COMMISSION DECISION

of 21 November 1975

on the granting by the Guidance Section of the EAGGF to the Kingdom of the Netherlands of a payment on account in respect of expenditure incurred during 1974 on aids and premiums relating to the modernization of farms

(Only the Dutch text is authentic)

(75/737/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Directive No 72/159/EEC [1] of 17 April 1972 on the modernization of farms, as last amended by Directive No 73/358/EEC [2], and in particular Article 21 (3) thereof;

Whereas the provisions instituted by the Kingdom of the Netherlands for the implementation of Directive No 72/159/EEC were the subject of a favourable Commission Decision pursuant to Article 18 of the said Directive;

Whereas Commission Decision No 74/581/EEC [3] concerning applications for reimbursement in respect of aid granted by the Member States pursuant to Directives No 72/159/EEC, No 72/160/EEC and No 72/161/EEC lays down in Article 4 (1) that the Commission, acting on the basis of particulars contained in the applications for reimbursement, shall make a payment on account of 75 % of the amount requested;

Whereas the application for reimbursement lodged by the Kingdom of the Netherlands in respect of aids granted during 1974 for the modernization of farms is complete and has been submitted in due form; whereas the total amount of expenditure for the year comes to Fl 3 404 441·06 (940 453·33 u.a.), broken down as follows:

under Article 8 under Article 10 under Article 11 under Article 12	(Directive No 72/159/EEC)	Fl 2 885 763·27
under Article 13		Fl 518 677·79;

Whereas the total amount of reimbursement requested comes to Fl 752 752·41 (207 942·65 u.a.);

Whereas the making of a payment on account for the period in question shall not prejudice the final decision on the contribution from the Fund for the said period; whereas the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund should therefore make a payment on account of 75 % of the sum of Fl 752 752·41 (207 942·65 u.a.), i.e. Fl 564 564·31 (155 956·99 u.a.);

Whereas the Fund Committee has been consulted on the financial aspects and in particular as to the funds available,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The payment on account by the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund towards the expenditure incurred by the Kingdom of the Netherlands during 1974 in respect of aid and premiums relating to the modernization of farms shall be Fl 564 564·31 (155 956·99 u.a.)

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Done at Brussels, 21 November 1975.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 96, 23. 4. 1972, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 326, 27. 11. 1973, p. 17.
(3) OJ No L 320, 29. 11. 1974, p. 1.