- the quantities to be distilled,
- the prices to be paid for the distilled wine,
- the figure of 85 % to be applied in each production region,
- the reference years.'
- 2. Article 41 (6) is replaced by the following:

'6. The percentage of the guide price for each type of table wine used to determine the price paid for the

wine delivered for distillation in the context of the application of paragraphs 1, 2 and 5 shall be that referred to in the first paragraph of Article 29.'

## Article 2

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.

Proposal for a Council Directive amending certain Directives on the marketing of seed and propagating material so as to provide for rules for the application of the provisions relating to seed and propagating material satisfying less stringent requirements

# COM(86) 578 final

(Submitted by the Commission to the Council on 31 October 1986)

(86/C 287/04)

## THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Whereas the following Directives, which lay down requirements for the marketing of seed and propagating material, contain provisions whereby Member States may be authorized to permit, for a specified period, the marketing of seed or propagating material of a category subject to less stringent requirements, or of seed or propagating material of varieties not included in the common catalogues of varieties of agricultural and vegetable species or in their national catalogues of varieties:

- Council Directive 66/400/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of beet seed (<sup>1</sup>), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85 (<sup>2</sup>),
- Council Directive 66/401/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of fodder plant seed (3), as last amended by Directive 86/155/EEC (4),
- (1) OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2290/66.
- (<sup>2</sup>) OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.
- (3) OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2298/66.
- (<sup>4</sup>) OJ No L 118, 7. 5. 1986, p. 23.

- Council Directive 66/402/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of cereal seed (<sup>3</sup>), as last amended by Commission Directive 86/320/EEC (<sup>6</sup>),
- Council Directive 66/403/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of seed potatoes ('), as last amended by Directive 86/215/EEC (\*),
- Council Directive 66/404/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of forest reproductive material (\*), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85,
- Council Directive 68/193/EEC of 9 April 1968 on the marketing of material for the vegetative propagation of the vine (<sup>10</sup>), as last amended by Directive 86/155/EEC),
- Council Directive 69/208/EEC of 30 June 1969 on the marketing of seed of oil and fibre plants (11), as last amended by Directive 86/155/EEC,
- Council Directive 70/458/EEC of 29 September 1970 on the marketing of vegetable seed (<sup>12</sup>), as last amended by Directive 86/155/EEC;
- (<sup>5</sup>) OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2309/66.
- (\*) OJ No L 200, 23. 7. 1986, p. 38.
- (') OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2320/66.
- (<sup>8</sup>) OJ No L 152, 6. 6. 1986, p. 46.
- (°) OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2326/66.
- (<sup>10</sup>) OJ No L 93, 17. 4. 1968, p. 15.
- (<sup>11</sup>) OJ No L 169, 10. 7. 1969, p. 3.
- (<sup>12</sup>) OJ No L 225, 12. 10. 1970, p. 7.

Whereas the adoption of rules for the application of those provisions may be considered appropriate for the more efficient functioning thereof;

Whereas it is appropriate for such rules to be adopted under the procedure of the Standing Committee on Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

## HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE:

## Article 1

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 17 of Directive 66/400/EEC:

'(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 21.'

#### Article 2

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 17 of Directive 66/401/EEC:

'(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 21.'

#### Article 3

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 17 of Directive 66/402/EEC:

'(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 21.'

## Article 4

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 16 of Directive 66/403/EEC:

(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 19.'

#### Article 5

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 15 of Directive 66/404/EEC:

'(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.'

## Article 6

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 14 of Directive 68/193/EEC:

(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.'

## Article 7

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 16 of Directive 69/208/EEC:

'(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 20.'

## Article 8

The following paragraph is hereby added to Article 33 of Directive 70/458/EEC:

'(3) Rules for the application of paragraph 1 may be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 40.'

## Article 9

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

# Proposal for a Council Regulation (EEC) establishing a special emergency measure for the lessfavoured areas in Ireland

## COM(86) 560 final

(Submitted by the Commission to the Council on 3 November 1986)

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#### THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament, Whereas the poor weather conditions suffered in the years 1985 and 1986 by farmers in the less-favoured areas of Ireland as defined in Council Directive 85/350/EEC concerning the Community list of less-favoured farming areas within the meaning of Directive 75/268/EEC (Ireland) (<sup>1</sup>) have aggravated the permanent natural handicap in these areas and have led to

(<sup>1</sup>) OJ No L 187, 19. 7. 1985, p. 1.