REGULATION (EEC) No 1241/74 OF THE COMMISSION

of 16 May 1974

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1259/72 on the disposal of butter at a reduced price to certain Community processing undertakings

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 [1] of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 662/74 [2], and in particular Article 6 (7) thereof;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 985/68 [3] of 15 July 1968 laying down general rules for intervention on the market in butter and cream, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2714/72 [4], and in particular Article 7a thereof;

Whereas Article 6 (1) (b) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1259/72 [5] of 16 June 1972 on the disposal of butter at a reduced price to certain Community processing undertakings, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 816/74 [6], provides that any one of three groups of substances may be incorporated in the butter and authorizes Member States to prohibit the use in its territory of any one or any two of the resulting products; whereas, in order to provide Member States applying such prohibition with a more effective means of control and to avoid any delay to those concerned in making use of the product, as a result of the time required to carry out the national authorities' laboratory tests, the substances incorporated when processing the butter into concentrated butter should be indicated on the control copy referred to in Article 17 of the aforesaid Regulation;

Whereas the measure provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 1259/72 is amended as follows:

1. In Article 17 (1) (a) (bb), a fourth indent as follows is added to the second subparagraph:

'— the substances incorporated, using one of the following expressions:

— "product A", in the case of products resulting from incorporating the substances specified in (aa) of Article 6 (1) (b),

— "product B", in the case of products resulting from incorporating the substances specified in (bb) of Article 6 (1) (b),

— "product C", in the case of products resulting from incorporating the substances specified in (cc) of Article 6 (1) (b).'

2. In Article 17 (1) (b), a third indent as follows is added to the second subparagraph:

'— the substances incorporated, using one of the following expressions:

— "product A", in the case of products resulting from incorporating the substances specified in (aa) of Article 6 (1) (b),

— "product B", in the case of products resulting from incorporating the substances specified in (bb) of Article 6 (1) (b),

— "product C", in the case of products resulting from incorporating the substances specified in (cc) of Article 6 (1) (b).'

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 June 1974.

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

Done at Brussels, 16 May 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
(2) OJ No L 85, 29. 3. 1974, p. 51.
(3) OJ No L 169, 18. 7. 1968, p. 1.
(4) OJ No L 291, 28. 12. 1972, p. 15.
(5) OJ No L 139, 17. 6. 1972, p. 18.
(6) OJ No L 96, 6. 4. 1974, p. 19.