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REGULATION (EEC) No 407/72 OF THE COMMISSION

of 28 February 1972

amending Regulation (EEC) No 142/69 laying down certain detailed rules for the application of the quota system for sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1009/67/EEC[1] of 18 December 1967 on the common organization of the market in sugar, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2727/71,[2] and in particular Article 27 (7) thereof;

Whereas Article 5 (3) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 142/69[3] of 25 January 1969 laying down certain detailed rules for the application of the quota system for sugar, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2719/71,[4] provides that any difference between the provisional amount and the final amount of the production levy shall be refunded or charged within a specified period; whereas, for administrative reasons, that period should end at the end of a month;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Sole Article

The words 'month of' shall be inserted before the words 'entry into force' in Article 5 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 142/69.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1972.

For the Commission

The President

Franco M. MALFATTI

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[1] OJ No 308, 18.12.1967, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 282, 23.12.1971, p. 8.
[3] OJ No L 20, 27.1.1969, p. 1.
[4] OJ No L 281, 22.12.1971, p. 15.