REGULATION (EEC) No 1159/74 OF THE COMMISSION

of 8 May 1974

adopting exceptional support measures for the market in pigmeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 121/67/EEC [1] of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in pigmeat, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1652/73 [2], and in particular Article 20 thereof;

Whereas because of the health situation in the breeding sector in Belgium, the import of live pigs and of pigmeat coming from this Member State has become impossible in certain Member States and third countries;

Whereas in order to take account of the limitations to free circulation which are resulting, exceptional measures to support the market in Belgium must be taken;

Whereas for this purpose there is reason to fix private storage aid for certain sensitive products according to detailed rules of application for the grant of private storage aid in the pigmeat sector which have been adopted by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 289/71 [3] of 10 February 1971;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

From 10 May 1974 until 15 June 1974 the intervention agency designated by the Kingdom of Belgium can accord private storage aid in the pigmeat sector following the detailed rules defined in Regulation (EEC) No 289/71 and in this Regulation.

Article 2

The products for which private storage aid is accorded, as well as the amounts of aid per metric ton of the fresh product without packaging, are listed in the Annex. Only products coming from pigs originating in Belgium can be the subject of this aid.

Aid is accorded for a storage period of three months.

Article 3

The minimum quantities, by contract and by product, are as follows:

(a) 40 metric tons for carcases,

(b) 20 metric tons for hams, shoulders, loins and bellies,

(c) 40 metric tons for back-fat.

Article 4

Taking into store must be accomplished in 21 days following the conclusion of the contract.

The storage period begins the day of the finishing of taking into store.

Article 5

The security is 40 % of the amount of aid fixed in the Annex.

Article 6

This Regulation shall enter into force the day of 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, 8 May 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

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[1] OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2283/67.
[2] OJ No L 166, 23. 6. 1973, p. 1.
[3] OJ No L 35, 12. 2. 1971, p. 7.

ANNEX

CCT heading No	Products for which aid is accorded	Amount u.a./metric ton of aid
ex 02.01 A III a) 1	Carcases or half-carcases, offered without head, chaps, necks, flare fat, kidneys, forefeet, tail, flank and marrow, fresh or chilled	170·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 2	Hams, unboned (bone-in), including rindless and fat-free, fresh or chilled	200·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 3	Shoulders, unboned (bone-in), including rindless and fat-free, fresh or chilled	180·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 4	Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in), fresh or chilled	200·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 5	Bellies (streaky), including without rind and ribs, fresh or chilled	90·00
ex 02.05 A I	Back-fat, including rindless, fresh or chilled	65·00