COMMISSION DECISION

of 23 December 1977

on the reimbursement by the Guidance Section of the EAGGF to the Federal Republic of Germany of expenditure incurred during 1973 on aids and premiums relating to the modernization of farms

(Only the German text is authentic)

(78/102/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 72/159/EEC of 17 April 1972 on the modernization of farms [1], as last amended by Directive 77/390/EEC [2], and in particular Article 21 (2) thereof,

Whereas the measures taken by the Federal Republic of Germany to implement Directive 72/159/EEC were the subject of a favourable Commission Decision pursuant to Article 18 of the said Directive ;

Whereas the Federal Republic of Germany has made an application for reimbursement of expenditure incurred during 1973 on aids and premiums relating to the modernization of farms and whereas this application is complete and has been submitted in due form and in accordance with the requirements of Commission Decision 74/581/EEC of 16 October 1974 concerning applications for reimbursement in respect of aid granted by the Member States pursuant to Directives 72/159/EEC, 72/160/EEC and 72/161/EEC [3], and also with the payments on account which can be agreed ;

Whereas an examination of the information provided shows that eligible expenditure of DM 17 603 697·11 (4 809 753·31 u.a.) broken down as follows :

under Article 8	Directive 72/159/EEC	DM 1 095 552·27
under Article 10		—
under Article 11		—
under Article 12		DM 489 263
under Article 13		DM 16 018 881·84

has been incurred under the conditions laid down in Directive 72/159/EEC and whereas the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund should therefore reimburse 25 % thereof, i.e. DM 4 400 924·28 (1 202 438·33 u.a.) ;

Whereas a payment on account of DM 3 316 962·05 (906 273·78 u.a.) has been granted in application of Article 21 (3) of Directive 72/159/EEC and of Article 4 (1) of Decision 74/581/EEC, and whereas a balance of DM 1 083 962·23 (296 164·55 u.a.) should therefore be granted to the Member State ;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The final contribution by the Guidance Section of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund towards the expenditure incurred by the Federal Republic of Germany during 1973 in respect of aid and premiums relating to the modernization of farms shall be DM 4 400 924·28 (1 202 438·33 u.a.).

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Brussels, 23 December 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 96, 23. 4. 1972, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 145, 13. 6. 1977, p. 43.
(3) OJ No L 320, 29. 11. 1974, p. 1.