COMMISSION DECISION

of 18 May 1979

relating to the urgent supply of durum wheat as food aid to the World Food Programme

(Only the Italian text is authentic)

(79/526/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

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 1254/78 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down the conditions for the mobilization of cereals as food aid (3), and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 696/76 of 25 March 1976 derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75 in respect of mobilization procedures for cereals to be supplied as food aid (4),

Whereas on 30 January 1978 the Council of the European Communities declared that it proposed, by way of Community action, to grant 8 000 tonnes of durum wheat to the World Food Programme under its 1977/78 food-aid programme ;

Whereas, in view of the need to provide quick aid, it is necessary to have recourse to contracts by mutual agreement ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

1. In accordance with Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 696/76 of 25 March 1976, the Azienda di Stato per gli interventi sui Mercati Agricoli (AIMA), via Palestro, 81, Roma (intervention agency) shall conclude a private contract for the mobilization of 8 000 tonnes of durum wheat in stock in its intervention stores listed in the Annex, for delivery to the World Food Programme.

2. In concluding the private contract, AIMA must seek the least onerous terms possible.

3. The contract shall be for the purchase and supply of the products delivered to a port in Sardinia in the vicinity of the vessel.

4. The product shall be delivered in 50 kg new jute sacks, in two lots of 4 000 tonnes each.

Minimum weight of the sacks shall be 600 grams. The following shall be printed on the sacks :

'Yemen PDR 2265 / Durum wheat / Aden / Gift of the EEC / Action of the World Food Programme.'

To allow for the possibility of re-bagging, the successful tenderer shall supply 2 % of new empty sacks, of the same quality as those containing the goods but with the printing followed by a capital letter 'R'.

Article 2

The product referred to in Article 1 must be of fair and sound merchantable quality, be free from odour, and correspond at least to the quality standard laid down in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1569/77 of 11 July 1977 as amended by Regulations (EEC) No 1600/78 of 7 July 1978 and (EEC) No 3017/78 of 21 December 1978.

Article 3

1. A security of a value of 6 ECU per tonne shall be given by the party concerned on the signature of the contract. It shall be released on the completion of the operations in question within the time limit laid down and also for those quantities not realized due to *force majeure.*

2. The security provided for in paragraph 1 may be given in the form of a cash deposit or of a guarantee issued by a credit institution conforming to the criteria laid down by the Member State.

(1) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 156, 14. 6. 1978, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 89.
(4) OJ No L 83, 30. 3. 1976, p. 8.

Article 4

Loading shall be carried out :

— in June 1979 for lot 1,

— in July 1979 for lot 2.

Article 5

The intervention agency shall request the interested party to supply the following information :

(a) a statement giving details of the quantities loaded and the quality of the products ;

(b) the date of the departure of the ships.

The intervention agency shall transmit the information indicated to the Commission as soon as it is received together with a copy of the private contract.

Article 6

This Decision is addressed to the Italian Republic.

Done at Brussels, 18 May 1979.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEXE — ANHANG — ALLEGATO — BIJLAGE — BILAG — ANNEX

Numéro du lot Nummer der Lose Numero della partita Nummer van de partij Partiets nummer Number of lot	Tonnage à mettre en fob Nach fob zu bringende Menge Tonnellaggio da mettere in fob Fob aan te leveren hoeveelheid Mængde til levering fob Tonnage fob	Nom et adresse du stockeur Name und Adresse des Lagerhalters Nome e indirizzo del detentore Naam en adres van de entrepothouder Lagerindehaverens navn og adresse Address of store	Lieu de stockage Ort der Lagerhaltung Luogo di accantonamento Adres van de opslagplaats Lagerplads Town at which stored
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	450	C.A.P. Cagliari	Sanluri
	60	C.A.P. Cagliari	Giba
	150	C.A.P. Cagliari	Barumini
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