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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 613/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2), and in particular Article 13 (5) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 129 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73 (4), and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1658/79 (5) and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis:

— in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within

- a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 12 March 1980;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1658/79 to today's offer prices and quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products listed in Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 106, 30, 10, 1962, p. 2553/62.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 193, 1. 8. 1979, p. 5.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 13 March 1980 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Levies
0.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	80.88
0.01 B	Durum wheat	105.18 (1) (5)
0.02	Rye	79.12 (6)
0.03	Barley	71.01
0.04	Oats	65.91
0.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for	
	sowing	95·22 (²) (³)
0.07 A	Buckwheat	0 '``
0.07 B	Millet	35.68 (4)
0.07 C	Grain sorghum	84.62 (4)
0.07 D	Canary seed; other cereals	0 (5)
1.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	127.54
1.01 B	Rye flour	125.06
1.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	176.44
1.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	136-23

- (1) Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0:60 ECU/tonne.
- (2) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 435/80, the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.
- (3) Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 1.81 ECU/tonne.
- (4) Where millet and sorghum originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 50 %.
- (5) Where durum wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0:60 ECU/tonne.
- (6) The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 614/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2), and in particular Article 15 (6) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 129 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73 (4), and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on cereals and malt were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1659/79 (5) and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis:

— in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within

- a band of 2.25 % a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 12 March 1980;

Whereas on the basis of today's cif prices and cif forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in force, which are to be added to the levies, should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The premiums referred to in Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals and malt shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1. (5) OJ No L 193, 1. 8. 1979, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 13 March 1980 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period	2nd period	3rd period
			,	, , ,	· ·
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	1.09	1.09	1.82
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	11.65	11.65	13-11
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	0
10.03	Barley	0	2.04	2.04	2.04
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	0	0	0
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0	0	0
10.07 D	Other cereals	0	0	0	0
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	0	1.54	1.54	2.55

B. Malt

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period	4th period 7
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	1.94	1.94	3·24	3.24
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	1.45	1.45	2·42	2.42
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	3.63	3:63	3.63	3.63
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	2.71	2.71	2.71	2.71
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.16

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 615/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing minimum levies on the importation of olive oil and levies on the importation of other olive oil sector products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 590/79 (2), and in particular Article 16 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2749/78 of 23 November 1978 on trade in oils and fats between the Community and Greece (3), and in particular Article 5 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1514/76 of 24 June 1976 on imports of olive oil originating in Algeria (4), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2761/78 (5), and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1521/76 of 24 June 1976 on imports of olive oil originating in Morocco (6), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2761/78, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1508/76 of 24 June 1976 on imports of olive oil originating in Tunisia (7), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2761/78, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 of 17 May 1977 on imports into the Community of certain agricultural products originating in Turkey (8), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No. 2766/78 (9), and in particular Article 10 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1620/77 of 18 July 1977 laying down detailed rules for the importation of olive oil from Lebanon (10),

(1) OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

Whereas by Regulation (EEC) No 3131/78 of 28 December 1978 (11) the Commission decided to use the tendering procedure to fix levies on olive oil;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2751/78 of 23 November 1978 laying down general rules for fixing the import levy on olive oil by tender (12) specifies that the minimum levy rate shall be fixed for each of the products concerned on the basis of the situation on the world or Greek markets and the Community market and of the levy rates indicated by tenderers;

Whereas in the collection of the levy account should be taken of the provisions in the Agreements between the Community and certain third countries; whereas in particular the levy applicable for those countries must be fixed taking as a basis for calculation the levy to be collected on imports from the other third countries;

Whereas application of the rules recalled above to the levy rates indicated by tenderers on 10 and 11 March 1980 leads to the minimum levies being fixed as indicated in Annex I to this Regulation;

Whereas the import levy on olives falling within subheadings 07.01 N II and 07.03 A II of the Common Customs Tariff and on products falling within subheadings 15.17 B I and 23.04 A II of the Common Customs Tariff must be calculated from the minimum levy applicable on the olive oil contained in these products; whereas, however, the levy charged for olive oil may not be less than an amount equal to 8 % of the value of the imported product, such amount to be fixed at a standard rate; whereas application of these provisions leads to the levies being fixed as indicated in Annex II to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The minimum levies on olive oil imports are fixed in Annex I.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 78, 30. 3. 1979, p. 1.

OJ No L 331, 28. 11. 1978, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 24. (5) OJ No L 332, 29. 11. 1978, p. 13.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 43.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 9. (8) OJ No L 142, 9. 6. 1977, p. 10.

^(°) OJ No L 332, 29. 11. 1978, p. 26.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 181, 21. 7. 1977, p. 4.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1978, p. 60.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ No L 331, 28. 11. 1978, p. 6.

Article 2

Article 3

The levies applicable on imports of other olive oil sector products are fixed in Annex II.

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

ANNEX I

Minimum import levies on olive oil

(ECU/100 kg)

CCT heading No	Greece	Non-member countries
15.07 A I a)	8·50 (¹)	27·40 (1)
15.07 A I b)	3.50 (1)	20.25 (1)
15.07 A I c)	7.80 (1)	31.90 (1)
15.07 A II a)	4.50	34·20 (2)
15.07 A II b)	18.00	61.20 (3)

- (1) For imports of oil falling within this tariff subheading and produced entirely in one of the countries listed below and transported directly from any of those countries to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by:
 - (a) Greece, Spain and Lebanon: 0.60 ECU/100 kg;
 - (b) Turkey: 22:36 ECU/100 kg provided that the operator furnishes proof of having paid the export tax applied by that country; however, the repayment may not exceed the amount of the tax in force;
 - (c) Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia: 24:78 ECU/100 kg provided that the operator furnishes proof of having paid the export tax applied by those countries; however, the repayment may not exceed the amount of the tax in force.
- (2) For imports of oil falling within this tariff subheading:
 - (a) produced entirely in Algeria, Morocco or Tunisia and transported directly from any of those countries to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 3.86 ECU/100 kg;
 - (b) produced entirely in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 3:09 ECU/100 kg.
- (3) For imports of oil falling within this tariff subheading:
 - (a) produced entirely in Algeria, Morocco or Tunisia and transported directly from any of those countries to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 7:25 ECU/100 kg;
 - (b) produced entirely in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy to be collected is reduced by 5:80 ECU/100 kg.

ANNEX II

(ECU / 100 kg)

CCT heading No	Greece	Non-member countries
07.01 N II	0.77	4.46
07.03 A II	0.77	4.46
15.17 B I a)	1.75	10.13
15.17 B I b)	2.80	16.20
23.04 A II	0.62	2.55

Import levies on other olive oil sector products

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 616/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing the export refunds on malt

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2), and in particular the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of those Regulations and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3), provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals and cereal products on the world market on the other; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on cereal markets and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports, and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 of 29 October 1975 on the import and export system for products processed from cereals and from rice (4), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2245/78 (5), defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the refund on these products is being calculated;

Whereas it follows from applying these detailed rules to the present situation on the market in products processed from cereals and rice that the export refund should be fixed at an amount which will cover the difference between Community prices and world market prices;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for certain products according to destination;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent;

Whereas the refund must be fixed once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

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

The export refunds on malt listed in Article 1 (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 subject to Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65. (5) OJ No L 273, 29. 9. 1978. p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

ANNEX
to the Commission Regulation of 13 March 1980 fixing the export refunds on malt

	(ECU/tonne)
CCT heading No	Refund
11.07 A I b)	61.18
11.07 A II b)	79.88
11.07 B	93.09

COMMISSION DECISION No 617/80/ECSC

of 13 March 1980

amending Decision No 527/78/ECSC as regards the prohibition on alignment on offers of iron and steel products originating in certain third countries

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community, and in particular the first and second paragraphs of Article 95 thereof,

Whereas certain measures the Commission has taken relating to prices on the common market in steel have been extended for a further year; whereas the governments of certain non-member countries have assured the Commission of their cooperation over these measures; whereas by Decision No 527/78/ECSC (¹), as last amended by Decision No 934/79/ECSC (²), the Commission has suspended the Community undertakings' rights to align on offers of certain iron and steel products originating in these non-member countries;

Whereas the arrangements made with certain of the non-member countries have been extended to cover 1980; whereas Decision No 527/78/ECSC must therefore be extended to 31 December 1980;

Whereas these arrangements may cover only certain iron and steel products, and it is therefore necessary to

specify in the Annex the iron and steel products covered by this Decision;

Having consulted the Consultative Committee, and with the unanimous assent of the Council,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

- 1. Decision No 527/78/ECSC is extended to 31 December 1980.
- 2. The Annex to that Decision is replaced by the Annex to the present Decision.

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

For the Commission
Étienne DAVIGNON

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 73, 15. 3. 1978, p. 16. (2) OJ No L 117, 12. 5. 1979, p. 15.

ANNEX

The ban on alignment introduced by this Decision covers the terms offered by undertakings situated in the following countries:

1. AUSTRIA, 2. FINLAND, 3. NORWAY, 4. SWEDEN

As regards the iron and steel products for which the Commission has fixed basic prices (1) with the exception of ferro-manganese falling within Common Customs Tariff subheading 73.02 A I (2).

5. BULGARIA, 6. HUNGARY, 7. POLAND

As regards the ECSC iron and steel products falling within Common Customs Tariff heading Nos 73.01, 73.02, 73.06 to 73.13 inclusive, and 73.16; 73.15 in the forms mentioned in heading Nos 73.06 to 73.13 inclusive, excluding 73.15 A I b) 2; 73.15 A V b) 1; 73.15 B I b) 2 bb), cc), dd) and ee); 73.15 B V b) 1 bb); 73.15 B V b) 2 bb); 73.15 B VII b) 1 aa) 22 and 33; 73.15 B VII b) 1 bb) 22 and 33; 73.15 B VII b) 1 cc) 22 and 33; 73.15 B VII b) 2 bb) 22 and 33.

8. AUSTRALIA

As regards the ECSC iron and steel products falling within the following NIMEXE codes (3):

73.06-10	73.10-18	73.13-26	73.13-86	73.71-24	73.74-72
73.06-20	73.10-42	73.13-32	73.13-91	73.71-29	73.75-11
73.06-30	73.11-11	73.13-34	73.13-93	73.71-53	73.75-19
73.07-12	73.11-12	73.13-36	73.13-94	73.72-11	73.75-23
73.07-21	73.11-14	73.13-43	73.13-98	73.72-13	73.75-33
73.07-24	73.11-16	73.13-45	73.61-20	73.72-19	73.75-43
73.08-01	73.11-19	73.13-47	73.62-10	73.72-33	73.75-63
73.08-03	73.11-41	73.13-49	73.62-30	73.72-39	73.75-73
73.08-05	73.11-50	73.13-50	73.63-29	73.73-23	73.75-79
73.08-07	73.12-11	73.13-64	73.63-72	73.73-25	73.75-83
73.08-21	73.12-19	73.13-65	73.64-20	73.73-26	73.75-84
73.08-25	73.12-21	73.13-67	73.64-72	73.73-29	73.75-89
73.08-29	73.12-51	73.13-68	73.65-21	73.73-33	73.16-14
73.08-41	73.12-71	73.13-72	73.65-23	73.73-35	73.16-16
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73.09-00	73.13-17	73.13-78	73.65-70	73.73-72	73.16-40
73.10-11	73.13-19	73.13-79	73.65-81	73.74-21	73.16-51
73.10-13	73.13-21	73.13-82	73.71-21	73.74-23	
73.10-16	73.13-23	73.13-84	73.71-23	73.74-29	

Ordinary steels are covered by heading Nos 73.06 to 73.13 inclusive and 73.16. High carbon and alloy steels are covered by heading Nos 73.61 to 73.75 inclusive. Semis are covered by heading Nos 73.06, 73.07, 73.61 and 73.71.

9. SPAIN

As regards the ECSC iron and steel products falling within Common Customs Tariff heading Nos 73.01, 73.06 to 73.13 inclusive and 73.15 to 73.16 inclusive, excluding 73.15 A I b) 2; 73.15 A V b) 1; 73.15 B 1 b) 2 bb), cc), dd), and ee); 73.15 B V b) 1 bb); 73.15 B V b) 2 bb); 73.15 B VII b) 1 aa) 22 and 33; 73.15 B VII b) 1 bb) 22 and 33; 73.15 B VII b) 2 bb) 22 and 33.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 344, 31. 12. 1979, p. 15.
(2) Annex to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3000/79 of 20 December 1979 (OJ No L 342, 31. 12. 1979, p. 1).
(3) Nomenclature of goods for the external trade statistics of the Community and statistics of trade between Member States (NIMEXE) (OJ No L 346, 31. 12. 1979, p. 1).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 618/80

of 13 March 1980

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on dinoseb (ISO), falling within subheading 29.07 C ex III and originating in Romania, to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79 of 10 December 1979 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain products originating in developing countries (1), and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) and (4) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling, expressed in European units of account, which will be equal — with the exception of certain products the value of the ceilings for which is given in Annex A thereto — to the sum arrived at by adding together the value of the products in question imported cif into the Community in 1977 and coming from countries and territories covered by those arrangements, but not including products coming from countries and territories already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5% of the value of 1977 cif imports coming from other countries and from countries and territories already covered by such arrangements; whereas, however, the ceiling resulting from the sum of this addition may in no case exceed 110 or 115 % of the preferential ceiling opened for 1979;

Whereas, having regard to that ceiling, the amounts for products originating in any one of the countries or territories listed in Annex B to that Regulation should be within a maximum Community amount representing 50 % of that ceiling, with the exception of certain products for which the maximum amount is to be reduced to the percentage indicated in Annex A thereto; whereas, for these products, this reduction will be 25 %;

Whereas Article 2 (2) and (3) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time in respect of imports of the products in question originating in any of the said countries or territories — with the exception of those

(1) OJ No L 328, 24. 12. 1979, p. 25.

listed in Annex C thereto — once the relevant Community amount has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of dinoseb (ISO), falling within subheading 29.07 C ex III, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 75 000 European units of account, and therefore the maximum amount is 18 750 European units of account; whereas, on 7 March 1980, the amounts of imports into the Community of dinoseb (ISO), falling within subheading 29.07 C ex III and originating in Romania, a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that maximum amount; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79 which provides that maximum amounts should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question in relation to Romania,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 17 March 1980, the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in Romania:

CCT heading No	Description -
29.07	Halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitro- sated derivatives of phenols or phenol- alcohols:
	C. Nitrated and nitrosated derivatives:
	ex III. Dinoseb (ISO)

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.

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

For the Commission
Christopher TUGENDHAT
Member of the Commission

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 619/80

of 13 March 1980

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on inner tubes and tyre cases, etc., falling within heading No ex 40.11 and originating in South Korea, to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79 of 10 December 1979 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain products originating in developing countries (1), and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) and (4) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling, expressed in European units of account, which will be equal — with the exception of certain products the value of the ceilings for which is given in Annex A thereto — to the sum arrived at by adding together the value of the products in question imported cif into the Community in 1977 and coming from countries and territories covered by those arrangements, but not including products coming from countries and territories already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5% of the value of 1977 cif imports coming from other countries and from countries and territories already covered by such arrangements; whereas, however, the ceiling resulting from the sum of this addition may in no case exceed 110 or 115 % of the preferential ceiling opened for 1979;

Whereas, having regard to that ceiling, the amounts for products originating in any one of the countries or territories listed in Annex B to that Regulation should be within a maximum Community amount representing 50 % of that ceiling, with the exception of certain products for which the maximum amount is to be reduced to the percentage indicated in Annex A thereto; whereas, for these products, this reduction will be 20 %;

Whereas Article 2 (2) and (3) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time in respect of imports of the products in question originating in any of the said countries or territories — with the exception of those listed in Annex C thereto — once the relevant Community amount has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of inner tubes and tyre cases, etc., falling within heading No ex 40.11, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 4 808 000 European units of account, and therefore the maximum amount is 961 600 European units of account; whereas, on 6 March 1980, the amounts of imports into the Community of inner tubes and tyre cases, etc., falling within heading No ex 40.11 and originating in South Korea, a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that maximum amount; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79 which provides that maximum amounts should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question in relation to South Korea,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 17 March 1980, the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2789/79, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in South Korea:

CCT heading No	Description
ex 40.11	Rubber tyres, tyre cases, interchangeable tyre treads, inner tubes and tyre flaps, for wheels of all kinds:
	 Inner tubes and tyre cases (new or used) of the kind used on bicycles, cycles with an auxiliary motor, motor- cycles or motor-scooters

Article 2

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 328, 24. 12. 1979, p. 25.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

For the Commission
Christopher TUGENDHAT
Member of the Commission

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 620/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 590/79 (2), and in particular Article 27 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 27 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC provides that a subsidy should be granted in respect of oil seeds harvested and processed within the Community when the target price for a species of seed is higher than the price on the world market; whereas these provisions at present apply only in respect of colza, rape and sunflower seeds;

Whereas the subsidy on oil seeds should, theoretically, be equal to the difference between those two prices;

Whereas the target price and the monthly increases in the target price for oil seeds for the 1979/80 marketing year were fixed by Regulations (EEC) No 1294/79 (3) and (EEC) No 1295/79 (4); whereas Article 29 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC provides that the world market price, calculated for a Community frontier crossing point, is to be determined on the basis of the most favourable purchasing opportunities, quotations being adjusted where necessary to take account of quotations for competing products;

Whereas Article 4 of Council Regulation No 115/ 67/EEC of 6 June 1967 laying down criteria for determining world market prices for oil seeds and fixing the frontier crossing point (5) fixed the said crossing point at Rotterdam; whereas Article 1 of that Regulation provides that when the world market price is being determined account should be taken of all offers on the world market known to the Commission and of quotations on those exchanges which are significant for international trade; whereas Article 2 of Commission Regulation No 225/67/EEC of 28 June 1967 on detailed rules for determining the world market price for oil seeds (6), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1393/79 (7), provides that offers and quotations which do not relate to shipments to be effected within 30 days following the date on which the world market price is determined should be disregarded; whereas offers and quotations which the Commission believes, in view of general price movements or information available to it, not to be representative of the real trend of the market must also be disregarded; whereas offers and quotations relating to quantities of less than 500 tonnes and offers relating to seed of a quality other than that normally acceptable on the world market must also be disregarded;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 225/67/EEC provides that of the offers and quotations taken into consideration, those for delivery c and f should be increased by 0.2 %; whereas offers and quotations for delivery fas, fob or otherwise should be increased, as appropriate, by loading, transport and insurance costs from the point of shipment or loading to the frontier crossing point; whereas cif offers and quotations for frontier crossing points other than Rotterdam should be adjusted to allow for the difference in transport and insurance costs as compared with a product delivered cif Rotterdam; whereas the Commission should take account only of the loading, transport and insurance costs which to its knowledge are the lowest; whereas, finally, offers and quotations for delivery cif Rotterdam should be increased by 0.20 unit of account;

Whereas Article 5 of Regulation No 115/67/EEC provides that the world market price should be determined for seed of the standard quality for which the target price has been fixed, delivered in bulk;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 78, 30. 3. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 162, 30. 6. 1979, p. 13.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 162, 30. 6. 1979, p. 14.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No 111, 10. 6. 1967, p. 2196/67.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No 136, 30. 6. 1967, p. 2919/67. (7) OJ No L 167, 5. 7. 1979, p. 21.

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 225/67/EEC provides that offers and quotations relating to products presented otherwise than in bulk should be adjusted by deducting the additional value resulting from that presentation; whereas offers and quotations relating to a quality other than the standard quality for which the target price was fixed should be adjusted on the basis of the coefficients of equivalence shown in the Annex to that Regulation; whereas, in the case of offers on the world market for qualities of colza and rape seed other than those listed in that Annex, coefficients of equivalence derived from those listed in that Annex may, pursuant to Article 4 of Regulation No 225/67/EEC, be applied; whereas, when derived coefficients are being calculated, account must be taken of the differences between prices for the qualities of seed in question and prices for the qualities listed in that Annex, and of the characteristics of these various seeds;

Whereas Article 2 of Regulation No 115/67/EEC provides that, where no offer or quotation can be used as a basis for determining the world market price, that price should be determined on the basis of the value of the average quantities of oil and oil cake resulting from the processing of 100 kilograms of seed within the Community less an amount corresponding to the cost of processing these seeds into oil and oil cake; whereas the quantities and costs to be taken into consideration for the purposes of the calculation are fixed in Article 5 of Regulation No 225/67/EEC; whereas the value of those quantities should be determined in accordance with Article 6 of that Regulation;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 115/67/EEC provides that, where no offer or quotation can be used as a basis for determining the world market price and where it is, moreover, impossible to establish the value of the oil or oil cake processed from such seed, the world market price should be determined on the basis of the most recent known value for oil or oil cake, adjusted to take account of the trend of world prices for competing products by applying to that value the rules set out in Article 2 of Regulation No 115/ 67/EEC; whereas Article 7 of Regulation No 225/ 67/EEC defines competing products as those oils or oil cakes, as the case may be, which appear to have been offered in the largest quantities on the world market during the period under consideration;

Whereas Article 6 (1) of Regulation No 115/67/EEC provides that, when the world market price of a type of seed is being determined, the price used should be adjusted by an amount not exceeding the margin between:

- the difference between the price of 100 kilograms of colza, rape or sunflower seeds, plus processing costs, and the total of the prices of the quantities of oil and oil cake resulting from the processing of the type of seed in question, and
- the difference between the price of 100 kilograms of one or more other seeds, plus processing costs, and the total of the prices of the quantities of oil and oil cake resulting from the processing of these seeds;

Whereas the factors to be taken into consideration for the purpose of determining that margin are defined in Article 8 of Regulation No 225/67/EEC; whereas no adjustment should be made where the margin is found to be less than 0.50 unit of account; whereas Article 6 (2) of Regulation No 115/67/EEC provides that, when the amount of the adjustment is being determined, account should be taken of the incidence of the margin in question on marketing operations of Community traders and on the disposal of the various types of seed on the world market;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2114/71 of 28 September 1971 on the subsidy for oil seeds (1), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 851/78 (2), laid down rules for granting the subsidy on oil seeds; whereas, under that Regulation, where the subsidy to be granted is fixed in advance, the amount of such subsidy must be equal to the amount applicable on the day on which the application for advance fixing was lodged, adjusted by the difference between the target price valid on that day and the target price valid on the day on which the seeds are placed under control at an oil mill and, where appropriate, a corrective amount; whereas Article 36 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1204/72 of 7 June 1972 laying down detailed rules for the application of the subsidy system for oil seeds (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 607/80 (4), provides that such adjustment should involve increasing or reducing the amount of subsidy applicable on the day on which the application was lodged by the difference between the target price valid during the month during which the seeds were placed under control at an oil mill and the target price valid on the day on which the application was lodged;

Whereas Article 38 of Regulation (EEC) No 1204/72 provides that the corrective amount must be equal to the difference between the world market price for colza, rape and sunflower seeds and the forward price for those seeds valid for a shipment effected during the month in which the seeds were placed under control at an oil mill, those prices being determined in accordance with Articles 1, 4 and 5 of Regulation

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 1 222, 2. 10. 1971, p. 2.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 116, 28. 4. 1978, p. 4. (3) OJ No L 133, 10. 6. 1972, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 67, 13. 3. 1980, p. 11.

115/67/EEC; whereas, if no offer and no price can be used for such determination, the method of calculation provided for in Article 38 of Regulation (EEC) No 1204/72 should be used; whereas the above-mentioned difference may be adjusted pursuant to Article 39 of Regulation (EEC) No 1204/72, account being taken of prices for soya seeds on the world market;

Whereas the subsidy should be fixed whenever the market situation makes it necessary and in such a way as to ensure its being applied at least once a week; whereas the subsidy may be altered whenever it becomes obvious that such alteration is necessary;

Whereas, if the subsidy system is to operate normally, subsidies should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent;

Whereas in the absence of the indicative price for the 1980/81 marketing year for colza and rape seed, in case of pre-fixation for the months of July and August 1980, the amount of subsidy on these products has been obtainable only on the basis of the indicative

price for the months of July and August 1979; whereas this amount may, therefore, be applied on a temporary basis and should be confirmed or replaced when the indicative price for the 1980/81 marketing year is known;

Whereas it follows from applying these provisions to the offers and quotations known to the Commission that the subsidy on colza, rape and sunflower seeds should be as set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

- 1. The amount of the subsidy referred to in Article 27 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.
- 2. The amount of the subsidy for the months of July and August 1980 will, however, for colza and rape seed, be confirmed or replaced as from 14 March 1980 to take into account the indicative price which is fixed for these products for the 1980/81 marketing year.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 13 March 1980 fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds

(ECU / 100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description	Subsidy
ex 12.01 ex 12.01	Colza and rape seed Sunflower seed	18·610 22·024

(ECU / 100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description	Subsidy in the case of advance fixing for the month of					
		March 1980	April 1980	May 1980	June 1980	July 1980	August 1980
ex 12.01	Colza and rape seed	18.610	18-610	18.610	18.319	15·652 (¹)	15.652 (1)
ex 12.01	Sunflower seed	22.024	22.024	22.024	21.952	******	_

⁽¹⁾ Subject to confirmation.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 621/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing the world market price for colza and rape seed

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the markets in oils and fats (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 590/79 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72 of 20 July 1972 laying down special measures for colza and rape seed (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 852/78 (4),

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 of 23 August 1973 laying down detailed rules for applying differential amounts for colza and rape seed and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 1464/73 (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 336/80 (6), and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 9 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73, the Commission must determine the world market price for colza and rape seed;

Whereas the world market price should be determined in accordance with the rules and the criteria set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 620/80

of 13 March 1980 fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds (7);

Whereas, if the price system is to operate normally, the world market price should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent;

Whereas it follows from applying these provisions that the world market price for colza and rape seed should be as set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The world market price referred to in Article 9 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 78, 30. 3. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 167, 25. 7. 1972, p. 9.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 116, 28. 4. 1978, p. 6.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 236, 24. 8. 1973, p. 28. (6) OJ No L 37, 14. 2. 1980, p. 17.

⁽⁷⁾ See page 16 of this Official Journal.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 13 March 1980 fixing the world market price for colza and rape seed

(ECU/100 kg)(1)

CCT heading No	Description	World market price
ex 12.01	Colza and rape seed	20.467

(ECU/100 kg)(')

CCT heading No	Description	World market price where the subsidy is fixed in advance for the month of					
	Description	March 1980	April 1980	May 1980	June 1980	July 1980	August 1980
ex 12.01	Colza and rape seed	20-467	20·467	20:467	20.758	20.758	20.758

⁽¹⁾ The conversion rates from ECU into national currency as foreseen by Article 9 (5) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 are the following:

1 ECU = DM2.48208 1 ECU = DM 1 ECU = Fl 1 ECU = Bfr/Lfr 1 ECU = FF 1 ECU = Dkr 1 ECU = 1 £ 1 ECU = £ 1 ECU = Lit 2.74362 39.7897 5.84700 7.72336 0.668201 0.618487

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COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 622/80

of 13 March 1980

altering the basic amount of the import levy on syrups and certain other sugar products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1396/78 (2), and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the basic amount of the import levy on syrups and certain other sugar products was fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 499/80 (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 608/80 (4);

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 499/80 to the infor-

mation known to the Commission that the basic amount of the levy at present in force should be altered to the amount set out below,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The basic amount of the import levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 shall be, per 100 kilograms of product, 0.1336 ECU per percentage point of sucrose content.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 170, 27. 6. 1978, p. 1. (3) OJ No L 58, 1. 3. 1980, p. 17.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 67, 13. 3. 1980, p. 12.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) 623/80

of 13 March 1980

fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1396/78 (2), and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1328/79 (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 609/80 (4);

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1328/79 to the information known to the Commission that the levies

at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies referred to in Article 15 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 shall be, in respect of white sugar and standard quality raw sugar, as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 March 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 March 1980.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 13 March 1980 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

		(ECU / 100 kg
CCT heading No	Description	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, in solid form: A. White sugar; flavoured or coloured sugar	13·36
	B. Raw sugar	8.28 (1)

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 %; if the yield is other than 92 %, the levy applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1. (2) OJ No L 170, 27. 6. 1978, p. 1. (3) OJ No L 162, 30. 6. 1979, p. 85.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 67, 13. 3. 1980, p. 13.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 21 February 1980

fixing the maximum export refund on common wheat in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EEC) No 107/80

(80/296/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3), and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas an invitation to tender for the export refund on common wheat was issued under Commission Regulation (EEC) No 107/80 (4);

Whereas, pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 279/75 (5), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2944/78 (6), the Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in Article 26 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, may decide to fix a maximum export refund; whereas in fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 must be taken into account; whereas a contract is awarded to any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the maximum export refund;

Whereas the application of the abovementioned criteria to the current market situation for the cereal in question results in the maximum export refund being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1;

Whereas the Management Committee for Cereals has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum export refund on common wheat to be exported pursuant to the invitation to tender for the export of common wheat issued in Regulation (EEC) No 107/80 is hereby fixed on the basis of the tenders submitted by 21 February 1980 at 59.00 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 21 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 14, 19. 1. 1980, p. 24.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 31, 5. 2. 1975, p. 8. (6) OJ No L 351, 15. 12. 1978, p. 16.

of 21 February 1980

fixing the maximum export refund on barley in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EEC) No 108/80

(80/297/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3), and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas an invitation to tender for the export refund on barley was issued under Commission Regulation (EEC) No 108/80 (4);

Whereas, pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 279/75 (5), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2944/78 (6), the Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in Article 26 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, may decide to fix a maximum export refund; whereas in fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 must be taken into account; whereas a contract is awarded to any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the maximum export refund;

Whereas the application of the abovementioned criteria to the current market situation for the cereal in question results in the maximum export refund being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1;

Whereas the Management Committee for Cereals has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum export refund on barley to be exported pursuant to the invitation to tender for the export of barley issued in Regulation (EEC) No 108/80 is hereby fixed on the basis of the tenders submitted by 21 February 1980 at 64.40 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 21 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 14, 19. 1. 1980, p. 27.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 31, 5. 2. 1975, p. 8. (6) OJ No L 351, 15. 12. 1978, p. 16.

of 21 February 1980

fixing the maximum export refund on common wheat in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EEC) No 1990/79

(80/298/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3), and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas an invitation to tender for the export refund on common wheat was issued under Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1990/79 (4), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 69/80 of 15 January 1980 (5);

Whereas, pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 279/75 (6), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2944/78 (7), the Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in Article 26 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, may decide to fix a maximum export refund; whereas in fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 must be taken into account; whereas a contract is awarded to any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the maximum export refund;

Whereas the application of the abovementioned criteria to the current market situation for the cereal in question results in the maximum export refund being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1;

Whereas the Management Committee for Cereals has not delivered an opinion within the timelimit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum export refund on common wheat to be exported pursuant to the invitation to tender for the export of common wheat issued in Regulation (EEC) No 1990/79 is hereby fixed on the basis of the tenders submitted by 21 February 1980 at 60-24 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 21 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 229, 11. 9. 1979, p. 12. (5) OJ No L 11, 16. 1. 1980, p. 8.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 31, 5. 2. 1975, p. 8.

^{(&}lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ No L 351, 15. 12. 1978, p. 16.

of 21 February 1980

fixing the maximum export refund on barley in connection with the invitation to tender issued in Regulation (EEC) No 2293/79

(80/299/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3), and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas an invitation to tender for the export refund on barley was issued under Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2293/79 (4), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 70/80 of 15 January 1980 (5);

Whereas, pursuant to Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 279/75 (6), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2944/78 (7), the Commission, acting under the procedure laid down in Article 26 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, may decide to fix a maximum export refund; whereas in fixing this maximum the criteria provided for in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 must be taken into account; whereas a contract is awarded to any tenderer whose tender is equal to or less than the maximum export refund;

Whereas the application of the abovementioned criteria to the current market situation for the cereal in question results in the maximum export refund being fixed at the amount specified in Article 1;

Whereas the Management Committee for Cereals has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum export refund on barley to be exported pursuant to the invitation to tender for the export of barley issued in Regulation (EEC) No 2293/79 is hereby fixed on the basis of the tenders submitted by 21 February 1980 at 64.40 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 21 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78. (4) OJ No L 263, 19. 10. 1979, p. 14.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 11, 16. 1. 1980, p. 10.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 31, 5. 2. 1975, p. 8.

^{(&}lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ No L 351, 15. 12. 1978, p. 16.

of 22 February 1980

on the transport of common wheat for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees as food aid

(Only the French text is authentic)

(80/300/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1547/79 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down the conditions for the mobilization of cereals as food aid (3), and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 696/76 of 25 March 1976 derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75 in respect of mobilization procedures for cereals to be supplied as food aid (4),

Whereas, by means of Regulation (EEC) No 372/80 (5), the Commission has opened an invitation to tender for the supply cif to the port of Karachi of 12 000 tonnes of common wheat destined for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees;

Whereas these goods must be transported from the port of Karachi to its final destination at Quetta and Pechawar;

Whereas, in order to satisfy the particular requirements of the measure in question, and to take account of local transport conditions, use should be made of a quicker and more flexible procedure than the invitation to tender; whereas, therefore, the intervention agency responsible for the tendering procedure for the supply cif should be allowed to conclude, for delivery to the final stage, contracts relating to all or part of the transport to be carried out;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

- 1. The Office national interprofessionnel des céréales (ONIC), 21, avenue Bosquet, Paris 7^e (intervention agency) shall conclude one or more direct award contracts for the transport from Karachi of 12 000 tonnes of common wheat destined for the United Nations High Commissionner for Refugees, namely:
- 2 400 tonnes delivered unloaded at Quetta,
- 9 600 tonnes delivered unloaded at Pechawar.
- 2. In concluding the direct award contract(s), the ONIC must seek the most favourable conditions.

Article 2

- 1. A security of 6 ECU per tonne of product shall be lodged by the party concerned at the time of the signature of the contract. It shall be released on completion of the operations in question and as regards the quantities not delivered in the event of force majeure.
- 2. The security referred to in paragraph 1 may be lodged in cash or in the form of a guarantee given by a credit establishment satisfying the requirements laid down by the Member State.

Article 3

The intervention agency shall require the following information from the party concerned:

- (a) after each shipment, an attestation detailing the quantities loaded, the quality of the products and their form of packing;
- (b) the date of departure and the date set for the arrival of the products at their destination;
- (c) any incident which may occur during transport of the products.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 1. (3) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 89.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 83, 30. 3. 1976, p. 8.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 40, 16. 2. 1980, p. 34.

The intervention agency shall forward, as soon as it has received them, the above particulars to the Commission together with a copy of the direct award contract(s).

Article 4

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 22 February 1980.

of 25 February 1980

amending Decision 70/47/EEC exempting the French Republic from applying to certain species the Council Directives of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of fodder plant and cereal seed

(Only the French text is authentic)

(80/301/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 66/401/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of fodder plant seed (1), as last amended by Directive 79/692/EEC (2), and in particular Article 23a thereof,

Whereas the French Republic was exempted by Commission Decision 70/47/EEC (3) from applying to certain species the Council Directives of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of fodder plant and cereal seed;

Whereas the production and marketing of seed of the species Persian clover (Trifolium resupinatum L.) has since proved likely to develop in France;

Whereas, therefore, the conditions for granting exemption for this species are no longer fulfilled and the exemption must be revoked;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The exemption from applying Directive 66/401/EEC granted to the French Republic by Article 1 (1) of Directive 70/47/EEC is hereby revoked in so far as it concerns the species Trifolium resupinatum L. (Persian clover).

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 25 February 1980.

⁽¹) OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2298/66. (²) OJ No L 205, 13. 8. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 13, 19. 1. 1970, p. 26.

of 25 February 1980

amending Decision 76/653/EEC authorizing the Kingdom of Denmark and the French Republic to certify seed of certain species of cereals, under special conditions

(Only the Danish and French texts are authentic)

(80/302/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 66/402/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of cereal seed (1), as last amended by Directive 79/692/EEC (2), and in particular Article 2 (2) (d) thereof,

Having regard to the requests made by the Kingdom of Denmark and the French Republic,

Whereas as a general rule all cereal seed production must undergo official field inspections;

Whereas, however, the abovementioned Directive permits this obligation to be dispensed with under certain conditions for the production of seed of the categories 'certified seed, first generation' and 'certified seed, second generation';

Whereas Commission Decision 76/653/EEC (3) authorized the Kingdom of Denmark and the French Republic, until 31 December 1978, to certify seed of certain species of cereals, under special conditions;

Whereas Council Directive 78/1020/EEC (4) provides for the possibility of granting an additional period in order to acquire the necessary experience for a more general and definitive solution.

Whereas it has been established that the Kingdom of Denmark and the French Republic are able to continue to fulfil these conditions; Whereas the requests by these two countries should therefore be granted;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seed and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

In Article 1 of Decision 76/653/EEC, the date '31 December 1978' shall be replaced by '31 December 1980'.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Kingdom of Denmark and the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 25 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2309/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 205, 13. 8. 1979, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 229, 20. 8. 1976, p. 32.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 350, 14. 12. 1978, p. 27.

of 25 February 1980

authorizing the United Kingdom to permit temporarily the marketing of seed of specific varieties of rye, chiefly intended for use as fodder, which do not satisfy the conditions of Directive 66/402/EEC

(Only the English text is authentic)

(80/303/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 66/402/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of cereal seed (1), as last amended by Directive 79/692/EEC (2), and in particular Article 2 (1c) thereof,

Having regard to the request made by the United Kingdom,

Whereas Directive 66/402/EEC permits a temporary relaxation of Community standards in the case of seeds of specific varieties of rye, chiefly intended for use as fodder, in order to overcome the temporary difficulties which exist in certain Community regions in relation to these products;

Whereas such difficulties exist in the United Kingdom;

Whereas the United Kingdom should therefore be authorized to permit the marketing of such seed provided that it is intanded exclusively for the United Kingdom;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seed and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The United Kingdom is hereby authorized to permit for a period expiring on 30 June 1982 the marketing on its territory of seed of rye (Secale cereale L.) of the following varieties:

- Greenfold,
- Lovaszpatonai,
- Rheidol,
- Rhyader,
- Tetragorzow,

which does not satisfy the conditions laid down in Annex II to Directive 66/402/EEC as far as they concern minimum germination capacity in certified seed, provided that the following requirements are satisfied:

- (a) the germination capacity is at least 75 % of pure seed;
- (b) the official label bears the supplementary indications:
 - 'minimum germination capacity 75 %',
 - 'intended exclusively for the United Kingdom'.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the United Kingdom.

Done at Brussels, 25 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966, p. 2309/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 205, 13. 8. 1979, p. 1.

COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

of 25 February 1980

amending Annex II to Council Directive 69/208/EEC on the marketing of seed of oil and fibre plants

(80/304/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 69/208/EEC of 30 June 1969 on the marketing of seed of oil and fibre plants (1), as last amended by Directive 79/641/EEC (2), and in particular Article 20a thereof,

Whereas, in the light of developments in scientific and technical knowledge, Annex II to the said Directive should be amended for the reasons set out below;

Whereas the standard as regards sclerotia or fragments of sclerotia of Sclerotinia sclerotiorum to be satisfied by swede rape seed should be adapted to the seed quality normally achieved;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Directive are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE:

Article 1

In item 3A of section I of Annex II to Directive 69/208/EEC the species 'Brassica napus spp oleifera'

is deleted and reinserted before the species 'Brassica rapa' with the number '10 (b)' in column 5.

Article 2

- 1. Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations or administrative provisions necessary to comply with this Directive not later than 1 July 1980.
- 2. Member States shall ensure that seed of oil and fibre plants is subject to no marketing restrictions due to different dates of implementation of this Directive.

Article 3

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 25 February 1980.

⁽¹) OJ No L 169, 10. 7. 1969, p. 3. (²) OJ No L 183, 19. 7. 1979, p. 13.

of 27 February 1980

fixing the maximum amount of the export refund for the 129th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued under Regulation (EEC) No 1634/77

(80/305/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1396/78 (2), and in particular Article 19 (4) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1634/77 of 19 July 1977 on a standing invitation to tender to determine export refunds for white sugar (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1573/79 (4), requires partial invitations to tender to be issued for the export of this sugar;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 4 (3) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 766/68 of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on sugar (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1489/76 (6), the maximum amount of the refund is fixed for partial invitations to tender within three working days following the expiry of the time limit for the submission of tenders;

Whereas, when the maximum amount of the refund is being calcaulated, account must be taken of the supply situation and prices within the Community, prices and potential outlets on the world market and costs incurred in exporting sugar; Whereas, following an examination of the tenders submitted in response to the 129th partial invitation to tender, the provisions set out in Article 1 should be adopted;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The maximum amount of the export refund for the 129th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued under Regulation (EEC) No 1634/77 is hereby fixed at 7.721 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 27 February 1980.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 170, 27. 6. 1978, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 181, 21. 7. 1977, p. 35. (4) OJ No L 188, 26. 7. 1979, p. 44.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 13.