blz. 4), laatstelijk gewijzigd bij Verordening (EG) nr. 2602/97 (PB L 351 van 23. 12. 1997, blz. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Ver anexos V e VII do Regulamento (CEE) nº 2456/93 da Comissão (JO L 225 de 4. 9. 1993, p. 4). Regulamento com a última redacção que lhe foi dada pelo Regulamento (CE) nº 2602/97 (JO L 351 de 23. 12. 1997, p. 20).
- (<sup>l</sup>) Katso komission asetuksen (ETY) N:o 2456/93 (EYVL L 225, 4. 9. 1993, s. 4), sellaisena kuin se on viimeksi muutettuna asetuksesta (EY) N:o 2602/97 (BYVL L 351, 23.12.1997, s. 20), liitteet V ja VII.
- (<sup>l</sup>) Se bilaga V och VII i förordning (EEG) nr 2456/93 (EGT L 225, 4.9.1993, s. 4), senast ändrad genom förordning (EG) nr 2602/97 (EGT L 351, 23.12.1997, s. 20).

*ANEXO II — BILAG II — ANHANG II — ΠΑΡΑΠΤΗΜΑ II — ANNEX II — ANNEXE II —  
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Direcciones de los organismos de intervención — Interventionsorganernes adresser — Anschriften der Interventionsstellen — Διευθύνσεις των οργανισμών παρεμβάσεως — Addresses of the intervention agencies — Adresses des organismes d'intervention — Indirizzi degli organismi d'intervento — Adressen van de interventiebureaus — Endereços dos organismos de intervenção — Interventioelinten osoitteet — Interventionsorganens adresser

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