COMMISSION DECISION

of 20 December 1976

concerning the issue of import licences for beef and veal products originating in Botswana, Kenya, Madagascar and Swaziland

(77/20/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3328/75 of 18 December 1975 renewing the arrangements for the reduction of import charges on beef and veal products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1466/76 [2], and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 3328/75 provides that import licences may be issued for beef and veal products; whereas, however, the quantities imported must remain within the limits laid down for each of the exporting non-member countries in question;

Whereas the quantities covered by the licence applications submitted from 1 to 10 December 1976, expressed in terms of boned meat in accordance with Article 1 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3376/75 of 23 December 1975 laying down rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3328/75 [3], as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1501/76 [4], are lower for products originating in Swaziland than the quantities available for that State; whereas it is possible, therefore, to issue import licences for all the quantities applied for,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Import licences as provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 3376/75 shall be issued for all quantities for which applications for licences were submitted from 1 to 10 December 1976 in respect of products from Swaziland.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 20 December 1976.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 329, 23. 12. 1975, p. 4.
(2) OJ No L 165, 25. 6. 1976, p. 9.
(3) OJ No L 333, 30. 12. 1975, p. 44.
(4) OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 35.