REGULATION (EEC) No 1851/74 OF THE COMMISSION

of 17 July 1974

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1295/74 as regards the quantities of beef and veal to be used in producing preserved meat for intervention storage

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), and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof;

Whereas Article 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1295/74 (3) of 22 May 1974 on the processing of beef bought-in by intervention agencies, specifies that 150 kg of boned meat are to be used to produce 100 kg of preserves; whereas, however, initial experience of the practical operation of this provision has shown that a lesser quantity of boned meat is generally sufficient to produce 100 kg of preserves;

Whereas it is consequently appropriate to amend Regulation (EEC) No 1295/74 with effect from the date of its entry into force in order to make it consistent with actual practice and with the operations already carried out in accordance with that practice;

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 Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1295/74 is replaced by the following text:

'*Article 3*

Processing shall mean the following operations:

(a) manufacture of preserves containing 80 % or more of beef and veal, excluding offal and fat, using 100 to 150 kg of boned meat to produce 100 kg of preserves;

(b) trimming, packing and freezing of cuts in accordance with the trading terms referred to in Article 2;

(c) storage of the preserves and the frozen cuts until they are taken into charge by the intervention agency.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*. It shall apply with effect from 23 May 1974.

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

Done at Brussels, 17 July 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
(2) OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 23.
(3) OJ No L 140, 23. 5. 1974, p. 47.