

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 35/1999****of 8 January 1999****concerning tenders submitted in response to the invitation to tender for the export of husked long grain rice to the island of Réunion referred to in Regulation (EC) No 2563/98**

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 3072/95 of 22 December 1995 on the common organization of the market in rice <sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2072/98 <sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 10 (1) thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2692/89 of 6 September 1989 laying down detailed rules for exports of rice to Réunion <sup>(3)</sup>, and in particular Article 9 (1) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 2563/98 <sup>(4)</sup> opens an invitation to tender for the subsidy on rice exported to Réunion;

Whereas Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 2692/89 allows the Commission to decide, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 3072/95 and on the basis of the tenders submitted, to make no award;

Whereas on the basis of the criteria laid down in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2692/89, a maximum subsidy should not be fixed;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

No action shall be taken on the tenders submitted from 4 to 7 January 1999 in response to the invitation to tender referred to in Regulation (EC) No 2563/98 for the subsidy on exports to Réunion of husked long grain rice falling within CN code 1 006 20 98.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on 9 January 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 8 January 1999.

*For the Commission*

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 329, 30. 12. 1995, p. 18.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 265, 30. 9. 1998, p. 4.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ L 29, 7. 9. 1989, p. 8.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ L 320, 28. 11. 1998, p. 40.