

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1281/2001  
of 28 June 2001**

**establishing the forecast supply balance for sugar for the Azores, Madeira and the Canary Islands  
provided for in Council Regulations (EEC) No 1600/92 and (EEC) No 1601/92 for the period 1 July  
2001 to 31 December 2001**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1600/92 of 15 June 1992 concerning specific measures for the Azores and Madeira relating to certain agricultural products <sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2826/2000 <sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 10 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1601/92 of 15 June 1992 concerning specific measures for the Canary Islands with regard to certain agricultural products <sup>(3)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2826/2000, and in particular Articles 3(4) and 7(2) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Pursuant to Articles 2 of Regulations (EEC) No 1600/92 and (EEC) No 1601/92, Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2177/92 <sup>(4)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1481/2000 <sup>(5)</sup>, sets the forecast supply balance for sugar for the Azores, Madeira and the Canary Islands for the 2000/01 marketing year. Pursuant to those Articles 2, pending the entry into force of the reform of the specific

supply arrangements and in order to avoid a break in the application of the specific supply arrangements in force, the supply balance for the period 1 July to 31 December 2001 should be established.

- (2) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2177/92 is hereby replaced by the Annex hereto as regards the period 1 July to 31 December 2001 of the 2001/02 marketing year.

*Article 2*

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

It shall apply from 1 July 2001.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 June 2001.

*For the Commission*

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*Member of the Commission*

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 173, 27.6.1992, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 328, 23.12.2000, p. 2.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ L 173, 27.6.1992, p. 13.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ L 217, 31.7.1992, p. 71.

<sup>(5)</sup> OJ L 167, 7.7.2000, p. 6.

## ANNEX

**Quantities of sugar expressed in terms of tonnes of white sugar as referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC)  
No 2177/92 for the period 1 July to 31 December 2001**

Region	Quantity (tonnes)
Azores	3 250
Madeira	4 000
Canary Islands	31 500