REGULATION (EEC) No 3422/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 18 December 1973

completing Regulation (EEC) No 1821/73 on the method of calculation of the premium for the conversion of dairy herds to meat production

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 [1] of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 187/73 [2];

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1353/73 [3] of 15 May 1973 introducing a premium system for the conversion of dairy herds to meat production and a development premium for the specialized raising of cattle for meat production, and in particular Article 13 thereof;

Whereas the system of calculation of the granted premium should be calculated precisely according to the quantity of milk which has been supplied, providing for the taking into consideration of the total quantity, a remaining quantity lower than 100 litres benefiting from a part of the premium referred to in Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 1353/73, this part being calculated proportionally; provision should be made to complete Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1821/73 [4] of 5 July 1973 laying down detailed rules for the application of the premium system for the conversion of dairy herds to meat production and of development premium for the specialized raising of cattle for meat production, amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2522/73 [5];

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Beef and Veal,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The text of the first paragraph of Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1821/73 is replaced by the following text:

'The premium referred to in Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 1353/73 is calculated according to the quantities actually supplied during the period referred to in same Article, a remaining quantity lower than 100 litres being proportionally taken into consideration. The premium shall be paid in three instalments.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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 Brussels, 18 December 1973.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

(1) OJ No L 48, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
(2) OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 23.
(3) OJ No L 141, 28. 5. 1973, p. 18.
(4) OJ No L 184, 6. 7. 1973, p. 24.
(5) OJ No L 261, 18. 9. 1973, p. 10.