COMMISSION DECISION

of 16 February 1987

on improving the efficiency of agricultural structures in Spain in accordance with Council Regulation (EEC) No 797/85

(Only the Spanish text is authentic)

(87/146/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 797/85 of 12 March 1985 on improving the efficiency of agricultural structures [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2224/86 [2], and in particular Article 25 thereof,

Whereas, in accordance with Article 24 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 797/85, the Spanish Government has forwarded the text of Royal Decree No 1684/1986 of 13 July 1986 instituting an aid scheme specifically for agricultural holdings located in mountain and hill areas and of the Ministerial Decree of 9 September 1986 laying down criteria for coordinating the management of compensatory allowances in mountain and hill-farming areas;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 25 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 797/85, the Commission must decide whether, depending on the compatibility of the said provisons with the abovementioned Regulation, and having regard to the objectives of that Regulation and the need for a proper connection between the various measures, the conditions for a financial contribution from the Community are satisfied;

Whereas the abovementioned provisions meet the conditions and the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 797/85;

Whereas the Committee of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund has been consulted on the financial aspects;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The provisions implementing Regulation (EEC) No 797/85 in Spain as set out in Royal Decree No 1684/1986 of 13 July 1986 instituting an aid scheme specifically for agricultural holdings located in mountain and hill areas and in the Ministerial Decree of 9 September 1986 laying down criteria for coordinating the management of compensatory allowances in mountain and hill-farming areas satisfy the conditions for a financial contribution from the Community to the common measure provided for in Article 1 of the said Regulation.

Article 2

The compensatory allowances granted by the Spanish Government under those provisions shall qualify from 1 January 1986.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Kingdom of Spain.

Done at Brussels, 16 February 1987.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

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[1] OJ No L 93, 30. 3. 1985, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 194, 17. 7. 1986, p. 4.