REGULATION (EEC) No 1793/74 OF THE COUNCIL

of 10 July 1974

concerning aid for the transportation of quality wines p.s.r. of wine-growing zone A

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 [1] of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions for the common organization of the market in wine, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1532/74 [2], and in particular Article 33 (2) thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Whereas Article 33 of Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 provides that intervention measures may be taken in respect of wines other than table wines in order to support the market in table wines;

Whereas there has been a general slump in the prices of quality wines p.s.r. as a result of the abundant 1973 harvest in wine-growing zone A of quality wines p.s.r., in particular, and a resultant drop in the prices quoted for table wines from that zone;

Whereas since storage capacity is limited, difficulties may be expected in storing the wine from the next harvest; whereas this situation is already depressing table wine prices; whereas in order to remedy the situation provision should be made for aid for the transportation of the wine concerned; whereas it would not be enough to provide aid for table wines alone, since these represent only a small part of the 1973 harvest; whereas provision should therefore be made for transporting quality wines p.s.r. of wine-growing zone A,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

At the request of those concerned aid shall be granted for the transportation to other storage localities of quality wines p.s.r. of the 1973 harvest originating in wine-growing zone A, and situated there, provided such transportation takes place between 1 August and 31 August 1974.

Article 2

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 Brussels, 10 July 1974.

For the Council

The President

J. SAUVAGNARGUES

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[1] OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 166, 21. 6. 1974, p. 1.