REGULATION (EEC) No 1640/73 OF THE COUNCIL

of 18 June 1973

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2049/69 laying down general rules on the denaturing of sugar for animal feed

THE COUNCIL 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 No 1014/73 [2], and in particular Article 9 (7) thereof;

Having regard to the Proposal from the Commission;

Whereas for several marketing years a denaturing premium has been fixed only for white sugar which is to be denatured by specified denaturing methods, in order to be able to satisfy the sugar needs of agriculture;

Whereas experience has shown that when the denatured sugar is used in a specific sector, the particular use of the sugar which may benefit from the premium must be specified at the same time as when the denaturing premium is determined; whereas at present the use of the sugar can only be specified by resorting to the tendering procedure; whereas experience has shown it desirable to provide for this possibility when the premium is fixed uniformly for the whole Community; whereas with this end in view it is necessary to amend Regulation (EEC) No 2049/69 [3] of 17 October 1969 laying down general rules on the denaturing of sugar for animal feed, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2863/71 [4],

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The following subparagraph shall be added to Article 2 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2049/69:

'Provision may be made that sugar for which a denaturing premium is fixed be used for a specific purpose.'

Article 2

The second subparagraph of Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2049/69 is hereby repealed.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

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

Done at Luxembourg, 18 June 1973.

For the Council

The President

A. LAVENS

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(1) OJ No 308, 18. 12. 1967, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 106, 20. 4. 1973, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 263, 21. 10. 1969, p. 1.
(4) OJ No L 288, 31. 12. 1971, p. 1.