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I

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**COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 710/88
of 22 February 1988**

**concerning Annexes III and VII to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2072/84 on
common rules for imports of certain textile products originating in the People's
Republic of China**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2072/84
of 29 June 1984 on common rules for imports of certain
textile products originating in China ⁽¹⁾, as last amended
by Regulation (EEC) No 668/88 ⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 18 and Annex VII, Article 1 thereof,

Whereas, in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 2072/84,
it is stated that the allocations as between Member States
of quantitative limits for 1988 have been published for
the purposes of information and that the final version
shall be the subject of a Community Regulation at the
beginning of 1988;

Whereas it is appropriate to provide for 1988 the same
allocations as those published in Annex III to
Regulation (EEC) No 2072/84;

Whereas the abovementioned Regulation provides that
the allocations between Member States of quantitative
limits specific to outward processing trade (OPT) imports
for 1984 to 1988 are carried out in accordance with the
procedure laid down in Article 16;

Whereas it is appropriate to establish the 1988 allocation
between Member States of these quantitative limits for
economic outward processing trade;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The allocation for 1988 of the Community quantitative
limits referred to in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No
2072/84 is set out in Annex A hereto.

Article 2

The 1988, allocation between Member States of the OPT
quantitative limits referred to in the Appendix to Annex
VII to Regulation (EEC) No 2072/84 is set out in Annex
B hereto.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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, 22 February 1988.

For the Commission

Willy DE CLERCQ

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 198, 27. 7. 1984, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 18. 3. 1988, p. 1.

ANNEX A

QUANTITATIVE LIMITS FOR 1988

GROUP I A

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)			
1	5204 11 00	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale	China	D	tonnes	1 422			
	5204 19 00			F		609			
				I		153			
	5205 11 00			BNL		206			
	5205 12 00			UK		98			
	5205 13 00			IRL		99			
	5205 14 00			DK		63			
	5205 15 10			GR		167			
	5205 15 90			E		116			
	5205 21 00			P		40			
	5205 22 00								
	5205 23 00			EEC		2 973			
	5205 24 00								
	5205 25 10								
	5205 25 30								
	5205 25 90								
	5205 31 00								
	5205 32 00								
	5205 33 00								
	5205 34 00								
	5205 35 10								
	5205 35 90								
	5205 41 00								
	5205 42 00								
	5205 43 00								
	5205 44 00								
	5205 45 10								
	5205 45 30								
	5205 45 90								
				5206 11 00					
				5206 12 00					
				5206 13 00					
				5206 14 00					
				5206 15 10					
				5206 15 90					
				5206 21 00					
				5206 22 00					
				5206 23 00					
				5206 24 00					
				5206 25 10					
				5206 25 90					
				5206 31 00					
				5206 32 00					
				5206 33 00					
				5206 34 00					
				5206 35 10					
				5206 35 90					
	5206 41 00								
	5206 42 00								
	5206 43 00								
	5206 44 00								
	5206 45 10								
	5206 45 90								
	ex 5604 90 00								

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
2 ⁽¹⁾	5208 11 10	Woven fabrics of cotton, other than gauze, terry fabrics, narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics, chenille fabrics, tulle and other net fabrics :	China	D	tonnes	3 628
	5208 11 90			F		5 074
	5208 12 11			I		1 914
	5208 12 13			BNL		3 332
	5208 12 15			UK		4 252
	5208 12 19			IRL		625
	5208 12 91			DK		1 675
	5208 12 93			GR		311
	5208 12 95			E		126
	5208 12 99			P		76
	5208 13 00					
	5208 19 00					
	5208 21 10					
	5208 21 90					
	5208 22 11					
	5208 22 13					
	5208 22 15					
	5208 22 19					
	5208 22 91					
	5208 22 93					
	5208 22 95					
	5208 22 99					
	5208 23 00					
	5208 29 00					
	5208 31 00					
	5208 32 11					
	5208 32 13					
	5208 32 15					
	5208 32 19					
	5208 32 91					
	5208 32 93					
	5208 32 95					
	5208 32 99					
	5208 33 00					
	5208 39 00					
	5208 41 00					
	5208 42 00					
	5208 43 00					
	5208 49 00					
	5208 51 00					
	5208 52 10					
	5208 52 90					
	5208 53 00					
	5208 59 00					
	5209 11 00					
	5209 12 00					
	5209 19 00					
	5209 21 00					
	5209 22 00					
	5209 29 00					
	5209 31 00					
	5209 32 00					
	5209 39 00					
	5209 41 00					
	5209 42 00					
	5209 43 00					
	5209 49 10					
	5209 49 90					
	5209 51 00					
	5209 52 00					
	5209 59 00					
	5210 11 10					
	5210 11 90					
	5210 12 00					
	5210 19 00					
	5210 21 10					
	5210 21 90					
	5210 22 00					
	5210 29 00					
						21 013 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ See Appendix

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
2 ⁽¹⁾ (cont'd)	5210 31 10					
	5210 31 90					
	5210 32 00					
	5210 39 00					
	5210 41 00					
	5210 42 00					
	5210 49 00					
	5210 51 00					
	5210 52 00					
	5210 59 00					
	5211 11 00					
	5211 12 00					
	5211 19 00					
	5211 21 00					
	5211 22 00					
	5211 29 00					
	5211 31 00					
	5211 32 00					
	5211 39 00					
	5211 41 00					
	5211 42 00					
	5211 43 00					
	5211 49 11					
	5211 49 19					
	5211 49 90					
	5211 51 00					
	5211 52 00					
	5211 59 00					
	5212 11 10					
	5212 11 90					
	5212 12 10					
	5212 12 90					
	5212 13 10					
	5212 13 90					
	5212 14 10					
	5212 14 90					
	5212 15 10					
	5212 15 90					
	5212 21 10					
	5212 21 90					
	5212 22 10					
	5212 22 90					
	5212 23 10					
	5212 23 90					
	5212 24 10					
5212 24 90						
5212 25 10						
5212 25 90						
ex 5811 00 00						
ex 6308 00 00						
2 (a)	5208 31 00	(a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	China	D	tonnes	363
	5208 32 11			F		507
	5208 32 13			I		191
	5208 32 15			BNL		(¹)
	5208 32 19			UK		425
	5208 32 91			IRL		63
	5208 32 93			DK		168
	5208 32 95			GR		158
	5208 32 99			E		13
	5208 33 00			P		8
	5208 39 00					
	5208 41 00					
	5208 42 00					
	5208 43 00					
	5208 49 00					
	5208 51 00					

⁽¹⁾ See Appendix

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
2 a) (cont'd)	5208 52 10					
	5208 52 90					
	5208 53 00					
	5208 59 00					
	5209 31 00					
	5209 32 00					
	5209 39 00					
	5209 41 00					
	5209 42 00					
	5209 43 00					
	5209 49 10					
	5209 49 90					
	5209 51 00					
	5209 52 00					
	5209 59 00					
	5210 31 10					
	5210 31 90					
	5210 32 00					
	5210 39 00					
	5210 41 00					
	5210 42 00					
	5210 49 00					
	5210 51 00					
	5210 52 00					
	5210 59 00					
	5211 31 00					
	5211 32 00					
	5211 39 00					
	5211 41 00					
	5211 42 00					
	5211 43 00					
	5211 49 11					
	5211 49 19					
	5211 49 90					
	5211 51 00					
	5211 52 00					
	5211 59 00					
	5212 13 10					
	5212 13 90					
	5212 14 10					
	5212 14 90					
	5212 15 10					
	5212 15 90					
	5212 23 10					
	5212 23 90					
	5212 24 10					
	5212 24 90					
	5212 25 10					
	5212 25 90					
	ex 5811 00 00					
	ex 6308 00 00					
	3	5512 11 00	Woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (discontinuous or waste) other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics (including terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics	China	D	tonnes
	5512 19 10	F			395	
	5512 19 90	I			312	
	5512 21 00	BNL			2 305	
	5512 29 10	UK			178	
	5512 29 90	IRL			55	
	5512 91 00	DK			84	
	5512 99 10	GR			66	
	5512 99 90	E			80	
		P			80	
	5513 11 10					
	5513 11 30	EEC			4 240 (*)	
	5513 11 90					
	5513 12 00					
	5513 13 00					

(*) See Appendix

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
3 (cont'd)	5513 19 00					
	5513 21 10					
	5513 21 30					
	5513 21 90					
	5513 22 00					
	5513 23 00					
	5513 29 00					
	5513 31 00					
	5513 32 00					
	5513 33 00					
	5513 39 00					
	5513 41 00					
	5513 42 00					
	5513 43 00					
	5513 49 00					
	5514 11 00					
	5514 12 00					
	5514 13 00					
	5514 19 00					
	5514 21 00					
	5514 22 00					
	5514 23 00					
	5514 29 00					
	5514 31 00					
	5514 32 00					
	5514 33 00					
	5514 39 00					
	5514 41 00					
	5514 42 00					
	5514 43 00					
	5514 49 00					
	5515 11 10					
	5515 11 30					
	5515 11 90					
	5515 12 10					
	5515 12 30					
	5515 12 90					
	5515 13 11					
	5515 13 19					
	5515 13 91					
	5515 13 99					
	5515 19 10					
	5515 19 30					
	5515 19 90					
	5515 21 10					
	5515 21 30					
	5515 21 90					
	5515 22 11					
	5515 22 19					
	5515 22 91					
	5515 22 99					
	5515 29 10					
	5515 29 30					
	5515 29 90					
	5515 91 10					
5515 91 30						
5515 91 90						
5515 92 11						
5515 92 19						
5515 92 91						
5515 92 99						
5515 99 10						
5515 99 30						
5515 99 90						
5803 90 30						
ex 5905 00 70						
ex 6308 00 00						

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
3 a)	5512 19 10 5512 19 90 5512 29 10 5512 29 90 5512 99 10 5512 99 90 5513 21 10 5513 21 30 5513 21 90 5513 22 00 5513 23 00 5513 29 00 5513 31 00 5513 32 00 5513 33 00 5513 39 00 5513 41 00 5513 42 00 5513 43 00 5513 49 00 5514 21 00 5514 22 00 5514 23 00 5514 29 00 5514 31 00 5514 32 00 5514 33 00 5514 39 00 5514 41 00 5514 42 00 5514 43 00 5514 49 00 5515 11 30 5515 11 90 5515 12 30 5515 12 90 5515 13 19 5515 13 99 5515 19 30 5515 19 90 5515 21 30 5515 21 90 5515 22 19 5515 22 99 5515 29 30 5515 29 90 5515 91 30 5515 91 90 5515 92 19 5515 92 99 5515 99 30 5515 99 90 5803 90 30 ex 5905 00 70 ex 6308 00 00	(a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P	tonnes	69 40 31 (¹) 18 5 8 8 8

(¹) See Appendix

GROUP I B

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
4	6105 10 00	Shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted, other than babies' garments, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres; T-shirts and lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers of regenerated textile fibres, other than babies' garments	China	D	1 000 pieces	1 780
	6105 20 10			F		1 738
	6108 19 10			I		968
	ex 6109 10 00			BNL		662
	ex 6109 90 30			UK		1 016
				IRL		50
				DK		147
				GR		55
				E		162
				P		18
		EEC		6 614 (*)		
5	6101 10 10	Jerseys, pullovers, slip-overs, waistcoats, twinsets, cardigans, bed jackets and jumpers, knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D	1 000 pieces	1 930
	6110 10 31			F		1 169
	6110 10 39			I		1 016
	6110 10 91			BNL		518
	6110 10 99			UK		1 572 (*)
	6110 20 91			IRL		53
	6110 20 99			DK		129
	6110 30 91			GR		47
	6110 30 99			E		92
				P		15
		EEC		6 541 (*)		
6	6203 41 10	Men's and boys' woven breeches, shorts and trousers (including slacks); women's, girls' and infants woven trowsers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D	1 000 pieces	3 537
	6203 41 90			F		1 442
	6203 42 31			I		1 050
	6203 42 33			BNL		1 040 (*)
	6203 42 35			UK		623
	6203 42 90			IRL		70
	6203 43 19			DK		331
	6203 43 90			GR		54
	6203 49 19			E		129
	6203 49 50			P		21
	6204 61 10					
	6204 62 31					
	6204 62 33					
	6204 62 35					
	6204 63 19					
	6204 69 19					
	EEC		8 297 (*)			
7	6106 10 00	Blouses and shirt-blouses, knitted, crocheted or woven, for women, girls and infants, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textiles fibres	China	D	1 000 pieces	709
	6106 20 00			F		340
	6106 90 10			I		371
	6206 20 00			BNL		148
	6206 30 00			UK		211
	6206 40 00			IRL		24
				DK		63
				GR		28
				E		42
				P		10
	EEC		1 946			

(*) See Appendix.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
8	6205 10 00 6205 20 00 6205 30 00	Men's and boys' shirts, woven, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	1 000 pieces	3 587 848 884 617 1 149 65 442 50 125 18 7 785

GROUP II A

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
9	5802 11 90 5802 19 00 6302 60 00	Woven cotton terry fabrics; toilet and kitchen linen of woven cotton terry fabrics	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	1 057 507 472 288 733 29 274 23 30 6 3 419
20	6302 21 00 6302 22 90 6302 29 90 6302 31 10 6302 31 90 6302 32 90 6302 39 90	Bed linen, woven	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	(¹)
23	5508 20 10 5510 11 00 5510 12 00 5510 20 00 5510 30 00 5510 90 00	Yarn of discontinuous or waste regenerated fibres, not put up for retail sale	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	1 527 694 1 026 2 065 405 29 161 49 72 13 6 041
32	5801 10 00 5801 21 00 5801 22 00 5801 23 00 5801 24 00 5801 25 00 5801 26 00 5801 31 00 5801 32 00 5801 33 00 5801 34 00 5801 35 00 5801 36 00 5802 20 00 5802 30 00	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics (other than terry fabrics of cotton and narrow woven fabrics), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	800 518 407 256 603 37 110 61 20 15 2 827

(¹) See Appendice.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
39	6302 51 10 6302 51 90 6302 53 90 ex 6302 59 00 6302 91 10 6302 91 90 6302 93 90 ex 6302 99 00	Woven table linen, toilet and kitchen linen, other than of cotton terry fabric	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	1 402 837 682 536 743 46 136 468 221 ⁽¹⁾ 23 5 094

⁽¹⁾ See Appendix.

GROUP II B

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
12	ex 6111 10 90 ex 6111 20 90 ex 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00 6115 20 11 6115 20 90 6115 91 00 6115 92 00 6115 93 30 6115 93 99 6115 99 00	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted; Other than women's stockings of synthetic textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	1 000 pairs	2 010 4 795 905 1 254 1 778 54 357 78 270 70 11 571
13	6107 11 00 ex 6107 12 00 6108 21 00 ex 6108 22 00	Men's and boys' underpants and briefs, women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') knickers and brief, knitted or crocheted, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres	China	D F BNL UK IRL	1 000 pieces	4 679 1 111 848 30 000 70
15 B	6202 11 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6204 31 00 6204 32 90 6204 33 90 6204 39 19	Women's, girls' and infants' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes; jackets and blazers, other than garments of category 15 A, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	F I BNL IRL	1 000 pieces	350 82 140 6
16	6203 11 00 6203 12 00 6203 19 10 6203 19 30 6203 21 00 6203 22 90 6203 23 90 6203 29 19	Men's and boys' woven suits (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces, which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together) of wool, of cotton or of man-made textiles fibres, excluding ski suits	China	F UK	1 000 pieces	240 140
17	6203 31 00 6203 32 90 6203 33 90 6203 39 10	Men's and boys' woven jackets (excluding waister jackets) and blazers of wool, of cotton or of man-made textiles fibres	China	F I UK	1 000 pieces	158 70 94
18	6207 11 00 6207 19 00 6207 21 00 6207 22 00 6207 29 00 ex 6207 91 00 ex 6207 92 00 ex 6207 99 00	Men's and boys woven singlets and other vests, underpants, briefs, nightshirts and pyjamas	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	118 90 192 35 129 3 42 5 15 6 635

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
19	6213 20 00 6213 90 00	Handkerchiefs of woven cotton fabrics	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	1 000 pieces	19 853 7 152 10 834 13 136 10 902 402 2 268 497 865 81 65 990
21	ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6201 91 00 6201 92 00 6201 93 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6202 91 00 6202 92 00 6202 93 00	Parkas, anoraks, windcheaters, waister jackets and the like, woven, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	1 000 pieces	2 316 865 627 394 616 25 115 51 137 27 5 173
24	6107 21 00 ex 6107 22 00 6108 31 10 6108 31 90 6108 32 11 6108 32 19	Men's and boys' pyjamas, knitted or crocheted, of cotton or of synthetic textile fibres Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') knitted or crocheted pyjamas and nightdresses, of cotton or synthetic fibres	China	D F I BNL UK	1 000 pieces	3 756 716 358 262 298
26	6104 41 00 6104 42 00 6104 43 00 6104 44 00 6204 41 00 6204 42 00 6204 43 00 6204 44 00	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') woven and knitted or crocheted dresses of wool, of cotton or of man-made textiles fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	1 000 pieces	1 079 437 363 136 500 17 80 37 95 22 2 766
27	6104 51 00 6104 52 00 6104 53 00 6104 59 00 6204 51 00 6204 52 00 6204 53 00 6204 59 10	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') woven and knitted or crocheted skirts, including divided skirts	China	UK	1 000 pieces	234
28	6103 41 10 6103 42 10 6103 43 10 6103 49 10 6104 61 10 6104 62 10 6104 63 10 6104 69 10	Knitted or crocheted trousers (except shorts) other than babies'	China	BNL	1 000 pieces	61

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
29	6204 11 00 6204 12 00 6204 13 00 6204 19 10 6204 21 00 6204 22 90 6204 23 90 6204 29 19	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies) woven suits and costumes (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces, which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, excluding ski suits	China	F	1 000 pieces	135
30 A	6208 21 00 6208 22 00 6208 29 00	Women's, girls' and infants' woven pyjamas and nightdresses, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	F I	1 000 pieces	1 404 234
31	6212 10 00	Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted	China	F BNL UK	1 000 pieces	1 404 526 526
68	ex 6111 10 90 ex 6111 20 90 ex 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00	Napkins, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle neck jumpers and pull-overs, singlets and other vests, nightshirts and pyjamas, underpants, briefs and other underclothing for babies, knitted or crocheted	China	F UK	tonnes	440 61
73	6112 11 00 6112 12 00 6112 19 00	Track suits of knitted or crocheted fabric, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	1 000 pieces	543 295 213 190 325 13 96 28 38 11 1 752
76	6203 22 10 6203 23 10 6203 29 11 6203 32 10 6203 33 10 6203 39 11 6203 42 11 6203 42 51 6203 43 11 6203 43 31 6203 49 11 6203 49 31 6204 22 10 6204 23 10 6204 29 11 6204 32 10 6204 33 10 6204 39 11 6204 62 11 6204 62 51 6204 63 11 6204 63 31 6204 69 11 6204 69 31 6211 32 10 6211 33 10 6211 42 10 6211 43 10	Men's and boys' woven industrial and occupational clothing; women's, girls' and infants' woven aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial and occupational clothing (whether or not also suitable for domestic use), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P EEC	tonnes	1 531 224 365 133 382 25 63 38 38 9 2 808

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
78	6203 41 30 6203 42 59 6203 43 39 6203 49 39 ex 6207 91 00 ex 6207 92 00 ex 6207 99 00 6210 10 99 6210 40 00 ex 6211 20 00 6211 31 00 6211 32 90 6211 33 90	Men's and boys' woven bath robes, dressing gowns, smoking jackets and similar indoor wear, ski suits consisting of two or three pieces and other outer garments, except garments of categories 6, 14 A, 14 B, 16, 17, 21, 76 and 79, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China ⁽¹⁾	F I	tonnes	340 365'
83	6101 10 10 6101 10 90 6101 20 10 6101 20 90 6101 30 10 6101 30 90 6102 10 10 6102 10 90 6102 20 10 6102 20 90 6102 30 10 6102 30 90 6103 31 00 6103 32 00 6103 33 00 ex 6103 39 00 6103 41 90 6103 42 90 6103 43 90 6103 49 91 6104 31 00 6104 32 00 6104 33 00 ex 6104 39 00 6104 61 90 6104 62 90 6104 63 90 6104 69 91 6107 91 00 6107 92 00 ex 6107 99 00 6108 91 00 6108 92 00 6108 99 10 ex 6109 10 00 ex 6109 90 10 ex 6109 90 30 6112 20 00 6113 00 90 6114 10 00 6114 20 00 6114 30 00	Garments, knitted or crocheted, other than garments of categories 1 to 82 inclusive, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F	tonnes	281 193

⁽¹⁾ See Appendix.

GROUP III A

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
33	5407 20 11 6305 31 91 6305 31 99	Woven fabrics of strip or the like of polyethylene or polypropylene, less than 3 m wide ; woven sacks of such strip or the like	China	F BNL UK	tonnes	486 3 343 729
36	ex 5408 10 00 ex 5408 21 00 ex 5408 22 10 ex 5408 22 90 ex 5408 23 10 ex 5408 23 90 ex 5408 24 00 ex 5408 31 00 ex 5408 32 00 ex 5408 33 00 ex 5408 34 00 ex 5811 00 00 ex 5905 00 70	Woven fabrics of regenerated textile fibres (continuous) other than those for tyres and those containing elastomeric yarn :	China	F	tonnes	260
37	ex 5516 11 00 ex 5516 12 00 ex 5516 13 00 ex 5516 14 00 ex 5516 21 00 ex 5516 22 00 ex 5516 23 10 ex 5516 23 90 ex 5516 24 00 ex 5516 31 00 ex 5516 32 00 ex 5516 33 00 ex 5516 34 00 ex 5516 41 00 ex 5516 42 00 ex 5516 43 00 ex 5516 44 00 ex 5516 91 00 ex 5516 92 00 ex 5516 93 00 ex 5516 94 00 5803 90 50 ex 5905 00 70	Woven fabrics of regenerated textile fibres (discontinuous or waste) other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics (including terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics :	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P BEC	tonnes	2 110 1 181 1 015 731 1 418 67 843 80 157 45 7 647
37 a)	ex 5516 12 00 ex 5516 13 00 ex 5516 14 00 ex 5516 22 00 ex 5516 23 10 ex 5516 23 90 ex 5516 24 00 ex 5516 32 00 ex 5516 33 00 ex 5516 34 00 ex 5516 42 00 ex 5516 43 00 ex 5516 44 00 ex 5516 92 00 ex 5516 93 00 ex 5516 94 00 5803 90 50 ex 5905 00 70	(a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK GR E P	tonnes	633 354 305 219 425 20 253 24 47 14

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
40	ex 6303 91 00 ex 6303 92 90 ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 10 ex 6304 19 90 6304 92 00 ex 6304 93 00 ex 6304 99 00	Woven curtains (other than net curtains) and furnishing articles, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	I	tonnes	462
59	5702 10 00 5702 31 10 5702 31 30 5702 31 90 5702 32 10 5702 32 90 5702 39 10 5702 41 10 5702 41 90 5702 42 10 5702 42 90 5702 49 10 5702 51 00 5702 52 00 ex 5702 59 00 5702 91 00 5702 92 00 ex 5702 99 00 5703 10 10 5703 10 90 5703 20 11 5703 20 19 5703 20 91 5703 20 99 5703 30 11 5703 30 19 5703 30 51 5703 30 59 5703 30 91 5703 30 99 5703 90 10 5703 90 90 5704 10 00 5704 90 00 5705 00 10 5705 00 31 5705 00 39 ex 5705 00 90	Woven, knitted or crocheted, carpets, carpeting, rugs, mats and matting, and 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like (made up or not); floor covering, of felt	China	F	tonnes	233
66	6301 10 00 6301 20 91 6301 20 99 6301 30 90 ex 6301 40 90 ex 6301 90 90	Travelling rugs and blankets, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	I	tonnes	473

GROUP III B

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
10	6111 10 10 6111 20 10 6111 30 10 ex 6111 90 00 6116 10 10 6116 10 90 6116 91 00 6116 92 00 6116 93 00 6116 99 00	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, impregnated or coated with artificial plastic materials Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than impregnated or coated with artificial plastic materials	China	D F UK E	1 000 pairs	4 862 3 038 1 580 (*) 1 100
67	5807 90 90 ex 6111 10 90 ex 6111 20 90 ex 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00 6113 00 10 6115 93 10 6117 10 00 6117 20 00 6117 80 10 6117 80 90 6117 90 00 6301 20 10 6301 30 10 6301 40 10 6301 90 10 6302 10 10 6302 10 90 6302 40 00 6303 11 00 6303 12 00 6303 19 00 6304 11 00 6304 91 00 ex 6305 20 00 6305 31 10 ex 6305 39 00 ex 6305 90 00 6307 10 10 6307 90 10	Clothing accessories and other articles (except garments), knitted or crocheted	China	D	tonnes	947
69	6108 11 10	Women's, girls' and infants' knitted or crocheted petticoats and slips, of synthetic textile fibres, other than babies' garments	China	F	1 000 pieces	284
71	ex 6111 10 90 ex 6111 20 90 ex 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00	Babies' knitted or crocheted garments, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, other than those of category 68	China	F	tonnes	200

(*) See appendix.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
75	6103 11 00 6103 12 00 6103 19 00 6103 21 00 6103 22 00 6103 23 00 6103 29 00	Men's and boys' suits (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together), of knitted or crocheted fabric, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres, excluding ski suits	China	UK	1 000 pieces	55
80	ex 6209 10 00 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 00	Babies' woven garments of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	F UK	tonnes	140 146
82	6105 20 90 ex 6105 90 10 6107 12 00 ex 6107 19 00 ex 6107 22 00 6107 29 00 6108 11 90 6108 19 90 ex 6108 22 00 6108 29 00 6108 32 90 6108 39 00 ex 6109 90 10 ex 6109 90 30	Singlets and other vests, nightshirts and pyjamas, underpants, briefs and other underclothing knitted or crocheted, of wool, of fine animal hair or of regenerated textile fibres	China	F BNL UK	tonnes	67 37 73
87	ex 6209 10 00 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 00 6216 00 00 ex 6217 10 10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not knitted or crocheted	China	F UK	tonnes	170 85

GROUP III C

Category	CN code	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December 1988
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
91	6306 21 00 6306 22 00 6306 29 00	Tents	China	F BNL	tonnes	334 182
110	6306 41 00 6306 49 00	Woven pneumatic mattresses	China	F	tonnes	486

Appendix

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2	China	<p>For fabrics below 115 cm in width (CN codes : 5208 11 90, 5208 12 11, 5208 12 91, 5208 13 00, 5208 19 00, 5208 21 90, 5208 22 11, 5208 22 91, 5208 23 00, 5208 29 00, 5208 31 00, 5208 32 11, 5208 32 91, 5208 33 00, 5208 39 00, 5208 41 00, 5208 42 00, 5208 43 00, 5208 49 00, 5208 51 00, 5208 52 10, 5208 53 00, 5208 59 00, 5209 11 00, 5209 12 00, 5209 19 00, 5209 21 00, 5209 22 00, 5209 29 00, 5209 31 00, 5209 32 00, 5209 39 00, 5209 41 00, 5209 42 00, 5209 43 00, 5209 49 10, 5209 49 90, 5209 51 00, 5209 52 00, 5209 59 00, 5210 11 10, 5210 12 00, 5210 19 00, 5210 31 10, 5210 32 00, 5210 39 00, 5210 41 00, 5210 42 00, 5210 49 00, 5211 11 00, 5211 12 00, 5211 19 00, 5211 31 00, 5211 32 00, 5211 39 00, 5211 41 00, 5211 42 00, 5211 43 00, 5211 49 19, 5211 49 90, 5212 11 10, 5212 11 90, 5212 13 10, 5212 13 90, 5212 14 10, 5212 14 90, 5212 21 10, 5212 21 90, 5212 23 10, 5212 23 90, 5212 24 10, 5212 24 90, ex 5811 00 00 and ex 6308 00 00) the following additional quantities may be exported to the EEC by China :</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" style="text-align: right;"><i>(tonnes)</i></th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>1988</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>D</td> <td>280</td> </tr> <tr> <td>F</td> <td>290</td> </tr> <tr> <td>I</td> <td>130</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BNL</td> <td>194</td> </tr> <tr> <td>UK</td> <td>242</td> </tr> <tr> <td>IRL</td> <td>35</td> </tr> <tr> <td>DK</td> <td>35</td> </tr> <tr> <td>GR</td> <td>18</td> </tr> <tr> <td>EEC</td> <td>1 224</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<i>(tonnes)</i>			1988	D	280	F	290	I	130	BNL	194	UK	242	IRL	35	DK	35	GR	18	EEC	1 224
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10	China	<p>The following sub-limits apply within the quantitative limits prescribed in this Annex for the United Kingdom :</p> <p>Knitted gloves, mittens and mitts of former category 10 (coated or impregnated (CN code 6116 10 10) :</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" style="text-align: right;"><i>(1 000 pairs)</i></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">1988</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">UK</td> <td style="text-align: center;">243</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<i>(1 000 pairs)</i>			1988	UK	243								
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58	China	For Greece, further consultations will be held on imports.														

For the Federal Republic of Germany, 19 % of all the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex are reserved for use at the Berlin Fair, except in the case of categories 13, 23, 24, 26, 67, 73, 76 and 83.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 711/88

of 18 March 1988

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 the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

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) 3989/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13 (5) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 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 1636/87 ⁽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 Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4047/87 ⁽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 corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

- 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 17 March 1988;

Whereas the aforesaid corrective factor affects the entire calculation basis for the levies, including the equivalence coefficients;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 4047/87 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 19 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1987, p. 99.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

(ECU/tonne)

CN code	Levies	
	Portugal	Third country
0709 90 60	12,29	172,39
0712 90 19	12,29	172,39
1001 10 10	68,97	260,88 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
1001 10 90	68,97	260,88 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
1001 90 91	7,92	188,14
1001 90 99	7,92	188,14
1002 00 00	47,51	166,61 ⁽⁴⁾
1003 00 10	41,19	173,02
1003 00 90	41,19	173,02
1004 00 10	97,72	148,06
1004 00 90	97,72	148,06
1005 10 90	12,29	172,39 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
1005 90 00	12,29	172,39 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
1007 00 90	35,81	176,41 ⁽⁴⁾
1008 10 00	41,19	99,17
1008 20 00	41,19	144,67 ⁽⁴⁾
1008 30 00	41,19	62,18 ⁽⁵⁾
1008 90 10	(7)	(7)
1008 90 90	41,19	62,18
1101 00 00	26,15	278,16
1102 10 00	82,12	248,02
1103 11 10	120,58	418,04
1103 11 90	26,31	298,48

- ⁽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 Council Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 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 1008 90 10 (triticale).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 712/88

of 18 March 1988

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 the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

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 3989/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (6) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 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 1636/87 ⁽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 Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4048/87 ⁽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 corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

— 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 17 March 1988;

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

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 coming from Portugal shall be zero.

2. 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 coming from third countries shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2.

This Regulation shall enter into force on 19 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1987, p. 102.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

CN code	<i>(ECU/tonne)</i>			
	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
0709 90 60	0	0	0	0
0712 90 19	0	0	0	0
1001 10 10	0	0	0	0
1001 10 90	0	0	0	0
1001 90 91	0	0,36	0,36	0,36
1001 90 99	0	0,36	0,36	0,36
1002 00 00	0	0	0	0
1003 00 10	0	0	0	0
1003 00 90	0	0	0	0
1004 00 10	0	0	0	0
1004 00 90	0	0	0	0
1005 10 90	0	0	0	0
1005 90 00	0	0	0	0
1007 00 90	0	0	0	0
1008 10 00	0	0	0	0
1008 20 00	0	10,76	10,76	10,76
1008 30 00	0	0	0	0
1008 90 90	0	0	0	0
1101 00 00	0	0,50	0,50	0,50

B. Malt

CN code	<i>(ECU/tonne)</i>				
	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7
1107 10 11	0	0,64	0,64	0,64	0,64
1107 10 19	0	0,48	0,48	0,48	0,48
1107 10 91	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 99	0	0	0	0	0
1107 20 00	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 713/88**of 18 March 1988****altering the specific agricultural conversion rates applicable in the rice sector**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 on the value of the unit of account and the conversion rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1636/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 2 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1677/85 of 11 June 1985 on monetary compensatory amounts in agriculture ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1889/87 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 9 (2) thereof,

Whereas by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3294/86 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 657/88 ⁽⁶⁾, specific agricultural conversion rates to be applied in the rice sector were established; whereas those conversion rates must be altered pursuant to Articles 2 and 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3153/85 ⁽⁷⁾ as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3770/87 ⁽⁸⁾;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 3153/85 lays down detailed rules for the calculation of monetary compensatory amounts; whereas the spot market rate for the pound sterling and the Italian lira recorded in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 3153/85 during the period 9 to 15 March 1988, requires the specific agricultural conversion rate applicable for the United Kingdom and Italy to be altered pursuant to Article 9 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1677/85,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3294/86 is replaced by the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 6.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 182, 3. 7. 1987, p. 1.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 304, 30. 10. 1986, p. 25.
⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 67, 12. 3. 1988, p. 9.
⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 310, 21. 11. 1985, p. 4.
⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 355, 17. 12. 1987, p. 16.

*ANNEX***Specific agricultural conversion rate for rice**

(Regulation (EEC) No 3294/86)

1 ECU	= Bfs	48,2869
	= DM	2,34113
	= Dkr	8,93007
	= Dr	186,735
	= Pta	156,526
	= FF	7,85183
	= £Irl	0,873900
	= Lit	1 725,91 704,94
	= Fl	2,63785
	= £	0,756539

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 714/88
of 18 March 1988
fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

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

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3990/87⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 11 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 883/87 of 23 March 1987 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3877/86 on imports rice of the long-grain aromatic Basmati variety falling within subheading 1006 10, 1006 20 and 1006 30 of the combined nomenclature⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 8 thereof,

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4042/87⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 655/88⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 4042/87 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 the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 15.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 80, 24. 3. 1987, p. 20.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1987, p. 88.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 67, 12. 3. 1988, p. 5.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

(ECU/tonne)

CN Code	Portugal	Third countries (except ACP or OCT) (¹)	ACP or OCT (¹) (²)	Arrangement in Regulation (EEC) No 3877/86
1006 10 91	—	320,59	156,69	—
1006 10 99	—	293,42	143,11	220,07
1006 20 10	—	400,74	196,77	—
1006 20 90	—	366,78	179,79	275,09
1006 30 11	13,05	528,63	252,39	—
1006 30 19	12,97	595,91	286,07	446,93
1006 30 91	13,90	562,99	269,14	—
1006 30 99	13,90	638,82	307,06	479,12
1006 40 00	0,00	164,75	79,37	—

N.B. The levies are to be converted into national currencies using the specific agricultural conversion rates fixed in Regulation (EEC) No 3294/86.

(¹) Subject to the application of the provisions of Articles 10 and 11 of Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 and of Regulation No 551/85.

(²) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 486/85, the levies are not applied to imports into the overseas department of Réunion of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.

(³) The import levy on rice entering the overseas department of Réunion is specified in Article 11a of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 715/88

of 18 March 1988

fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on rice and broken rice

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

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3990/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13 (6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on rice and broken rice were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2604/87 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 656/88 ⁽⁴⁾;

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 shown in the Annex hereto;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 ⁽⁵⁾ introduces, from 1 January 1988, a new 'combined nomencla-

ture' meeting the requirements of both the Common Customs Tariff and the Community's statistics of foreign trade and replacing the previous nomenclature,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. The premiums to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of rice and broken rice originating in Portugal shall be zero.

2. The premiums to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of rice and broken rice originating in third countries shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 15.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 245, 29. 8. 1987, p. 39.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 67, 12. 3. 1988, p. 7.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on rice and broken rice

CN Code	<i>(ECU/tonne)</i>			
	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
1006 10 91	0	0	0	—
1006 10 99	0	0	0	—
1006 20 10	0	0	0	—
1006 20 90	0	0	0	—
1006 30 11	0	0	0	—
1006 30 19	0	0	0	—
1006 30 91	0	0	0	—
1006 30 99	0	0	0	—
1006 40 00	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 716/88**of 18 March 1988****amending Regulation (EEC) No 1787/87 introducing the buying-in of beef in respect of certain Member States and qualities and fixing the buying-in prices for beef**

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

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 6a (4) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1787/87 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 612/88 ⁽⁴⁾, introduced the buying-in of beef in respect of certain Member States or regions thereof and quality groups, and fixed the buying-in prices in the beef sector;

Whereas, pursuant to the abovementioned Article 6a (4) and to Article 3 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No

2226/78 ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3350/87 ⁽⁶⁾, the buying-in prices should be replaced, on the basis of the data and prices available to the Commission, according to the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex II to amended Regulation (EEC) No 1787/87 is hereby replaced by the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 28 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 168, 27. 6. 1987, p. 22.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 60, 5. 3. 1988, p. 23.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 261, 26. 9. 1978, p. 5.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 317, 7. 11. 1987, p. 33.

ANNEX

Buying-in price in ECU per 100 kilograms carcase weight

Quality (category and class)	Equivalent carcase price	Forequarter price	
		straight cut (1)	pistola cut (2)
AU2	303,635	242,908	227,726
AU3	299,465	239,572	224,599
AR2	302,430	241,944	226,823
AR3	298,097	238,478	223,573
AO2	282,141	225,713	211,606
AO3	277,854	222,283	208,391
CU2	312,827	250,262	234,620
CU3	308,530	246,824	231,398
CU4	299,936	239,949	224,952
CR3	293,975	235,180	220,481
CR4	285,430	228,344	214,073
CO3	283,468	226,774	212,601

(1) Conversion coefficient 0,80.

(2) Conversion coefficient 0,75.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 717/88
of 18 March 1988
fixing the export refunds on poultrymeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in poultrymeat⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3907/87⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the fifth subparagraph of Article 9 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2779/75 of 29 October 1975⁽³⁾, lays down general rules for granting export refunds and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in poultrymeat that the refund should be fixed at an amount which would permit Community participation in world trade and would also take account of the nature of these exports and their importance at the present time;

Whereas the present market situation in certain third countries and that regarding competition on particular third country markets make it necessary to fix a refund differentiated by destination for certain products in the poultrymeat sector;

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 central rate, multiplied by the corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1636/87⁽⁵⁾;
- 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 Commission Regulation (EEC) No 634/86 of 28 February 1986 laying down specific rules on export refunds in the poultrymeat sector following the accession of Portugal and amending Regulation (EEC) No 189/86⁽⁶⁾ established the principle that no Community refund should be granted on poultrymeat products originating in Portugal;

Whereas, following the introduction of the combined nomenclature by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87⁽⁷⁾, the nomenclature applicable from 1 January 1988 to export refunds on agricultural products was established by Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87⁽⁸⁾; whereas that nomenclature should be amended to adjust the refunds fixed to market requirements;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultry meat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The list of products for which, when they are exported, the export refund referred to in Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 is granted, and the amount of that refund shall be as shown in Annex I hereto. The nomenclature of agricultural products for export refunds in Part 8 of the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 shall be amended in accordance with Annex II.
2. The refund referred to in paragraph 1 shall not be granted in respect of exports to Portugal from 1 March 1986.
3. The refund referred to in paragraph 1 shall not be granted in respect of exports of products originating in Portugal.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 77.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 90.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 60, 1. 3. 1986, p. 15.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 366, 24. 12. 1987, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANNEX I

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the export refunds on poultrymeat

Product code	Destination of refund (*)	Amount of refund
		ECU/100 units
0105 11 00 000	01	4,20
0105 19 10 000	01	8,40
0105 19 90 000	01	4,20
		ECU/100 kg
0105 91 00 000	01	24,00
0207 10 11 000	01	37,00
0207 10 15 000	04	55,00
	05	45,00
	06	37,00
0207 10 19 100 (*)	04	59,00
	05	49,00
	06	37,00
0207 10 19 900 (*)	01	37,00
0207 10 31 000	01	37,00
0207 10 39 000	01	37,00
0207 10 51 000	01	55,00
0207 10 55 000	01	55,00
0207 10 59 000	01	55,00
0207 21 10 000	04	55,00
	05	45,00
	06	37,00
0207 21 90 100 (*)	04	59,00
	05	49,00
	06	37,00
0207 21 90 900 (*)	01	37,00
0207 22 10 000	01	37,00
0207 22 90 000	01	37,00
0207 23 11 000	01	55,00
0207 23 19 000	01	55,00
0207 39 11 110	01	10,00 (*)
0207 39 11 190	—	—
0207 39 11 910	—	—
0207 39 11 990	01	74,00
0207 39 13 000	02	53,00
	03	43,00
0207 39 15 000	01	15,00
0207 39 21 000	01	58,00
0207 39 23 000	02	69,00
	03	55,00

Product code	Destination of refund (1)	Amount of refund
		ECU/100 kg
0207 39 25 100	02	53,00
	03	43,00
0207 39 25 900	—	—
0207 39 31 110	01	10,00 (2)
0207 39 31 190	—	—
0207 39 31 910	—	—
0207 39 31 990	01	74,00
0207 39 33 000	01	38,00
0207 39 35 000	01	15,00
0207 39 41 000	01	58,00
0207 39 43 000	01	30,00
0207 39 45 000	01	53,00
0207 39 47 100	01	15,00
0207 39 47 900	—	—
0207 39 55 110	01	10,00 (2)
0207 39 55 190	—	—
0207 39 55 910	—	—
0207 39 55 990	01	74,00
0207 39 57 000	01	55,00
0207 39 65 000	01	15,00
0207 39 73 000	01	58,00
0207 39 77 000	02	69,00
	03	55,00
0207 41 10 110	01	10,00 (2)
0207 41 10 190	—	—
0207 41 10 910	—	—
0207 41 10 990	01	74,00
0207 41 11 000	02	53,00
	03	43,00
0207 41 21 000	01	15,00
0207 41 41 000	01	58,00
0207 41 51 000	02	69,00
	03	55,00
0207 41 71 100	02	53,00
	03	43,00
0207 41 71 900	—	—
0207 42 10 110	01	10,00 (2)
0207 42 10 190	—	—
0207 42 10 910	—	—
0207 42 10 990	01	74,00
0207 42 11 000	01	38,00
0207 42 21 000	01	15,00
0207 42 41 000	01	58,00
0207 42 51 000	01	30,00
0207 42 59 000	01	53,00
0207 42 71 100	01	15,00
0207 42 71 900	—	—
0207 43 15 110	01	10,00 (2)
0207 43 15 190	—	—
0207 43 15 910	—	—
0207 43 15 990	01	74,00
0207 43 21 000	01	55,00
0207 43 31 000	01	15,00
0207 43 53 000	01	58,00
0207 43 63 000	02	69,00
	03	55,00
1602 39 11 100	01	29,00 (2)
1602 39 11 900	—	— (2)

- (¹) The destinations are as follows:
- 01 All destinations except the United States of America,
 - 02 Egypt, Iraq, the Canary Islands, Ceuta and Melilla, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman and the United Arab Emirates,
 - 03 All destinations except the United States of America and those of 02 above,
 - 04 Egypt, Iraq, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman and the United Arab Emirates,
 - 05 Canary Islands, Ceuta and Melilla, Singapore,
 - 06 All destinations except the United States of America and those of 04 and 05 above.
- (²) Water, protein and fat contents shall be determined in accordance with recognized ISO (International Organization for Standardization) methods as set out below:
- Water: ISO 1442-1973
 - Protein: Multiplication of the nitrogen content, determined in accordance with ISO 937-1978, by the factor 6,25
 - Fat: ISO 1443-1973.
- (³) For the purpose of determining the percentage of poultrymeat the weight of any bones shall be disregarded.
- (⁴) See Annex II.
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ANNEX II

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the export refunds on poultrymeat

CN code	Description of goods	Product code
0207 39 11	----- Boneless :	
	- Homogenized meat, including mechanically recovered meat :	
	- In the proportion of water : protein not exceeding 4,3 and in the proportion of fat content : protein not exceeding 1,2 (1)	0207 39 11 110
	- Other	0207 39 11 190
	- Other :	
	- Boneless rumps	0207 39 11 910
	- Other	0207 39 11 990
0207 39 31	----- Boneless :	
	- Homogenized meat, including mechanically recovered meat :	
	- In the proportion of water : protein not exceeding 4,3 and in the proportion of fat content : protein not exceeding 1,2 (1)	0207 39 31 110
	- Other	0207 39 31 190
	- Other :	
	- Boneless rumps	0207 39 31 910
	- Other	0207 39 31 990
0207 39 55	----- Of ducks and guinea fowls :	
	- Homogenized meat, including mechanically recovered meat :	
	- In the proportion of water : protein not exceeding 4,3 and in the proportion of fat content : protein not exceeding 1,2 (1)	0207 39 55 110
	- Other	0207 39 55 190
	- Other :	
	- Boneless rumps	0207 39 55 910
	- Other	0207 39 55 990
0207 41 10	----- Boneless :	
	- Homogenized meat, including mechanically recovered meat :	
	- In the proportion of water : protein not exceeding 4,3 and in the proportion of fat content : protein not exceeding 1,2 (1)	0207 41 10 110
	- Other	0207 41 10 190
	- Other :	
	- Boneless rumps	0207 41 10 910
	- Other	0207 41 10 990
0207 42 10	----- Boneless :	
	- Homogenized meat, including mechanically recovered meat :	
	- In the proportion of water : protein not exceeding 4,3 and in the proportion of fat content : protein not exceeding 1,2 (1)	0207 42 10 110
	- Other	0207 42 10 190
	- Other :	
	- Boneless rumps	0207 42 10 910
	- Other	0207 42 10 990
0207 43 15	----- Of ducks and guinea fowls :	
	- Homogenized meat, including mechanically recovered meat :	
	- In the proportion of water : protein not exceeding 4,3 and in the proportion of fat content : protein not exceeding 1,2 (1)	0207 43 15 110
	- Other	0207 43 15 190
	- Other :	
	- Boneless rumps	0207 43 15 910
	- Other	0207 43 15 990

(1) Water, protein and fat contents shall be determined in accordance with recognized ISO (International Organization for Standardization) methods as set out below:

Water: ISO 1442-1973;

Protein: Multiplication of the nitrogen content, determined in accordance with ISO 937-1978, by the factor 6,25;

Fat: ISO 1443-1973.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 718/88
of 18 March 1988
fixing the export refunds on eggs

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in eggs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 4000/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the fifth subparagraph of Article 9 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2774/75 of 29 October 1975 ⁽³⁾ lays down general rules for granting export refunds and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds;

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 central rate, multiplied by the corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1636/87 ⁽⁵⁾;
- 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 it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in eggs that the

refund should be fixed at an amount which would permit Community participation in world trade and would also take account of the nature of these exports and their importance at the present time;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 633/86 of 28 February 1986 laying down specific rules on export refunds in the egg sector following the accession of Portugal and amending Regulation (EEC) No 188/86 ⁽⁶⁾ established the principle that no Community refund should be granted on egg products originating in Portugal;

Whereas, following the introduction of the combined nomenclature by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 ⁽⁷⁾, the nomenclature applicable from 1 January 1988 to export refunds on agricultural products was established by Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 ⁽⁸⁾;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The list of codes of products for which, when they are exported, the export refund referred to in Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 is granted, and the amount of that refund shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.
2. The refund referred to in paragraph 1 shall not be granted in respect of exports to Portugal from 1 March 1986.
3. The refund referred to in paragraph 1 shall not be granted in respect of exports of products originating in Portugal.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 49.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 41.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 68.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 153, 13. 6. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 60, 1. 3. 1986, p. 13.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 366, 24. 12. 1987, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the export refunds on eggs

Product code	Destination (1)	Amount of refund
		ECU/100 units
0407 00 11 000	02	5,20 (2)
0407 00 19 000	02	3,50 (2)
		ECU/100 kg
0407 00 30 000	01	32,00
0408 11 10 000	01	149,00
0408 19 11 000	01	65,00
0408 19 19 000	01	71,00
0408 91 10 000	01	146,00
0408 99 10 000	01	37,00

(1) The destinations are as follows :

- 01 All destinations,
- 02 All destinations except the United States of America.

(2) Only poultry eggs which fulfil the conditions stipulated by the competent authorities of the European Communities are and on which are stamped the identifying number of the producer establishment, and/or other particulars as provided for in Article 5 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2782/75 (OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 100).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 719/88
of 18 March 1988

fixing the rates of the refunds applicable to eggs and egg yolks exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in eggs⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 4000/87⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the fifth subparagraph of Article 9 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation and prices within the Community may be covered by an export refund; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 3035/80 of 11 November 1980 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on certain agricultural products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty, and the criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 4055/87⁽⁴⁾, specifies the products for which a rate of refund should be fixed, to be applied where these products are exported in the form of goods listed in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75;

Whereas, in accordance with the second subparagraph of Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3035/80, the rate of the refund per 100 kg for each of the basic products in question must be fixed for a period of the same duration as that for which refunds are fixed for the same products exported unprocessed;

Whereas, in accordance with paragraph 2 of that Article, when that rate is being determined particular account should be taken of:

- (a) the average costs incurred by processing industries in obtaining supplies of the basic products in question on the Community market and the prices ruling on the world market;
- (b) the level of the refunds on exports of processed agricultural products covered by Annex II to the Treaty which are manufactured under similar conditions; and
- (c) the need to ensure equality of competition for the industries which use Community products and those which use third-country products under inward processing arrangements;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The rates of the refunds applicable to the products appearing in Annex A to Regulation (EEC) No 3035/80 and listed in Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75, exported in the form of goods listed in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission
 COCKFIELD
 Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 49.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 42.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 323, 29. 11. 1980, p. 27.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 379, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the rates of the refunds applicable to eggs and egg yolks exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

<i>(ECU/100 kg)</i>		
CN code	Description	Rate of refund
0407 00	Birds' eggs, in shell, fresh, preserved or cooked :	
	– Of poultry :	
0407 00 30	– – Other	32,00
0408	Birds' eggs, not in shell and egg yolks, fresh, dried, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water, moulded, frozen or otherwise preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter :	
	– Egg yolks :	
	– – Dried :	
0408 11	– – – Suitable for human consumption :	
ex 0408 11 10	not sweetened	149,00
	– – Other :	
	– – – Suitable for human consumption :	
0408 19	– – – – Liquid :	
ex 0408 19 11	not sweetened	65,00
	– – – – Frozen :	
ex 0408 19 19	not sweetened	71,00
	– Other :	
	– – Dried :	
0408 91	– – – Suitable for human consumption :	
ex 0408 91 10	not sweetened	146,00
	– – Other :	
0408 99	– – – Suitable for human consumption :	
ex 0408 99 10	not sweetened	37,00

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 720/88
of 18 March 1988

fixing, for the period 1 January to 31 December 1988, the maximum quantity of certain products of the oils and fats sector to be released for consumption and imported into Portugal

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 476/86 of 25 February 1986 laying down the general rules for the mechanism for controlling the prices and the quantities of certain products in the oils and fats sector released for consumption in Portugal ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1920/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 thereof,

Whereas Article 2 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1184/86 of 21 April 1986 laying down detailed rules for the system for controlling the prices and the quantities of certain products in the oils and fats sector released for consumption in Portugal ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1726/87 ⁽⁴⁾, provides for the fixing of the quantities of oils and fats to be released for consumption in Portugal and the maximum annual volume of imports of such products; whereas the maximum quantities should be fixed in accordance with the criteria defined in Article 292 of the Act of Accession;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For the period 1 January to 31 December 1988 the quantities to be released for consumption in Portugal are hereby fixed at the following levels:

- (a) 65 000 tonnes of soya oil;
- (b) 110 000 tonnes of the oils referred to in Annex I of Regulation (EEC) No 1184/86;
- (c) 35 000 tonnes of other oils and fats intended for human consumption.

2. For the said period, the maximum quantities which may be imported into Portugal are hereby fixed at the following levels:

- (a) 65 000 tonnes of soya oil;
- (b) 98 000 tonnes of the oils referred to in Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 1184/86;
- (c) 35 000 tonnes of other oils and fats intended for human consumption.

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 1 January 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 53, 1. 3. 1986, p. 51.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 183, 3. 7. 1987, p. 18.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 107, 24. 4. 1986, p. 17.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 163, 23. 6. 1987, p. 17.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 721/88**of 18 March 1988****on the sale by special tendering procedure of boned beef and veal held by certain intervention agencies**

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof,

Whereas the Danish, German, Irish and United Kingdom intervention agencies are holding stocks of boned intervention meat; whereas an extension of the period of storage for the meat should be avoided on account of the ensuing high costs; whereas, in consequence, it is advisable to make use of the periodic tendering procedure provided for by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2326/79 ⁽³⁾;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The sale shall take place of approximately:
- 800 tonnes of boned beef and veal held by the Danish intervention agency and put into store before 1 July 1987,

Article 2

- 800 tonnes of boned beef and veal held by the German intervention agency and put into store before 1 November 1987,
- 500 tonnes of boned beef and veal held by the Irish intervention agency and put into store before 1 November 1987,
- 1 000 tonnes of boned beef and veal held by the United Kingdom intervention agency and put into store before 1 July 1987.

2. The sale shall take place by means of a tendering procedure in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2326/79.

3. Only those tenders may be taken into consideration which reach the intervention agencies concerned not later than 12 noon on 16 May 1988.

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 266, 24. 10. 1979, p. 5.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 722/88

of 18 March 1988

laying down the detailed rules for the application of Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 as regards the granting of aid for processed tomato products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 of 24 February 1986 on the common organization of the market in products processed from fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3909/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 3 (4) thereof,

Whereas, to encourage the conclusion of contracts between groups of tomato producers and processors or groups thereof, Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 provides for the granting of an additional premium to the processor under certain conditions; whereas in particular contracts concluded with producers' groups or associations thereof must relate to a significant percentage of the total quantity processed by the processor, fixed at 60 %, and as regards Spain and Portugal at 15 %, by Council Regulation (EEC) No 3732/87 ⁽³⁾;

Whereas, pursuant to the detailed rules for the application of the additional premium arrangements, the term 'producers' groups' should be defined in particular; whereas the term should be understood to mean producers' organizations legally recognized pursuant to Article 13 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 223/88 ⁽⁵⁾, and groups established with a view to concentrating supply and providing entitlement specifically to that premium; however, such groups must not be prejudicial to the producers' organizations operating in this production sector;

Whereas provision should be made for premium applications to be submitted at the same time as production aid applications in accordance with Article 11 (4) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1599/84 of 8 June 1984 laying down detailed rules for the application of the system of production aid for products processed from fruit and vegetables ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 648/88 ⁽⁷⁾;

Whereas the measures provided for this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Products Processed from Fruit and Vegetables,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the purpose of applying Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86, 'producers' group' means:

- producers' organizations established and recognized in accordance with Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72,
- groups established for the conclusion of contracts as referred to in the abovementioned Article 3; such groups shall be recognized by the Member State concerned provided that their members are not part of producers' organizations recognized pursuant to Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 and undertake not to have any of their production taken over by other groups.

Article 2

Processors, processors' groups or associations thereof shall be recognized as qualifying for the premium provided for in Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 where the total quantity of fresh tomatoes delivered in accordance with contracts concluded with producers' groups has been taken over and where the quantities covered by the contracts referred to in Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 are equal at least to the 'significant specific percentages' fixed by the Council in relation to the total quantities processed in accordance with contracts as referred to in the abovementioned Article 3.

Article 3

With a view to determining the premium to be paid to each recipient, the actual percentage which the quantities delivered pursuant to the specific contracts referred to in Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 represent in

(¹) OJ No L 49, 27. 2. 1986, p. 1.
 (²) OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 20.
 (³) OJ No L 352, 15. 12. 1987, p. 4.
 (⁴) OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.
 (⁵) OJ No L 23, 28. 1. 1988, p. 1.
 (⁶) OJ No L 152, 8. 6. 1984, p. 16.
 (⁷) OJ No L 65, 11. 3. 1988, p. 8.

relation to the total quantities delivered for processing and giving entitlement to production aid. To calculate the premium in question, the actual percentage mentioned above shall be applied to the total amount of the production aid due.

Article 4

Processors shall submit a single premium application to the agency designated by the Member State concerned together with their production aid applications submitted pursuant to Article 11 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1599/84. However, for the 1987/88 marketing year,

premium applications shall be lodged by 15 April 1988 at the latest.

Premium applications shall be accompanied by evidence that the processing contracts referred to in Article 3 (1a) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 have been concluded with producers' groups recognized in accordance with Article 1 of this Regulation.

Article 5

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 723/88

of 18 March 1988

fixing for the 1988 marketing year the reference prices for tomatoes

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 223/88⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 27 (1) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 23 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72, reference prices valid for the whole Community are to be fixed at the beginning of the marketing year;

Whereas tomatoes are produced in such quantities in the Community that reference prices should be fixed for them;

Whereas tomatoes harvested during a given crop year are marketed from January to December; whereas the quantities harvested from January to March and during the last 10 days of December are so small that there is no need to fix reference prices for the whole year; whereas reference prices should therefore be fixed only for the period 1 April up to and including 20 December;

Whereas, Article 23 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 stipulates that reference prices are to be fixed at the same level as for the preceding marketing year, adjusted, after deducting the standard cost of transporting Community products between production areas and Community consumption centres in the preceding year, by:

- the increase in production costs for fruit and vegetables, less productivity growth, and
- the standard rate of transport costs in the current marketing year;

Whereas the resulting figure may nevertheless not exceed the arithmetic mean of producer prices in each Member State plus transport costs for the current year, after this amount has been increased by the rise in production costs less productivity growth; whereas the reference price may,

however, not be lower than in the preceding marketing year;

Whereas, to take seasonal variations into account, the year should be divided into several periods and a reference price fixed for each of these periods;

Whereas producer prices are to correspond to the average of the prices recorded on the representative market or markets situated in the production areas where prices are lowest during the three years prior to the date on which the reference price is fixed, for a home-grown product with defined commercial characteristics, being a product or variety representing a substantial proportion of the production marketed over the year or over part thereof and satisfying specified requirements as regards market preparation; whereas, when the average of prices recorded on each representative market is being calculated, prices which could be considered excessively high or excessively low in relation to normal price fluctuations on that market are to be disregarded;

Whereas, in accordance with Articles 140 (2) and 272 (3) of the Act of Accession, the prices of Spanish and Portuguese products will not be used for the purpose of calculating reference prices, during the first phase in the case of Spain and during the first stage in the case of Portugal;

Whereas, up to 10 July, Community-produced tomatoes are grown mainly under glass; whereas the reference prices for this period of the marketing year must therefore be fixed for a product of that type; whereas tomatoes imported from certain third countries during the same period will have been grown in the open; whereas, although such tomatoes may be classed in class I, their quality and price are not comparable with those of products grown under glass; whereas the prices for tomatoes not grown under glass should therefore be adjusted by a conversion factor;

Whereas, from October to December inclusive, tomatoes imported from certain third countries are cultivated under glass; whereas a conversion factor should also be applied to the prices of these tomatoes to make them comparable with the reference prices which are during this period calculated on the basis of prices of Community products cultivated in the open;

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 23, 28. 1. 1988, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. For the 1988 marketing year, the reference prices for tomatoes (CN code 0702 00), expressed in ECU per 100 kg net of packed products of class I, of all sizes, shall be as follows :

— April :	197,27
— May :	136,75
— 1 June to 10 July :	99,96
— 11 July to 31 August :	41,24
— September :	44,63
— 1 October to 20 December :	45,73.

2. For the purpose of calculating the entry price :

- (a) the prices for tomatoes not produced under glass, imported from third countries, shall, after deduction of customs duties, be multiplied :
- for April, by a conversion factor of 1,80,
 - for May, by a conversion factor of 1,70,
 - from 1 June to 10 July by a conversion factor of 1,65 ;
- (b) the price for tomatoes produced under glass and imported from third countries shall, after deduction of customs duties, be multiplied by a conversion factor of 0,65 from 1 October to 20 December.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 April 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission
Frans ANDRIESEN
Vice-President

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 724/88
of 18 March 1988**

fixing for the 1988 marketing year the reference prices for aubergines

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 223/88⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 27 (1) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 23 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72, reference prices valid for the whole Community are to be fixed at the beginning of the marketing year;

Whereas aubergines are produced in such quantities in the Community that reference prices should be fixed for them;

Whereas aubergines harvested during a given crop year are marketed from January to December; whereas the quantities harvested from 1 January to 31 March and in November and December are so small that there is no need to fix reference prices for these periods; whereas reference prices should be fixed only for the period 1 April to 31 October inclusive;

Whereas Article 23 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 stipulates that reference prices are to be fixed at the same level as for the preceding marketing year, adjusted, after deducting the standard cost of transporting Community products between production areas and Community consumption centres in the preceding year, by:

- the increase in production costs for fruit and vegetables, less productivity growth, and
- the standard rate of transport costs in the current marketing year;

Whereas the resulting figure may nevertheless not exceed the arithmetic mean of producer prices in each Member State plus transport costs for the current year, after this amount has been increased by the rise in production costs less productivity growth; whereas the reference price may,

however, not be lower than in the preceding marketing year;

Whereas, to take seasonal price variations into account, the marketing year should be divided into several periods and a reference price fixed for each of these periods;

Whereas producer prices are to correspond to the average of the prices recorded on the representative market or markets situated in the production areas where prices are lowest, during the three years prior to the date on which the reference price is fixed, for a home-grown product with defined commercial characteristics, being a product or variety representing a substantial proportion of the production marketed over the year or over part thereof and satisfying specified requirements as regards market preparation; whereas, when the average of prices recorded on each representative market is being calculated, prices which could be considered excessively high or excessively low in relation to normal price fluctuations on that market are to be disregarded;

Whereas, in accordance with Articles 140 (2) and 272 (3) of the Act of Accession, the prices of Spanish and Portuguese products will not be used for the purpose of calculating reference prices, during the first phase in the case of Spain and during the first stage in the case of Portugal;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1988 marketing year, the reference prices for aubergines (CN code 0709 30 00), expressed in ECU per 100 kilograms net of packed products of class I, of all sizes, shall be as follows:

— April :	87,72
— May :	82,00
— June :	77,78
— July :	69,85
— August :	46,72
— September :	50,09
— October :	53,60.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 April 1988.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 23, 28. 1. 1988, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 725/88

of 18 March 1988

on the sale at a price fixed in advance of certain boned beef held by certain intervention agencies

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof,

Whereas the possibility of permanent intervention in beef and veal has led to the build-up of considerable stocks in the Community; whereas some of the intervention purchases have been stored in the form of boned meat in order to improve the intervention system in accordance with Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2226/78 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3988/87 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 98/69 ⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 429/77 ⁽⁶⁾, provides that the selling prices of frozen beef and veal bought in by the intervention agencies may be fixed in advance; whereas it is appropriate to make use of this system of selling;

Whereas it is important to comply with the provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79 ⁽⁷⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1809/87 ⁽⁸⁾, with regard to selling at a price fixed in advance;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1055/77 ⁽⁹⁾ provides that, in the case of products held by an intervention agency and stored outside the territory of the Member State within whose jurisdiction that agency falls, a selling price different from that for products stored on that territory may be fixed; whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1805/77 ⁽¹⁰⁾ laid down the method of calculating the selling prices for those products; whereas,

in order to avoid any confusion, it should be made clear that the prices fixed by this Regulation do not apply as they stand to those products;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. During the period 23 March 1988 to 11 May 1988 the sale shall take place of approximately:

- 13 tonnes of boned beef held by the Irish intervention agency and put into store before 1 April 1986,
- 500 tonnes of boned beef held by the Danish intervention agency and put into store before 1 January 1986,
- 30 tonnes of boned beef held by the United Kingdom intervention agency and put into store before 1 January 1986.

The qualities and prices of this meat are given in Annex I.

2. During the period 23 March 1988 to 11 May 1988 the sale shall take place of approximately:

- 800 tonnes of boned beef held by the Danish intervention agency and put into store before 1 July 1987,
- 1 000 tonnes of boned beef held by the German intervention agency and put into store before 1 November 1987,
- 500 tonnes of boned beef and veal held by the Irish intervention agency and put into store before 1 November 1987,
- 500 tonnes of boned beef held by the United Kingdom intervention agency and put into store before 1 July 1987.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 261, 26. 9. 1978, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 376, 31. 12. 1987, p. 31.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 14, 21. 1. 1969, p. 2.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 18.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 251, 5. 10. 1979, p. 12.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 170, 30. 6. 1987, p. 23.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 128, 24. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 198, 5. 8. 1977, p. 19.

The qualities and prices of this meat are given in Annex II.

3. The intervention agencies shall sell first the meat which has been in storage longest.

4. Sales shall take place in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79, and in particular Articles 2 to 5 thereof.

5. Particulars relating to the quantities and the places where the products are stored may be obtained by interested parties at the addresses given in Annex III.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANEXO I — BILAG I — ANHANG I — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ I — ANNEX I — ANNEXE I —
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Precio de venta expresado en ECU por tonelada ⁽¹⁾(²) — Salgspriser i ECU/ton ⁽¹⁾(²) — Verkaufspreise, ausgedrückt in ECU/Tonne ⁽¹⁾(²) — Τιμές πώλησως εκφραζόμενες σε ECU ανά τόνο ⁽¹⁾(²) — Selling prices expressed in ECU per tonne ⁽¹⁾(²) — Prix de vente exprimés en Écus par tonne ⁽¹⁾(²) — Prezzi di vendita espressi in ECU per tonnellata ⁽¹⁾(²) — Verkooprijzen uitgedrukt in Ecu per ton ⁽¹⁾(²) — Preço de venda expresso em ECUs por tonelada ⁽¹⁾(²)

1. IRELAND	<i>Steers / Category C</i>	
Fillets	9 000	
Striploins	4 000	
2. DANMARK	<i>Ungtyre 1. kvalitet / Kategori A</i>	<i>Stude 1. kvalitet / Kategori C</i>
Filet med entrecôte og tyndsteg	3 860	3 760
3. UNITED KINGDOM	<i>Steers / Category C</i>	
Striploins	4 300	

- (¹) En caso de que los productos estén almacenados fuera del Estado miembro al que pertenezca el organismo de intervención poseedor, estos precios se ajustarán con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el Reglamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.
- (²) I tilfælde, hvor varer er oplagrede uden for den medlemsstat, hvor interventionsorganet er hjemmehørende, tilpasses disse priser i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i forordning (EØF) nr. 1805/77.
- (³) Falls die Lagerung der Erzeugnisse außerhalb des für die betreffende Interventionsstelle zuständigen Mitgliedstaats erfolgt, werden diese Preise gemäß den Vorschriften der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1805/77 angepaßt.
- (⁴) Στην περίπτωση που τα προϊόντα είναι αποθεματοποιημένα εκτός του κράτους μέλους στο οποίο υπάγεται ο αρμόδιος οργανισμός παρεμβάσεως, οι τιμές αυτές προσαρμόζονται σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 1805/77.
- (⁵) In the case of products stored outside the Member State where the intervention agency responsible for them is situated, these prices shall be adjusted in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1805/77.
- (⁶) Au cas où les produits sont stockés en dehors de l'État membre dont relève l'organisme d'intervention détenteur, ces prix sont ajustés conformément aux dispositions du règlement (CEE) n° 1805/77.
- (⁷) Qualora i prodotti siano immagazzinati fuori dello Stato membro da cui dipende l'organismo detentore, detti prezzi vengono ritoccati in conformità del disposto del regolamento (CEE) n. 1805/77.
- (⁸) Ingeval de produkten zijn opgeslagen buiten de Lid-Staat waaronder het interventiebureau dat deze produkten onder zich heeft ressorteert, worden deze prijzen aangepast overeenkomstig de bepalingen van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1805/77.
- (⁹) No caso de os produtos estarem armazenados fora do Estado-membro de que depende o organismo de intervenção detentor, estes preços serão ajustados conforme o disposto no Regulamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.
- (¹⁰) Estos precios se entenderán netos con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el apartado 1 del artículo 17 del Reglamento (CEE) n° 2173/79.
- (¹¹) Disse priser gælder netto i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i artikel 17, stk. 1, i forordning (EØF) nr. 2173/79.
- (¹²) Diese Preise gelten netto gemäß den Vorschriften von Artikel 17 Absatz 1 der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 2173/79.
- (¹³) Οι τιμές αυτές εφαρμόζονται επί του καθαρού βάρους σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του άρθρου 17 παράγραφος 1 του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 2173/79.
- (¹⁴) These prices shall apply to net weight in accordance with the provisions of Article 17 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79.
- (¹⁵) Ces prix s'entendent poids net conformément aux dispositions de l'article 17 paragraphe 1 du règlement (CEE) n° 2173/79.
- (¹⁶) Il prezzo si intende peso netto in conformità del disposto dell'articolo 17, paragrafo 1 del regolamento (CEE) n. 2173/79.
- (¹⁷) Deze prijzen gelden netto, overeenkomstig de bepalingen van artikel 17, lid 1, van Verordening (EEG) nr. 2173/79.
- (¹⁸) Estes preços aplicam-se a peso líquido, conforme o disposto no n° 1 do artigo 17° do Regulamento (CEE) n° 2173/79.

ANEXO II — BILAG II — ANHANG II — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ II — ANNEX II — ANNEXE II —
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1. DANMARK	Ungtyre 1. kvalitet / Kategori A	Stude 1. kvalitet / Kategori C
Inderlår med kappe	3 800	3 700
Tykstegsfilet med kappe	3 220	3 120
Klump med kappe	3 225	3 125
Yderlår med lårtunge	3 545	3 365
Mørbrad med bimørbrad	8 755	8 655
Bryst og slag	1 870	1 800

2. BUNDESREPUBLIK DEUTSCHLAND	Bullen A / Kategorie A	Ochsen A / Kategorie C
Filet	11 625	11 415
Oberschalen	3 890	3 890
Unterschalen	3 700	3 645
Kugeln	3 685	3 610
Hüfte	3 360	3 365
Roastbeef	6 070	6 115
Kniekehlfleisch	2 425	2 350
Dünnung	1 740	1 740
Hesse	2 200	2 200

3. IRELAND	Steers / Category C
Insidés	3 805
Outsidés	3 360
Knuckles	3 250
Rumps	3 595
Forequarters (excluding cube rolls)	2 590
Plates and flanks	1 845
Thin flanks	1 845
Plates	1 845
Shins and shanks	2 360
Shins	2 315
Shanks	2 315
Fillets	10 625
Striploins	4 715

(1) En caso de que los productos estén almacenados fuera del Estado miembro al que pertenezca el organismo de intervención poseedor, estos precios se ajustarán con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el Reglamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(1) I tilfælde, hvor varer er oplagrede uden for den medlemsstat, hvor interventionsorganet er hjemmehørende, tilpasses disse priser i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i forordning (EØF) nr. 1805/77.

(1) Falls die Lagerung der Erzeugnisse außerhalb des für die betreffende Interventionsstelle zuständigen Mitgliedstaats erfolgt, werden diese Preise gemäß den Vorschriften der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1805/77 angepaßt.

(1) Στην περίπτωση που τα προϊόντα είναι αποθεματοποιημένα εκτός του κράτους μέλους στο οποίο υπάρχει ο αρμόδιος οργανισμός παρεμβάσεως, οι τιμές αυτές προσαρμόζονται σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 1805/77.

(1) In the case of products stored outside the Member State where the intervention agency responsible for them is situated, these prices shall be adjusted in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1805/77.

(1) Au cas où les produits sont stockés en dehors de l'État membre dont relève l'organisme d'intervention détenteur, ces prix sont ajustés conformément aux dispositions du règlement (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(1) Qualora i prodotti siano immagazzinati fuori dello Stato membro da cui dipende l'organismo detentore, detti prezzi vengono ritoccati in conformità del disposto del regolamento (CEE) n. 1805/77.

(1) Ingeval de produkten zijn opgeslagen buiten de Lid-Staat waaronder het interventiebureau dat deze produkten onder zich heeft ressorteert, worden deze prijzen aangepast overeenkomstig de bepalingen van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1805/77.

(1) No caso de os produtos estarem armazenados fora do Estado-membro de que depende o organismo de intervenção detentor, estes preços serão ajustados conforme o disposto no Regulamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(2) Estos precios se entenderán netos con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el apartado 1 del artículo 17 del Reglamento (CEE) n° 2173/79.

(2) Disse priser gælder netto i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i artikel 17, stk. 1, i forordning (EØF) nr. 2173/79.

(2) Diese Preise gelten netto gemäß den Vorschriften von Artikel 17 Absatz 1 der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 2173/79.

(2) Οι τιμές αυτές εφαρμόζονται επί του καθαρού βάρους σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του άρθρου 17 παράγραφος 1 του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 2173/79.

(2) These prices shall apply to net weight in accordance with the provisions of Article 17 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79.

(2) Ces prix s'entendent poids net conformément aux dispositions de l'article 17 paragraphe 1 du règlement (CEE) n° 2173/79.

(2) Il prezzo si intende peso netto in conformità del disposto dell'articolo 17, paragrafo 1 del regolamento (CEE) n. 2173/79.

(2) Deze prijzen gelden netto, overeenkomstig de bepalingen van artikel 17, lid 1, van Verordening (BEG) nr. 2173/79.

(2) Estes preços aplicam-se a peso líquido, conforme o disposto no n° 1 do artigo 17° do Regulamento (CEE) n° 2173/79.

4. UNITED KINGDOM

Steers / Category C

Topsides	3 925
Silversides	3 770
Thick flanks	3 360
Rumps	3 830
Foreribs	3 000
Thin flanks	1 895
Flanks (plate)	1 895
Shins and shanks	2 450
Pony parts	2 200
Clod and sticking	2 510
Brisket	2 415
Ponies	2 715
Fillets	9 790
Striploins	4 580

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 726/88

of 18 March 1988

on the sale by the procedure laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 of beef held by certain intervention agencies and intended for processing and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 164/88

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 of 5 September 1984 laying down detailed rules for certain sales of frozen beef held by the intervention agencies⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1809/87⁽⁴⁾, has provided for the possibility of applying a two-stage procedure when selling beef from intervention stocks;

Whereas certain intervention agencies are holding stocks of bone-in beef; whereas an extension of the period of storage should be avoided on account of the ensuing high costs; whereas, in the present market situation, there are outlets for such meat for processing in the Community;

Whereas such sales should be made in accordance with Commission Regulations (EEC) No 2539/84 and (EEC) No 1687/76⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 160/88⁽⁶⁾, and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3988/87⁽⁸⁾, subject to certain special exceptions on account of the particular use to which the products in question are to be put;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 164/88 should be repealed⁽⁹⁾;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The following approximate quantities of beef shall be put up for sale for processing within the Community:

- (1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
- (2) OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.
- (3) OJ No L 238, 6. 9. 1984, p. 13.
- (4) OJ No L 170, 30. 6. 1987, p. 23.
- (5) OJ No L 190, 14. 7. 1976, p. 1.
- (6) OJ No L 18, 22. 1. 1988, p. 23.
- (7) OJ No L 251, 1. 10. 1977, p. 60.
- (8) OJ No L 376, 31.12. 1987, p. 31.
- (9) OJ No L 18, 22. 1. 1988, p. 36.

— 1 500 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the Belgian intervention agency and bought in before 1 October 1986,

— 3 000 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the German intervention agency and bought in before 1 May 1986,

— 2 000 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the Netherlands intervention agency and bought in before 1 May 1986,

— 1 500 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the Spanish intervention agency and bought in before 1 January 1987,

— 2 000 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the United Kingdom intervention agency and bought in before 1 December 1986;

— 1 500 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the Italian intervention agency and bought in before 1 March 1987,

— 2 000 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the Irish intervention agency and bought in before 1 November 1986.

2. The intervention agencies referred to in paragraph 1 shall sell first the meat which has been stored the longest.

3. The sales shall be conducted in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 together with Regulations (EEC) No 1687/76, (EEC) No 2182/77 and this Regulation.

4. The qualities and the minimum prices referred to in Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 are given in Annex I hereto.

5. Only those tenders shall be taken into consideration which reach the intervention agencies concerned no later than 12 noon on 24 March 1988.

6. Particulars relating to the quantities and the places where the products are stored may be obtained by interested parties at the addresses given in Annex II.

Article 2

1. Notwithstanding Article 3 (1) and (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77, the offer or, the case being, applications to purchase:

(a) shall be valid only if presented by a natural or legal person who for at least 12 months has been engaged in the processing of products containing beef and who is entered in a public register of a Member State ;

(b) must be accompanied by :

— a written undertaking by the applicant to process the meat purchased into products specified in Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77 within the period referred to in Article 5 (1) of the abovementioned Regulation,

— a precise indication of the establishment or establishments where the meat which has been purchased will be processed.

2. The applicants referred to in paragraph 1 may instruct an agent to take delivery, on their behalf, of the products which they purchase. In this case the agent shall submit the applications to purchase of the offers or, the case being, the purchasers whom he represents.

3. The purchasers and agents referred to in the foregoing paragraphs shall maintain and keep up to date an accounting system which permits the destination and use of the products to be ascertained with a view particularly to checking to ensure that the quantities of products purchased and manufactured tally.

Article 3

The time limit for taking over meat of two months set in Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 is replaced by one month.

Article 4

1. The security provided for in Article 5 (1) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 shall be 5 ECU per 100 kilograms.

2. The security provided for in Article 5 (3) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 shall be 100 ECU per 100 kilograms for unboned hindquarters intended for the manufacture of the products specified in Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77.

Article 5

For the purpose of this Regulation 100 kilograms of bone-in hindquarters equals 64 kilograms of boneless meat after removal of the fillet and the striploin.

Article 6

Regulation (EEC) No 164/88 is hereby replaced.

Article 7

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANEXO I — BILAG I — ANHANG I — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ I — ANNEX I — ANNEXE I — ALLEGATO I — BIJLAGE I — ANEXO I

Estado miembro Medlemsstat Mitgliedstaat Κράτος μέλος Member State État membre Stato membro Lid-Staat Estado-membro	Productos Produkter Erzeugnisse Προϊόντα Products Produits Prodotti Produkten Produtos	Cantidades (toneladas) Mængde (tons) Mengen (Tonnen) Ποσότητες (τόνοι) Quantities (tonnes) Quantités (tonnes) Quantità (tonnellate) Hoeveelheid (ton) Quantidade (toneladas)	Precio mínimo expresado en ECU por tonelada (1) (2) Mindstepriser i ECU/ton (1) (2) Mindestpreise, ausgedrückt in ECU/Tonne (1) (2) Ελάχιστες τιμές πώλησης εκφρασόμενες σε ECU ανά τόνο (1) (2) Minimum prices expressed in ECU per tonne (1) (2) Prix minimaux exprimés en Écus par tonne (1) (2) Prezzi minimi espressi in ECU per tonnellata (1) (2) Minimumprijzen uitgedrukt in Ecu per ton (1) (2) Preço mínimo expresso em ECUs por tonelada (1) (2)
Belgique/België	— Quartiers arrière provenant des: — Achtervoeten afkomstig van: Catégorie A / categorie A	1 500	1 750
Nederland	— Achtervoeten afkomstig van: Categorie A	2 000	1 750
United Kingdom	— Hindquarters from: Steers / Category C	2 000	1 750
Italia	— Quarti posteriori provenienti dai: Vitelloni / Categoria A	1 500	1 750
España	— Trasero: animales jóvenes machos	1 500	1 750
Bundesrepublik Deutschland	— Hinterviertel: Kategorie A	3 000	1 750
Ireland	— Hindquarters from: Steers / Category C	2 000	1 750

(1) En caso de que los productos estén almacenados fuera del Estado miembro al que pertenece el organismo de intervención poseedor, estos precios se ajustarán con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el Reglamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(2) I tilfælde, hvor varer er oplagrede uden for den medlemsstat, hvor interventionsorganet er hjemmehørende, tilpasses disse priser i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i forordning (EØF) nr. 1805/77.

(3) Falls die Lagerung der Erzeugnisse außerhalb des für die betreffende Interventionsstelle zuständigen Mitgliedstaats erfolgt, werden diese Preise gemäß den Vorschriften der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1805/77 angepaßt.

(4) Στην περίπτωση που τα προϊόντα είναι αποθεματοποιημένα εκτός του κράτους μέλους στο οποίο υπάρχει ο αρμόδιος οργανισμός παρεμβάσεως, οι τιμές αυτές προσαρμόζονται σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 1805/77.

(5) In the case of products stored outside the Member State where the intervention agency responsible for them is situated, these prices shall be adjusted in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1805/77.

(6) Au cas où les produits sont stockés en dehors de l'État membre dont relève l'organisme d'intervention détenteur, ces prix sont ajustés conformément aux dispositions du règlement (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(7) Qualora i prodotti siano immagazzinati fuori dello Stato membro da cui dipende l'organismo detentore, detti prezzi vengono ritoccati in conformità del disposto del regolamento (CEE) n. 1805/77.

(8) Ingeval de produkten zijn opgeslagen buiten de Lid-Staat waaronder het interventiebureau dat deze produkten onder zich heeft resorteert, worden deze prijzen aangepast overeenkomstig de bepalingen van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1805/77.

(9) No caso de os produtos estarem armazenados fora do Estado-membro de que depende o organismo de intervenção detentor, estes preços serão ajustados conforme o disposto no Regulamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(10) Estos precios se entenderán netos con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el apartado 1 del artículo 17 del Reglamento (CEE) n° 2173/79.

(11) Disse priser gælder netto i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i artikel 17, stk. 1, i forordning (EØF) nr. 2173/79.

(12) Diese Preise gelten netto gemäß den Vorschriften von Artikel 17 Absatz 1 der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 2173/79.

(13) Οι τιμές αυτές εφαρμόζονται επί του καθαρού βάρους σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του άρθρου 17 παράγραφος 1 του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 2173/79.

(14) These prices shall apply to net weight in accordance with the provisions of Article 17 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79.

(15) Ces prix s'entendent poids net conformément aux dispositions de l'article 17 paragraphe 1 du règlement (CEE) n° 2173/79.

(16) Il prezzo si intende peso netto in conformità del disposto dell'articolo 17, paragrafo 1 del regolamento (CEE) n. 2173/79.

(17) Deze prijzen gelden netto, overeenkomstig de bepalingen van artikel 17, lid 1, van Verordening (EEG) nr. 2173/79.

(18) Estes preços aplicam-se a peso líquido, conforme o disposto no n° 1 do artigo 17° do Regulamento (CEE) n° 2173/79.

*ANEXO II — BILAG II — ANHANG II — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ II — ANNEX II — ANNEXE II —
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**Direcciones de los organismos de intervención — Interventionsorganernes adresser —
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COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 727/88
of 18 March 1988

on the sale by the procedure laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 of beef held by certain intervention agencies and intended for export, amending Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 165/88

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 of 5 September 1984 laying down detailed rules for certain sales of frozen beef held by the intervention agencies⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1809/87⁽⁴⁾, has provided for the possibility of applying a two-stage procedure when selling beef from intervention stocks;

Whereas certain intervention agencies hold substantial stocks of boned intervention meat; whereas an extension of the period of storage for the meat bought in should be avoided on account of the ensuing high costs; whereas outlets exist in certain third countries for the products in question and it is appropriate therefore to offer this meat for sale in accordance with Commission Regulations (EEC) No 2539/84 and (EEC) No 2824/85⁽⁵⁾ with certain derogating provisions applying in order to cover cases where the beef is stored in another Member State;

Whereas it is necessary to lay down a time limit for export of the said meat; whereas this time limit should be fixed by taking into account Article 5 (b) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2377/80 of 4 September 1980 on special detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences in the beef and veal sector⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3988/87⁽⁷⁾;

Whereas in order to ensure that beef sold is exported the lodging of security, as specified at (a) of Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84, should be required;

Whereas it is appropriate to specify that, in view of the prices which have been fixed in the context of this sale in order to permit the disposal of certain cuts, exports of such cuts should not be eligible for the refunds periodically fixed in the beef and veal sector; whereas, for the same reason, the additional code No 7034 referred to in Part 3 of the Appendix to Annex I to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3938/87 of 23 December 1987 fixing the monetary compensatory amounts applicable in the agricultural sector and certain coefficients and rates required for their application⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 652/88⁽⁹⁾, should be made applicable;

Whereas Article 2 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3155/85 of 11 November 1985 providing for the advance fixing of monetary compensatory amounts⁽¹⁰⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1002/86⁽¹¹⁾, stipulates that monetary compensatory amounts may be fixed in advance only if the export refund is fixed in advance; whereas the absence of refunds for the meat in question means that this requirement cannot be met; whereas for the sake of impartiality it should in this instance be suspended so that advance fixing of the monetary compensatory amounts can be permitted;

Whereas products held by intervention agencies and intended for export are subject to the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76⁽¹²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 481/88⁽¹³⁾; whereas, however, Annex I to the said Regulation setting out the entries to be made in control copies should be expanded;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 165/88⁽¹⁴⁾ should be repealed;

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 238, 6. 9. 1984, p. 13.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 170, 30. 6. 1987, p. 23.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 268, 10. 10. 1985, p. 14.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 241, 13. 9. 1980, p. 5.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 376, 31. 12. 1987, p. 31.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 372, 31. 12. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 68, 14. 3. 1988, p. 1.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ No L 310, 21. 11. 1985, p. 22.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ No L 93, 8. 4. 1986, p. 8.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ No L 190, 14. 7. 1976, p. 1.

⁽¹³⁾ OJ No L 49, 23. 2. 1988, p. 11.

⁽¹⁴⁾ OJ No L 18, 22. 1. 1988, p. 40.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 4

Article 1

1. Part of the stocks of boned intervention beef held by the intervention agencies of Denmark, Germany, France, Ireland and the United Kingdom shall be sold.

This meat shall be for export.

Subject to the provisions of this Regulation, the sale shall take place in accordance with the provisions of Regulations (EEC) No 2539/84 and (EEC) No 2824/85. However in derogation from Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2824/85 authorization to repack may also be given for meat stored outside the Member State of the intervention agency holding it.

The provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 985/81⁽¹⁾ shall not apply to this sale.

2. The qualities and the minimum prices referred to in Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 are given in Annex I hereto.

3. Only those tenders shall be taken into consideration which reach the intervention agencies concerned no later than 12 noon on 24 March 1988.

4. Particulars relating to the quantities and the places where the products are stored may be obtained by interested parties at the addresses given in Annex II.

Article 2

1. The time limit of two months for taking over meat set in Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 is extended to three months.

2. The products specified in Article 1 must be exported within six months of the date of conclusion of the contract of sale.

Article 3

1. The security provided for in Article 5 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 shall be 10 ECU per 100 kilograms.

2. The security provided for at Article 5 (2) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 shall be :

- 450 ECU per 100 kilograms of the meat referred to under 1 a), 2 a), 3 a), 4 a) and 5 a) in Annex I,
- 350 ECU per 100 kilograms of the meat referred to under 1 b), 2 b), 3 b), 4 b) and 5 b) in Annex I.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 99, 10. 4. 1981, p. 38.

In the case of the meat referred to under 1 b), 2 b), 3 b), 4 b) and 5 b) in Annex I :

- (a) no export refund shall be granted ;
- (b) additional code No 7034 referred to in Part 3 of the Appendix to Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 3938/87 shall apply ; and
- (c) by way of derogation from Article 2 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3155/85 the monetary compensatory amount may be fixed in advance.

In cases where use is made of the option specified at (c) :

- the application for advance fixing must be lodged at the same time as the application for the export licence,
- the application for advance fixing must be accompanied by the contract of sale,
- the export licence may be used for intervention meat only,
- Section 18 (a) of the export licence shall carry the following entry in one of the Community languages :
 - Válido únicamente para carnes de intervención vendidas con arreglo al Reglamento (CEE) n° 727/88
 - Kun gyldig for interventionskød solgt i henhold til forordning (EØF) nr. 727/88
 - Nur gültig für Interventionsfleisch — Verkauf gemäß der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 727/88
 - Ισχύει μόνο για τα κρέατα παρέμβασης που πωλούνται βάσει του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 727/88
 - Valid only for intervention meat sold under Regulation (EEC) No 727/88
 - Seulement valable pour les viandes d'intervention vendues sous règlement (CEE) n° 727/88
 - Valido esclusivamente per carni di intervento vendute a norma del regolamento (CEE) n. 727/88
 - Uitsluitend geldig voor vlees uit de interventievoorraden dat wordt verkocht in het kader van Verordening (EEG) nr. 727/88
 - Apenas válido para carne de intervenção vendida nos termos do Regulamento (CEE) n° 727/88

Article 5

Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 is hereby amended as follows :

In Part I of the Annex, 'Products to be exported in the same state as that in which they were when removed from intervention stock', the following item 42 and footnote are added :

'42. Commission Regulation (EEC) No 727/88 of 18 March 1988 on the sale by procedure laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2539/84 of beef held by certain intervention agencies and intended for export⁽⁴²⁾.

⁽⁴²⁾ OJ No L 74, 19. 3. 1988, p. 64.'

Article 6

Regulation (EEC) No 165/88 is hereby repealed.

Article 7

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

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Precio mínimo expresado en ECU por tonelada ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Mindestpreise in ECU/ton ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Mindestpreise, ausgedrückt in ECU/Tonne ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Ελάχιστες τιμές πώλησεως εκφραζόμενες σε ECU ανά τόνο ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Minimum prices expressed in ECU per tonne ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Prix minimaux exprimés en Écus par tonne ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Prezzi minimi espressi in ECU per tonnellata ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Minimumprijzen uitgedrukt in Ecu per ton ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ — Preço mínimo expresso em ECUs por tonelada ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾

1. DANMARK

a) Mørbrad med bimørbrad	6 000
Filet med entrecôte og tyndsteg	2 500
Inderlår med kappe	2 275
Tykstegsfilet med kappe	2 275
Klump med kappe	2 275
Yderlår med lårtunge	2 275
b) Bryst og slag	1 000
Øvrigt kød af forfjerdinger	1 000
Skank og muskel sammenhængende	1 000

2. FRANCE

a) Filet	5 500
Faux filet	2 500
Tende de tranche	2 275
Tranche grasse	2 275
Rumpsteak	2 275
Entrecôte	2 275
Gîte à la noix	2 275
b) Caisse B	1 000
Jarret	1 000
Caisse C	1 000
Boule de macreuse	1 000
Caisse A	1 000
Bavette	1 000
Boule de gîte	1 000

3. IRELAND

a) Fillets	6 650
Striploins	2 800
Insides	2 275
Outsides	2 275
Knuckles	2 275
Rumps	2 275
Cube rolls	2 400
b) Shins and shanks	1 000
Shanks	1 000
Shins	1 000
Plates and flanks	1 000
Forequarters	1 000
Flanks	1 000
Plates	1 000
Briskets	1 000
Shanks and/or shins	1 000
Flanks and/or plates	1 000

4. BUNDESREPUBLIK DEUTSCHLAND

a) Roastbeef	2 500
Oberschalen	2 300
Unterschalen	2 300
Kugeln	2 300
Hüften	2 100

5. UNITED KINGDOM

a) Fillets	5 500
Striploins	2 800
Topsides	2 275
Silversides	2 275
Thick flanks	2 275
Rumps	2 275
b) Hindquarter skirts	1 000
Shins and shanks	1 000
Clod and sticking	1 000
Ponies	1 000
Pony parts	1 000
Striploin flank-edge	1 000
Thin flanks	1 000
Forequarter flanks	1 000
Briskets	1 000
Foreribs	1 000

⁽¹⁾ En caso de que los productos estén almacenados fuera del Estado miembro al que pertenezca el organismo de intervención poseedor, estos precios se ajustarán con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el Reglamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

⁽²⁾ I tilfælde, hvor varerne er oplagrede uden for den medlemsstat, hvor interventionsorganet er hjemmehørende, tilpasses disse priser i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i forordning (EØF) nr. 1805/77.

⁽³⁾ Falls die Lagerung der Erzeugnisse außerhalb des für die betreffende Interventionsstelle zuständigen Mitgliedstaats erfolgt, werden diese Preise gemäß den Vorschriften der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1805/77 angepaßt.

⁽⁴⁾ Στην περίπτωση που τα προϊόντα είναι αποθεματοποιημένα εκτός του κράτους μέλους στο οποίο υπάγεται ο αρμόδιος οργανισμός παρεμβάσεως, οι τιμές αυτές προσαρμόζονται σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 1805/77.

⁽⁵⁾ In the case of products stored outside the Member State where the intervention agency responsible for them is situated, these prices shall be adjusted in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1805/77.

⁽⁶⁾ Au cas où les produits sont stockés en dehors de l'État membre dont relève l'organisme d'intervention détenteur, ces prix sont ajustés conformément aux dispositions du règlement (CEE) n° 1805/77.

⁽⁷⁾ Qualora i prodotti siano immagazzinati fuori dello Stato membro da cui dipende l'organismo detentore, detti prezzi vengono ritoccati in conformità del disposto del regolamento (CEE) n. 1805/77.

- (¹) Ingeval de produkten zijn opgeslagen buiten de Lid-Staat waaronder het interventiebureau dat deze produkten onder zich heeft ressorteert, worden deze prijzen aangepast overeenkomstig de bepalingen van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1805/77.
- (¹) No caso de os produtos estarem armazenados fora do Estado-membro de que depende o organismo de intervenção detentor, estes preços serão ajustados conforme o disposto no Regulamento (CEE) n.º 1805/77.
- (¹) Estos precios se entenderán netos con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el apartado 1 del artículo 17 del Reglamento (CEE) n.º 2173/79.
- (¹) Disse priser gælder netto i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i artikel 17, stk. 1, i forordning (EØF) nr. 2173/79.
- (¹) Diese Preise gelten netto gemäß den Vorschriften von Artikel 17 Absatz 1 der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 2173/79.
- (¹) Οι τιμές αυτές εφαρμόζονται επί του καθαρού βάρους σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του άρθρου 17 παράγραφος 1 του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 2173/79.
- (¹) These prices shall apply to net weight in accordance with the provisions of Article 17 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79.
- (¹) Ces prix s'entendent poids net conformément aux dispositions de l'article 17 paragraphe 1 du règlement (CEE) n.º 2173/79.
- (¹) Il prezzo si intende peso netto in conformità del disposto dell'articolo 17, paragrafo 1 del regolamento (CEE) n. 2173/79.
- (¹) Deze prijzen gelden netto, overeenkomstig de bepalingen van artikel 17, lid 1, van Verordening (EEG) nr. 2173/79.
- (¹) Estes preços aplicam-se a peso líquido, conforme o disposto no Regulamento (CEE) n.º 2173/79.
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COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 728/88
of 18 March 1988

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, products of category 97 (order number 40.0970), originating in China, to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3783/87 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3783/87 of 3 December 1987 concerning the administration of the generalized tariff preferences for 1988 in respect of textile products originating in developing countries⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Whereas Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 3783/87 provides that preferential tariff treatment shall be accorded, for each category of products subjected in Annexes I and II of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3782/87⁽²⁾ to individual ceilings, within the limits of the quantities specified in column 7 of its Annexes I or II, in respect of certain or each of the countries or territories of origin referred to in column 5 of the same Annexes;

Whereas Article 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 once the relevant individual ceilings have been reached at Community level;

Whereas, in respect of nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, products of category 97 (order number 40.0970), the relevant ceiling amounts to 7 tonnes;

Whereas on 14 March 1988 imports of the products in question into the Community, originating in China, a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached and were charged against that ceiling;

Whereas it is appropriate to re-establish the levying of customs duties for the products in question with regard to China,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 22 March 1988 the levying of customs duties, suspended pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 3782/87, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in China:

Order No	Category	CN code	Description
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
40.0970	97	5608 11 11 5608 11 19 5608 11 91 5608 11 99 5608 19 11 5608 19 19 5608 19 31 5608 19 39 5608 19 91 5608 19 99 5608 90 00	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope

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 367, 28. 12. 1987, p. 58.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 367, 28. 12. 1987, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

COCKFIELD

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 729/88**18 March 1988****amending Regulation (EEC) No 3815/87 on the sale at prices fixed at a standard rate in advance of certain bone-in beef and veal held by certain intervention agencies and intended for export**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87 ⁽²⁾,Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3815/87 ⁽³⁾ provides for a sale of hindquarters for export without further processing or after boning; whereas, in order to avoid the further storage of some beef stored in Ireland 1 000 tonnes of hindquarters held by the Irish intervention agency should be put up for sale under the abovementioned Regulation;

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 3815/87 is hereby amended as follows:

1. The following is added to the first subparagraph of Article 1 (1):
'— 1 000 tonnes of bone-in beef held by the Irish intervention agency, and bought in before 1 November 1986.'
2. Annex I is replaced by Annex I hereto,
3. Annex II is replaced by Annex II hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 357, 19. 12. 1987, p. 24.

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Precio de venta expresado en ECU por 100 kg (*)
Salgspris i ECU pr. 100 kg af produkterne (*)
Verkaufspreise in ECU je 100 kg des Erzeugnisses (*)
Τιμή πώλησως σε ECU ανά 100 χγρ προϊόντων (*)
Selling price in ECU per 100 kg of product (*)
Prix de vente en Écus par 100 kilogrammes de produits (*)
Prezzi di vendita in ECU per 100 kg di prodotti (*)
Verkoopprijzen in Ecu per 100 kg produkt (*)
Preço de venda expresso em ECUs por 100 kg (*)

ITALIA

— *Quarti posteriori, detti pistola, provenienti dalla:*
Categoria A, classi U, R e O 205,00

UNITED KINGDOM

— *Hindquarters, straight cut at third rib, from:*
Steers M / Steers H / Category C, classes U and R 205,00
— *Hindquarters, pistola cut at eighth rib, from:*
Steers M / Steers H / Category C, classes U and R 205,00

IRELAND

— *Hindquarters, Straight cut at third rib, from:*
Category C, classes U, R and O 205,00
— *Hindquarters, pistola cut at eighth rib, from:*
Category C, classes U, R and O 205,00

(*) En caso de que los productos estén almacenados fuera del Estado miembro al que pertenezca el organismo de intervención poseedor, estos precios se ajustarán con arreglo a lo dispuesto en el Reglamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(*) Såfremt produkterne er oplagrede uden for den medlemsstat, hvor det interventionsorgan, der ligger inde med produkterne, er hjemmehørende, tilpasses disse priser i overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i forordning (EØF) nr. 1805/77.

(*) Falls die Lagerung der Erzeugnisse außerhalb des für die betreffende Interventionsstelle zuständigen Mitgliedstaats erfolgt, werden diese Preise gemäß den Vorschriften der Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 1805/77 angepaßt.

(*) Στην περίπτωση που τα προϊόντα αποθεματοποιούνται εκτός του κράτους μέλους στο οποίο υπάγεται ο οργανισμός παρεμβάσως που τα κατέχει, οι τιμές αυτές προσαρμόζονται σύμφωνα με τις διατάξεις του κανονισμού (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 1805/77.

(*) Where the products are stored outside the Member State where the intervention agency responsible for them is situated, these prices shall be adjusted in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 1805/77.

(*) Au cas où les produits sont stockés en dehors de l'État membre dont relève l'organisme d'intervention détenteur, ces prix sont ajustés conformément aux dispositions du règlement (CEE) n° 1805/77.

(*) Qualora i prodotti siano immagazzinati fuori dello Stato membro da cui dipende l'organismo d'intervento|detentore, detti prezzi vengono ritoccati in conformità del disposto del regolamento (CEE) n. 1805/77.

(*) Ingeval de produkten zijn opgeslagen buiten de Lid-Staat waaronder het interventiebureau dat deze produkten onder zich heeft ressorteert, worden deze prijzen aangepast overeenkomstig de bepalingen van Verordening (EEG) nr. 1805/77.

(*) No caso de os produtos estarem armazenados fora do Estado-membro de que depende o organismo de intervenção detentor, estes preços serão ajustados conforme o disposto no Regulamento (CEE) n° 1805/77.

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COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 730/88

of 18 March 1988

amending Regulation (EEC) No 3549/87 on the sale at prices fixed at a standard rate in advance of certain bone-in beef and veal held by certain intervention agencies and intended for export

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87 ⁽²⁾,Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3549/87 ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 469/88 ⁽⁴⁾, provides for a sale of forequarters for export without further processing or after boning; whereas in the light of current sales trends, certain selling prices should be altered;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The text concerning 'United Kingdom' in Annex I of Regulation (EEC) No 3549/87 is replaced by the following:

'UNITED KINGDOM

— *Forequarters from:*Steers M / Steers H / Category C,
classes U, R and O:

50,0'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 337, 27. 11. 1987, p. 16.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 47, 20. 2. 1988, p. 14.

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 731/88
of 18 March 1988**

**on the sale at prices fixed at a standard rate in advance of certain beef from
intervention stocks for processing under an aid programme organized by a
Member State**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3905/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof,

Whereas, with a view to avoiding an extension of the period of storage of substantial quantities of beef held by the Italian intervention agency and the considerable ensuing costs, Commission Regulation (EEC) No 475/88 ⁽³⁾ provides for the sale of some of those quantities for export in the form of processed meat under an aid programme; whereas, for the same reasons, provision should be made for the sale for similar purposes of some stocks held by the French intervention agency;

Whereas, for the sake of clarity, provision should be made for such a sale and for certain amendments to the arrangements laid down for the Italian stocks under a Regulation fully replacing Regulation (EEC) No 475/88;

Whereas Article 2 (1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 98/69 ⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 429/77 ⁽⁵⁾ provides that the selling prices of frozen beef and veal bought in by the intervention agencies may be fixed in advance; whereas it is appropriate to make use of this system of selling;

Whereas this sale should be organized in accordance with the provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79 ⁽⁶⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1809/87 ⁽⁷⁾, and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77 ⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3988/87 ⁽⁹⁾, subject to special exceptions provided for in this Regulation;

Whereas, in order to ensure the economic management of the stocks, provision should be made for intervention agencies first to sell meat which has been in storage longest;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. In the framework of a national food-aid programme the Italian intervention agency and the French intervention agency are authorized to sell 3 500 tonnes of forequarters and 100 tonnes of deboned forequarters respectively, this with a view to their processing and at the prices indicated in the Annex.

2. Subject to the provisions of this Regulation, the sale shall take place in accordance with Regulations (EEC) No 2173/79 and (EEC) No 2182/77.

3. The intervention agencies shall first sell products which have been in storage longest.

Article 2

1. The purchase applications are not valid unless they are submitted by the competent authority in France or Italy.

2. Purchase applications shall not indicate the warehouse or warehouses where the products applied for are stored.

3. The securities provided for in Article 15 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2173/79 and Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77 shall not be lodged.

4. The competent national authorities mentioned in paragraph 1 may designate one or more agents to carry out the processing of the intervention meat into specified products and the subsequent exportation of those products.

5. The competent national authorities mentioned in paragraph 1 shall take the necessary measures to ensure that the processed products may be identified at all times as part of the food-aid programme.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 7.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 47, 20. 2. 1988, p. 29.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 14, 21. 1. 1969, p. 2.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 18.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 251, 5. 10. 1979, p. 12.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 170, 30. 6. 1987, p. 23.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 251, 1. 10. 1977, p. 60.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 376, 31. 12. 1987, p. 31.

6. The competent national authorities mentioned in paragraph 1 shall take the necessary measures to ensure that the meat purchased under this Article is processed into specified products and subsequently exported as food aid within 180 days from the date of conclusion of the contract with the intervention agency.

Furthermore, where possible, the competent national authorities mentioned in paragraph 1 shall seek assurances that the products concerned will be consumed

in the country of destination as laid down in the food-aid programme.

Article 3

Regulation (EEC) No 475/88 is hereby repealed.

Article 4

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANEXO I — BILAG I — ANHANG I — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ I — ANNEX I — ANNEXE I —
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Precio de venta expresado en ECU por 100 kg
Salgspris i ECU pr. 100 kg af produkterne
Verkaufspreise in ECU je 100 kg des Erzeugnisses
Τιμή πώλησεως σε ECU ανά 100 χgr προϊόντων
Selling price in ECU per 100 kg of product
Prix de vente en Écus par 100 kilogrammes de produits
Prezzi di vendita in ECU per 100 kg di prodotti
Verkoopprijzen in Ecu per 100 kg produkt
Preço de venda expresso em ECUs por 100 kg

ITALIA

— *Quarti anteriori, il pancettone fa parte del quarto anteriore, provenienti dai:*
Categoria A, classi U, R e O 70,0

FRANCE

— Caisse A 140,0
— Caisse B 108,0

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COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 732/88

of 18 March 1988

concerning applications for STM licences in the beef and veal sector submitted during the first 10 days of March 1988

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

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 569/86 of 25 February 1986 laying down general rules for the application of the supplementary trade mechanism (STM) ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2297/86 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 7 thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 574/86 of 28 February 1986 laying down detailed rules for the application of the supplementary trade mechanism (STM) ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2159/87 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 569/86 provides for the use of STM licences in order to ensure that the tonnages traded of certain products do not exceed those laid down in the Act of Accession and in Article 5 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3955/86 ⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3601/87 ⁽⁶⁾; whereas, therefore, the Commission has to decide, in accordance with Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/86, whether STM licences can be issued for all, some, or none of the tonnages applied for;

Whereas, in the light of the quantities available and the applications for licences submitted during the first 10

days of March 1988, licences may, for certain products, be issued for the tonnages applied for and up to a percentage of the tonnages applied for in the case of other products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Applications for STM licences, submitted during the first 10 days of March 1988 and notified to the Commission,

(a) shall be accepted for the tonnages applied for in the case of the following products:

meat of animals of the bovine species, frozen, and offal of animals of the bovine species;

(b) shall, in the case of the following products, be accepted up to the percentage shown:

fresh or chilled meat of animals of the bovine species: 0,380 %;

live animals of the bovine species, other than pure-bred breeding animals and animals for bull fights: 0,386 %.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 21 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 55, 1. 3. 1986, p. 106.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 201, 24. 7. 1986, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 57, 1. 3. 1986, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 202, 23. 7. 1987, p. 30.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 365, 24. 12. 1986, p. 55.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 339, 1. 12. 1987, p. 58.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 733/88
of 18 March 1988

**fixing the difference in white sugar prices to be used in calculating the levy for
processed fruit and vegetable products and for wine**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 of 26 February 1986 on the common organization of the market in products processed from fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3909/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 10 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 of 16 March 1987, on the common organization of the market in wine ⁽³⁾ as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3992/87 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 55 (3) thereof,

Whereas, in order that the Member States may determine the amount of the levy applicable in respect of the various added sugars to imports of the products listed in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 and of the products falling within subheadings 2009 60 11, 2009 60 71, 2009 60 79 and 2204 30 99 of the combined nomenclature, which are listed in Article 1 (2) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 it is necessary in accordance with Article 10 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 and Article 55 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 to determine the difference between, firstly, the average of the threshold prices for one kilogram of white sugar for each month of the quarter for which the difference is being determined

and, secondly, the average of the cif prices for one kilogram of white sugar used in fixing the levies on white sugar, as calculated for a period comprising the first 15 days of the month preceding the quarter for which the difference is being determined and the two months immediately preceding that month; whereas, pursuant to the abovementioned Regulations, this difference must be determined by the Commission for each quarter of the calendar year,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 ⁽⁵⁾ introduces from 1 January 1988 a new combined nomenclature meeting the requirements of both the Common Customs Tariff and the Community's statistics of foreign trade and replacing the previous nomenclature,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the period 1 April to 30 June 1988, the difference referred to in Article 10 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 and in Article 55 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 is fixed at 0,4977 ECU.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 April 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 49, 27. 2. 1986, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 20.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 84, 27. 3. 1987, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 19.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 734/88
of 18 March 1988
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 the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

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 3993/87 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 16 (8) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2054/87 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 708/88 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 ⁽⁵⁾ introduced from 1 January 1988 a new combined nomenclature meeting the requirements of both the Common Customs Tariff and the Community's statistics of foreign trade and replacing the previous nomenclature;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2054/87 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 19 March 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1988.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 23.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 192, 11. 7. 1987, p. 38.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 72, 18. 3. 1988, p. 44.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

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to the Commission Regulation of 18 March 1988 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

(ECU/100 kg)

CN code	Levy
1701 11 10	40,99 (!)
1701 11 90	40,99 (!)
1701 12 10	40,99 (!)
1701 12 90	40,99 (!)
1701 91 00	50,08
1701 99 10	50,08
1701 99 90	50,08

(!) 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.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COUNCIL

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE

of 7 March 1988

complying with the judgment of the Court of Justice in Case 131/86 (annulment of Council Directive 86/113/EEC of 25 March 1986 laying down minimum standards for the protection of laying hens kept in battery cages)

(88/166/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community and in particular Article 176 thereof,

Whereas, in its judgment of 23 February 1988 ⁽¹⁾, the Court of Justice of the European Communities declared void Council Directive 86/113/EEC of 25 March 1986 laying down minimum standards for the protection of laying hens kept in battery cages owing to certain textual amendments made to the notified version of that act following its adoption ;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 176 of the Treaty, the Institution whose act has been declared void is required to take the necessary measures to comply with the judgment of the Court of Justice ; whereas it is sufficient for that purpose to confirm the text of the Directive declared void, as adopted by the Council,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE :

Article 1

The text of Directive 86/113/EEC laying down minimum standards for the protection of laying hens kept in battery cages shall be deemed adopted in the form given in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 March 1988.

For the Council

The President

I. KIECHLE

⁽¹⁾ Judgment 131/86 not yet published

ANNEX

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE

laying down minimum standards for the protection of laying hens kept in battery cages

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee⁽²⁾,

Whereas most Member States have ratified the European Convention for the Protection of Animals kept for Farming Purposes, whereas the Community has also approved this Convention by Decision 78/923/EEC⁽³⁾; whereas the keeping of laying hens in battery cages is the most widely used means of egg production in the Community and makes a very large contribution to the high productivity of this sector; whereas, however, this means of housing may, in certain cases, lead to unnecessary and excessive suffering on the part of the animal;

Whereas, however, the national laws at present in force in the field of the protection of animals kept for farming purposes present differences which may distort conditions of competition and in consequence interfere with the smooth running of the organization of the common market in eggs and poultry;

Whereas there is therefore a need to establish priority parameters and to define common minimum requirements applicable in all intensive housing systems, in order to enable the market to operate satisfactorily in comparison, in particular, with Article 39 of the Treaty, while bearing in mind the need to protect animals; whereas it is necessary for this purpose, as a first step, to establish Community measures for laying hens in battery cages;

Whereas, to provide the basis for further Community measures, the studies on poultry protection must be continued, not only as regards the keeping of poultry in battery cages but also in possible alternative systems of housing;

Whereas, in certain Member States, the adjustment of existing structures to the standards laid down by this Directive will entail a reduction in production; whereas such adjustment should therefore be facilitated under the conditions laid down in this Directive without creating structural and market imbalances,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE:

Article 1

This Directive lays down the minimum standards for the protection of laying hens kept in battery cages.

Article 2

For the purpose of this Directive:

1. 'Laying hens' means adult hens of the species *Gallus gallus* which are kept for egg production.
2. 'Battery cage' means any enclosed space intended for laying hens in a battery system.
3. 'Battery system' means an arrangement of cages beside and/or on top of each other.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 125, 17. 5. 1982, p. 183.

⁽²⁾ OJ No C 343, 31. 12. 1981, p. 48.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 323, 17. 11. 1978, p. 12.

Article 3

1. Member States shall ensure that from 1 January 1988 :
 - all newly built cages for use within the Community,
 - all cages brought into use for the first time,at least comply with the following requirements :
 - (a) at least 450 cm² of cage area, measured in a horizontal plane which may be used without restriction, in particular not including non-waste deflection plates liable to restrict the area available, shall be provided for each laying hen ;
 - (b) a feed trough which may be used without restriction shall be provided. Its length shall be at least 10 cm multiplied by the number of animals in the cage ;
 - (c) unless nipple drinkers or drinking cups are provided, each battery cage shall have a continuous drinking channel of the same length as the feed trough mentioned in point (b). Where drinking points are plumbed in, at least two nipple drinkers or two drinking cups shall be within reach of each cage ;
 - (d) battery cages shall be at least 40 cm high over 65 % of the cage area and not less than 35 cm at any point ;
 - (e) floors of battery cages must be constructed so as to support adequately each of the forward-facing claws of each foot. Floor slope shall not exceed 14 % or 8°. In the case of floors using other than rectangular wire mesh, Member States may permit steeper slopes.
2. Moreover, Member States shall ensure that from 1 January 1995, the minimum requirements laid down in points (a) to (e) of paragraph 1 apply to all battery cages.

Article 4

Member States shall ensure that conditions for laying hens kept in battery cages are in accordance with the general requirements laid down in the Annex.

Article 5

The provisions of the Annex may be amended in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 8 in order to take account of scientific developments.

Article 6

Member States shall arrange for inspections to be made by the competent authority to ensure that this Directive, including the Annex, is complied with.

Article 7

1. Furthermore, in order to ensure that this Directive is complied with and that it is uniformly applied by the Member States, the Commission shall check on its application on the spot regularly and in an appropriate manner, in conjunction with the relevant national departments.
2. To that end, Commission experts shall carry out inspection operations jointly with national departments under inspection programmes adopted in cooperation with the competent authorities of the Member State concerned.

Where it is established that this Directive is not being complied with the Commission will inform the relevant national authorities.

The Commission will prepare periodical general reports on the results of the inspections carried out. Those reports shall be communicated to the Member States.

3. The Community shall in an appropriate manner bear the cost of participation by the Commission in the checks provided for in paragraph 1.
4. The general provisions for implementing this Article shall be determined in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 8. In accordance with the same procedure, a code may be established containing the rules to be followed for the purpose of the checks provided for in paragraph 1 of this Article.

Article 8

1. Where the procedure laid down in this Article is referred to, matters shall without delay be referred by the Chairman, either on his own initiative or at the request of a Member State, to the Standing Veterinary Committee (hereinafter called 'Committee').

2. Within the Committee the votes of Member States shall be weighted as provided in Article 148 (2) of the Treaty. The Chairman shall not vote.

3. The Commission representative shall submit a draft of the measures to be adopted. The Committee shall deliver its opinion on such measures within two days. Opinions shall be delivered by a qualified majority as provided in Article 148 (2) of the Treaty.

4. The Commission shall adopt the measures and apply them immediately where they are in accordance with the opinion of the Committee. If they are not in accordance with the opinion of the Committee or if no opinion is delivered, the Commission shall without delay submit to the Council a proposal concerning the measures to be adopted.

The Council shall adopt the measures by a qualified majority.

If, within three months of the date on which the proposal was submitted to it, the Council has not adopted any measures, the Commission shall adopt the proposed measures and apply them immediately save where the Council has decided by a simple majority against those measures.

Article 9

Before 1 January 1993 the Commission shall submit a report on scientific developments regarding the welfare of hens under various systems of rearing and on the provisions in the Annex, accompanied by any appropriate adjustment proposals.

Article 10

From the date on which this Directive takes effect until the end of the transitional period, national aid intended for the functional extension of buildings housing the battery cages necessary for rearing the same number of hens may be considered compatible with the common market, under Articles 92 to 94 of the Treaty, account being taken also of the depreciation of these buildings.

Article 11

Member States shall bring into force the laws, regulations and administrative provisions required in order to comply with this Directive by 1 July 1987 at the latest. They shall immediately inform the Commission thereof.

Article 12

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

ANNEX

1. The form and type of materials employed for constructing the cages and the construction and characteristics of the latter must be such as to prevent any injury to the animals to the extent possible in the existing state of technology.
2. The design and size of the cage opening must be such that an adult hen can be removed without causing unnecessary suffering or injury.
3. The cages must be suitably equipped to prevent the poultry escaping.
4. All poultry shall have access to adequate, nutritious and hygienic feed each day and to adequate fresh water at all times, except in the case of therapeutic or prophylactic treatment.
5. Insulation and ventilation of the building must ensure that air velocity, dust level, temperature, relative air humidity and gas concentrations are kept within limits that are not harmful to the poultry.
6. In the case of artificial lighting, the poultry must have an appropriate resting period each day during which the light intensity must be reduced in such a way that the poultry can rest properly.
7. It shall be ensured that the hens are cared for by a sufficient number of personnel with adequate knowledge and experience of laying hens and of the production system used.
8. The flock or group of poultry shall be inspected at least once a day and for this purpose a source of light shall be available which is strong enough for each bird to be seen clearly and, if need be, thoroughly inspected.
9. Accommodation comprising more than three tiers of cages shall be permitted only if suitable devices or measures make it possible to inspect all tiers without difficulty.
10. For poultry appearing not to be in good health, including behavioural changes, steps shall be taken to establish the cause and appropriate remedial measures shall be implemented, e.g. treatment, isolation, culling or attention to environmental factors. If the cause is traced to an environmental factor in the production unit which it is not essential to remedy immediately, this should be corrected when the accommodation is emptied and before the next batch of poultry is put in.
11. All automatic equipment essential for the animals' health and welfare must be inspected at least once daily. Where defects are discovered these must be rectified immediately or, if this is impracticable, appropriate steps taken to safeguard the health and welfare of the animals until the defect has been rectified. Alternative ways of feeding and of maintaining a satisfactory environment must be available for use in the event of a breakdown.

There must be an alarm system to warn the stock-keeper of failure of any essential automated ventilation equipment.
12. Those parts of the cage which are in contact with the poultry shall be thoroughly cleansed and disinfected every time the cage is emptied and before a new batch of poultry is brought in. While the cage is occupied, the surfaces and all equipment shall be kept satisfactorily clean.

CORRIGENDA

**Corrigendum to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 of 17 December 1987
establishing an agricultural product nomenclature for export refunds**

(Official Journal of the European Communities No L 366 of 24 December 1987)

In the Annex, on pages 16, 18 and 19, for product codes 2309 10 51 810, 2309 10 53 810, 2309 90 51 810 and 2309 90 53 810, in the column 'Description of goods':

for: '— Of a minimum content of maize exceeding 70 % (3)',

read: '— Of a minimum content of maize exceeding 60 % (3)'.
