

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1442/98
of 6 July 1998

**on the maximum amount of the Community financial contribution to be paid to
the Member States concerned in accordance with Council Regulation (EC) No
723/97**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,
Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 723/97 of
22 April 1997 on the implementation of Member States'
action programmes on control of EAGGF Guarantee
Section expenditure ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Articles 1 and 4
thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1780/
97 ⁽²⁾ laying down the rules of application for Regulation
(EC) No 723/97, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Whereas Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 723/97 provides
that the Community shall contribute towards the costs
incurred by Member States in implementing new action
programmes, arising out of new Community obligations;
whereas Article 4(2) of the same Regulation provides that
the Commission shall, after consulting the Fund
Committee, set the maximum annual amount of the
Community financial contribution having regard to the
appropriations and on the basis of the information
supplied by the Member States concerned; whereas the
amount in question shall be granted in accordance with

Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 1780/97; whereas the
Member States concerned have supplied the relevant
information to the Commission for the year 1998;

Whereas the Fund Committee has been consulted on the
amounts set out in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The maximum amount of the Community financial
contribution in national currencies towards the costs
incurred by the Member States concerned in imple-
menting action programmes on control of EAGGF Guar-
antee Section expenditure for 1998, provided for by Regu-
lation (EC) No 723/97 is set out in the Annex to this
Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 6 July 1998.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 108, 25. 4. 1997, p. 6.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 252, 16. 9. 1997, p. 20.

ANNEX

Maximum amount of Community financial contribution for 1998 within the framework of Regulation (EC) No 723/97

Member State	Community contribution in national currency
Belgium	BEF 20 329 594
Germany	DEM 3 061 159
Greece	GRD 426 979 666
Spain	ESP 442 328 190
France	FRF 14 308 361
Ireland	IEP 616 127
Italy	ITL 5 595 886 420
Luxembourg	LUF 3 375 000
Netherlands	NLG 1 311 156
United Kingdom	GBP 1 021 615
Austria	ATS 8 802 000
Finland	FIM 977 500
Sweden	SEK 825 000