COMMISSION DECISION

of 12 November 1973

on the reimbursement by the Guidance Section of the EAGGF of premiums paid during 1972 for grubbing apple trees, pear trees and peach trees to the Federal Republic of Germany

(Only the German text is authentic)

(73/373/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2517/69 [1] of 9 December 1969 laying down certain measures for reorganizing Community fruit production, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2456/72 [2];

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2093/70 [3] of 20 October 1970 adopting general rules for the application of Articles 6 and 7 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2517/69, and in particular Article 2 (2) thereof;

Whereas the Federal Republic of Germany has made an application for the reimbursement of all expenditure in respect of premiums granted during 1972;

Whereas this application is in accordance with the provision of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1096/71 [4] of 27 May 1971 on applications for the reimbursement of premiums granted by the Member States for grubbing apple trees, pear trees and peach trees;

Whereas an examination of information communicated shows that premiums of a total amount of 3 663 354 units of account were paid under the conditions laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2517/69 and its rules of application; whereas the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund should therefore reimburse 50 % of that amount, i.e. 1 831 677 units of account;

Whereas the Fund Committeee has been consulted on the financial aspects and in particular on the funds available,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The contribution by the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund towards the expenditure incurred by the Federal Republic of Germany during 1972 in respect of premiums for grubbing appple trees, pear trees and peach trees is fixed at 1 831 677 units of account.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Brussels, 12 November 1973.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

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(1) OJ No L 318, 18. 12. 1969, p. 15.
(2) OJ No L 266, 25. 11. 1972, p. 9.
(3) OJ No L 232, 21. 10. 1970, p. 5.
(4) OJ No L 116, 28. 5. 1971, p. 35.