REGULATION (EEC) No 1986/74 OF THE COMMISSION

of 25 July 1974

fixing reference prices for carp for the 1974/75 marketing year

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2142/70 (1) of 20 October 1970 on the common organization of the market in fishery products, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1554/74 (2), and in particular Article 18a (5) thereof;

Whereas Article 18a (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2142/70 provides that reference prices for carp may be fixed before the beginning of each marketing year; whereas these prices may be fixed at different levels within each marketing year according to seasonal fluctuations in prices;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1985/74 (3) of 25 July 1974 laying down detailed rules of application for the fixing of reference prices and free-at-frontier prices for carp provides that reference prices are to be fixed for carp for the periods from 1 August to 15 November and from 16 November to 31 July of the following year;

Whereas the fixing of reference prices is a necessary prerequisite to any future application of appropriate measures to protect Community production; whereas, on the basis of the information currently available concerning production prices, the reference prices have been fixed at the levels shown;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The reference prices for carp shall be as follows:

— for the period 1 August 1974 to 15 November 1974, 820 u.a./metric ton;

— for the period 16 November 1974 to 31 July 1975, 656 u.a./metric ton.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1974.

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

Done at Brussels, 25 July 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

(1) OJ No L 236, 27. 10. 1970, p. 5.
(2) OJ No L 167, 22. 6. 1974, p. 1.
(3) See p. 30 of this Official Journal.