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I

(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 290/85

of 4 February 1985

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 1018/84⁽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 3131/84⁽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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient

provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 974/71⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 855/84⁽⁷⁾,

- 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, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 1 February 1985;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 3131/84 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 5 February 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, 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 293, 10. 11. 1984, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 4 February 1985 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

		<i>(ECU/tonne)</i>
CCT heading No	Description	Levies
10.01 B I	Common wheat, and meslin	60,78
10.01 B II	Durum wheat	108,11 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
10.02	Rye	76,87 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	80,57
10.04	Oats	55,44
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	63,57 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	49,26 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	77,14 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D I	Triticale	(7)
10.07 D II	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	99,78
11.01 B	Rye flour	122,31
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	180,38
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	105,90

⁽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.

⁽⁷⁾ The levy applicable to rye shall be charged on imports of the product falling within subheading 10.07 D I (triticale).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 291/85
of 4 February 1985

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 1018/84⁽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 2222/84⁽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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient

provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 974/71⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 855/84⁽⁷⁾,

- 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, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 1 February 1985;

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 5 February 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, 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 205, 1. 8. 1984, p. 4.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.
⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 4 February 1985 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 2	1st period 3	2nd period 4	3rd period 5
10.01 B I	Common wheat, and meslin	0	3,12	3,12	0,95
10.01 B II	Durum wheat	0	0	0	11,51
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	0
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	5,46	5,46	6,82
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	2,73
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	4,37	4,37	1,33

B. Malt

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 2	1st period 3	2nd period 4	3rd period 5	4th period 6
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	5,55	5,55	1,69	1,69
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	4,15	4,15	1,26	1,26
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 292/85

of 4 February 1985

fixing for Great Britain the level of the variable slaughter premium for sheep and the amounts to be charged on products leaving region 5

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 of 27 June 1980 on the common organization of the market in sheepmeat and goatmeat⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 871/84⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84 of 8 June 1984 laying down detailed rules for applying the variable slaughter premium for sheep and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2661/80⁽³⁾, and in particular Articles 3 (1) and 4 (1) thereof,

Whereas the United Kingdom is the only country which grants the variable slaughter premium, in region 5, within the meaning of Article 3 (5) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80; whereas it is necessary therefore for the Commission to fix, for the week beginning 7 January 1985, the level of the premium and the amount to be charged on products leaving that region;

Whereas Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84 stipulates that the level of the variable slaughter premium is to be fixed each week by the Commission;

Whereas Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1633/84 lays down that the amount to be charged on products leaving region 5 shall be fixed weekly by the Commission;

Whereas it follows from the application of the rules laid down in Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 and in Article 4 (1) and (3) of Regulation

(EEC) No 1633/84 that the variable slaughter premium for sheep certified as eligible in the United Kingdom, and the amounts to be charged on products leaving region 5 of the aforesaid Member State during the week beginning 7 January 1985, shall be set out in the Annexes hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For sheep or sheepmeat certified as eligible in the United Kingdom in region 5, within the meaning of Article 3 (5) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80, for the variable slaughter premium during the week beginning 7 January 1985 the level of the premium shall be equivalent to the amount fixed in Annex I.

Article 2

For products referred to in Article 1 (a) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 which left the territory of region 5 during the week beginning 7 January 1985, the amounts to be charged shall be equivalent to those fixed in Annex II hereto.

Article 3

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

It shall apply with effect from 7 January 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 183, 16. 7. 1980, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 35.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 154, 9. 6. 1984, p. 27.

ANNEX I

Level of variable slaughter premium for certified sheep in region 5 for the week commencing 7 January 1985

Description	Premium
Certified sheep or sheepmeat	106,494 ECU per 100 kilograms of estimated or actual dressed carcase weight ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Within the weight limits laid down by the United Kingdom.

ANNEX II

Amount to be charged for products leaving region 5 during the week commencing
7 January 1985

(ECU/100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description	Charge
		Live weight
01.04 B	Live sheep and goats other than pure-bred breeding animals	50,052
		Net weight
02.01 A IV a)	Meat of sheep or goats, fresh or chilled :	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases	106,494
	2. Short forequarters	74,546
	3. Chines and/or best ends	117,143
	4. Legs	138,442
	5. Other :	
	aa) Unboned (bone-in)	138,442
	bb) Boned or boneless	193,819
02.01 A IV b)	Meat of sheep or goats, frozen :	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases	79,871
	2. Short forequarters	55,910
	3. Chines and/or best ends	87,858
	4. Legs	103,832
	5. Other :	
	aa) Unboned (bone-in)	103,832
	bb) Boned or boneless	145,365
02.06 C II a)	Meat of sheep or goats, salted in brine, dried or smoked :	
	1. Unboned (bone-in)	138,442
	2. Boned or boneless	193,819
ex 16.02 B III b) 2 aa) 11)	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal of sheep or goats, uncooked ; mixtures of cooked meat or offal and uncooked meat or offal :	
	— unboned (bone-in)	138,442
	— boned or boneless	193,819

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 293/85
of 4 February 1985
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 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 606/82⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 16 (8) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1854/84⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 288/85⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1854/84 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 16 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 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 5 February 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

- ⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 74, 18. 3. 1982, p. 1.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 172, 30. 6. 1984, p. 53.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 30, 2. 2. 1985, p. 15.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 4 February 1985 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

CCT heading No	Description	Levy (ECU/100 kg)
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, in solid form : A. White sugar: flavoured or coloured sugar B. Raw sugar	45,72 40,83 ⁽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.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 294/85

of 4 February 1985

fixing the amounts to be levied in the beef sector on products which left the United Kingdom during the week 14 to 20 January 1985

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1063/84 of 16 April 1984 on the granting of a premium for the slaughter of certain adult bovine animals in the United Kingdom during the 1984/85 marketing year⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas, under Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1063/84, an amount equivalent to the amount of the variable slaughter premium granted in the United Kingdom is levied on meat and meat preparations from animals on which it has been paid, when they are consigned to other Member States or to non-member countries;

Whereas, under Article 7 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1355/84 of 16 May 1984 laying down detailed rules for the application of the premium for the slaughter of certain adult bovine animals for slaughter in the United Kingdom during the 1984/85 marketing year⁽²⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2018/84⁽³⁾, the amounts to be charged on departure from the territory of the United Kingdom of the

products listed in the Annex to the said Regulation must be fixed each week by the Commission;

Whereas, accordingly, the amounts to be levied on products which left the United Kingdom during the week 14 to 20 January 1985 should be fixed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Pursuant to Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1063/84, the amounts to be levied on the products referred to in Article 7 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1355/84 which left the territory of the United Kingdom during the week 14 to 20 January 1985 shall be those set out in the Annex.

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 with effect from 14 January 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 105, 18. 4. 1984, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 131, 17. 5. 1984, p. 19.

(3) OJ No L 187, 14. 7. 1984, p. 46.

ANNEX

Amounts to be levied on products which left the territory of the United Kingdom during
the week 14 to 20 January 1985

(ECU/100 kg net weight)

CCT heading No	Description	Amount
1	2	3
ex 02.01 A II a) and ex 02.01 A II b)	Meat of adult bovine animals, fresh, chilled or frozen :	
	1. Carcases, half-carcases or 'compensated' quarters	26,26474
	2. Separated or unseparated forequarters	21,01179
	3. Separated or unseparated hindquarters	31,51769
	4. Other :	
	aa) Unboned (bone-in)	21,01179
	bb) Boned or boneless	35,98269
ex 02.06 C I a)	Meat salted, in brine, dried or smoked, of adult bovine animals :	
	1. Unboned (bone-in)	21,01179
	2. Boned or boneless	29,94180
ex 16.02 B III b) 1	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal, containing meat or offal of adult bovine animals :	
	aa) Uncooked ; mixtures of cooked meat or offal and uncooked meat or offal :	
	11. Containing 80 % or more by weight of beef meat excluding offals and fat	29,94180
	22. Other	21,01179

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 295/85

of 4 February 1985

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

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 1018/84⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1025/84⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 12 (4) 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⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the advice of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 208/85⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 289/85⁽⁸⁾;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1027/84 of 31 March 1984⁽⁹⁾ amended Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75⁽¹⁰⁾ as regards products falling within sub-heading 23.02 A of the Common Customs Tariff;

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 central rate, multiplied by the coefficient provided for in Article 2b (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 974/71⁽¹¹⁾ as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 855/84⁽¹²⁾,

— for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded over a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 2 February 1985;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed differs from the average levy by more than 3,02 ECU per tonne of basic product; whereas, pursuant to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74⁽¹³⁾, the levies at present in force must therefore 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 processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1027/84, as fixed in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 208/85 are hereby altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 5 February 1985.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1985.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 1.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 13.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62.
⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1.
⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 24, 29. 1. 1985, p. 5.
⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 30, 2. 2. 1985, p. 16.
⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 15.
⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ No L 106, 12. 5. 1971, p. 1.
⁽¹²⁾ OJ No L 90, 1. 4. 1984, p. 1.
⁽¹³⁾ OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 4 February 1985 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Import levies	
	Third countries (other than ACP or OCT)	ACP or OCT
11.02 A II ⁽²⁾	146,10	140,06
11.02 B II b) ⁽²⁾	106,51	103,49
11.02 C II ⁽²⁾	127,52	124,50
11.02 D II ⁽²⁾	82,39	79,37
11.02 E II b) ⁽²⁾	146,10	140,06
11.02 F II ⁽²⁾	146,10	140,06

⁽²⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading 23.02 A, products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

- a starch content (determined by the modified Ewers polarimetric method), referred to dry matter, exceeding 45 % by weight,
- an ash content, by weight, referred to dry matter (after deduction of any added minerals), not exceeding 1,6 % for rice, 2,5 % for wheat, 3 % for barley, 4 % for buckwheat, 5 % for oats and 2 % for other cereals.

Germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground, falls in all cases within heading No 11.02.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

CONFERENCE OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES

DECISION
OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER
STATES OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

of 29 January 1985

appointing the Vice-Presidents of the Commission of the European
Communities

(85/72/ECSC, EEC, Euratom)

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE
EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing a Single Council and a Single Commission of the
European Communities, and in particular Article 14 thereof,

Having regard to the Decision of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member
States of the European Communities of 4 December 1984 appointing the Members of the
Commission of the European Communities (1),

HAVE DECIDED AS FOLLOWS :

Sole Article

The following are hereby appointed Vice-Presidents of the Commission of the European
Communities until 5 January 1987 inclusive :

Mr Franciscus H. J. J. Andriessen
Mr Henning Christophersen
The Right Honourable Lord Cockfield
Mr Karl-Heinz Narjes
Mr Lorenzo Natali

Done at Brussels, 29 January 1985.

The President
G. ANDREOTTI

(1) OJ No L 341, 29. 12. 1984, p. 86.

COUNCIL

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE

of 29 January 1985

on the financing of health inspections and controls of fresh meat and poultrymeat

(85/73/EEC)

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 ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee ⁽³⁾,

Whereas, in order to make the health safeguards offered to the consumer uniform, Directive 64/433/EEC ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Directive 83/90/EEC ⁽⁵⁾, provided for the implementation of health inspections and controls in respect of fresh meat likely to be involved in intra-Community trade ;

Whereas, in order to safeguard human and animal health within the Community, Directive 72/462/EEC ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Directive 83/91/EEC ⁽⁷⁾, provides for health controls to be carried out by the competent authorities of the Member States upon importation of fresh meat and for inspections to be carried out by veterinary experts of the Member States and the Commission within the exporting third countries ;

Whereas Directive 64/433/EEC relates only to fresh meat likely to be involved in intra-Community trade ;

whereas, however, the authorities of the Member States have introduced national controls for fresh meat intended solely for the national market ;

Whereas Council Directive 71/118/EEC ⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Directive 84/642/EEC ⁽⁹⁾, makes provision for health inspections and controls for fresh poultrymeat ;

Whereas these health inspections and controls give rise to the collection of fees which are at present financed in different ways in the individual Member States ; whereas these differences are liable to affect the conditions of competition between lines of production which are for the most part covered by common organizations of the markets ;

Whereas, in order to remedy this situation, harmonized rules on the financing of the said health inspections and controls should be laid down ;

Whereas, owing to the provisions and administrative procedures of national management and financing, a further two-year period should be granted so as to allow the Hellenic Republic to apply the necessary machinery for collecting the fees relating to inspections and controls,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE :

Article 1

1. As from 1 January 1986 the Member States shall ensure that :

— fees are collected when the animals referred to in paragraph 2 are slaughtered for the costs occasioned by health inspections and controls,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 168, 28. 6. 1984, p. 4, OJ No C 97, 29. 4. 1981, p. 12 and OJ No C 162, 22. 6. 1984, p. 10.

⁽²⁾ OJ No C 87, 5. 4. 1982, p. 116 and opinion delivered on 17 January 1985 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽³⁾ OJ No C 307, 19. 11. 1984, p. 1 and opinion delivered on 12 December 1984 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 121, 29. 7. 1964, p. 2012/64.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 59, 5. 3. 1983, p. 10.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 302, 31. 12. 1972, p. 28.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 59, 5. 3. 1983, p. 34.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 55, 8. 3. 1971, p. 23.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 339, 27. 12. 1984, p. 26.

- in order both to ensure equivalence of treatment as provided for in Article 15 of Directive 71/118/EEC and to cover the costs provided for in Directive 72/462/EEC, provision is made for the collection of a fee on meat referred to in those Directives imported from third countries,
- any direct or indirect refund of fees is prohibited.

2. For the purposes of this Directive, 'animals' means domestic animals of the following species: bovine (including buffalo), swine, sheep and goats, domestic solipeds and hens, turkeys, guinea-fowl, ducks and geese.

Article 2

1. The Council, acting by a qualified majority on a proposal from the Commission shall, before 1 January 1986, take a decision on the standard level or levels of the fees referred to in the first two indents of Article 1 (1) and on the detailed rules and principles for the implementation of this Directive, and on possible exceptions. However, the levels of fees to be collected for meat coming from slaughterhouses that are not approved under Directive 64/433/EEC shall not be fixed except in connection with the adoption by the Council before that date of rules of inspection for that meat.

2. Member States shall be authorized to collect an amount exceeding the level or levels referred to in

paragraph 1 provided that the total fee collected for each Member State remains lower than or equal to the real figure for inspection costs.

Article 3

Before 1 January 1990 the Commission will submit a report on the experience gained, together with proposals for possible amendments to the abovementioned Articles.

Article 4

Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations and administrative provisions necessary to comply with this Directive not later than 1 January 1986. They shall forthwith inform the Commission thereof.

However, the Hellenic Republic shall have an additional period of two years in which to comply with it.

Article 5

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 29 January 1985.

For the Council

The President

G. ANDREOTTI

CORRIGENDA

Corrigendum to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 238/85 of 29 January 1985 on the supply of milled rice to the International Committee of the Red Cross as food aid

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Page 26, Annex, point 10, Marking on the bags :

for: 'NIC-199',

read: 'NIC-119'.
