COMMISSION DECISION

of 10 December 1986

approving an addendum to the programme relating to the potato sector submitted by the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany for the *Land* of Bavaria pursuant to Council Regulation (EEC) No 355/77

(Only the German text is authentic)

(86/618/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 355/77 of 15 February 1977 on common measures to improve the conditions under which agricultural and fishery products are processed and marketed [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2224/86 [2], and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas on 19 December 1985 the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany forwarded an addendum to the programme approved by Commission Decision 80/672/EEC [3] relating to the potato sector in the *Land* of Bavaria;

Whereas the addendum to the programme concerns the reception, storage, grading, marketing and processing of potatoes so as to make the sector more competitive and add value to its output; whereas it therefore constitutes a programme within the meaning of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 355/77;

Whereas approval of the addendum to the programme cannot relate to products not covered by Annex II to the Treaty or to starch;

Whereas the addendum contains enough of the details specified in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 355/77 to show that the objectives of Article 1 of the said Regulation can be attained in the potato sector in Bavaria;

whereas the time laid down for implementing the addendum does not exceed the period specified in Article 3 (1) (g) of the said Regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Agricultural Structure,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The addendum to the programme relating to the potato sector in the *Land* of Bavaria, notified on 19 December 1985 and supplemented on 23 June 1986 by the Government of the Fedeal Republic of Germany in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 355/77, is hereby approved with the exception of the investments relating to products not covered by Annex II and to starch.

Article 2

This Decision is adressed to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Brussels, 10 December 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

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[1] OJ No L 51, 23. 2. 1977, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 194, 17. 7. 1986, p. 4.
[3] OJ No L 185, 18. 7. 1980, p. 41.