REGULATION (EEC) No 3223/74 OF THE COMMISSION

of 20 December 1974

concerning the invitation to tender for the costs of delivery of skimmed-milk powder to Uruguay as food aid

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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 7 (5) thereof;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1827/74 [3] of 11 July 1974 on the supply of skimmed-milk powder as food aid to certain developing countries and international organizations, makes *inter alia* provision for the supply to Uruguay of 100 metric tons of skimmed-milk powder held by the intervention agencies; whereas that country has made a request of delivering of the abovementioned quantity; whereas tenders must be invited for the costs of delivering this quantity, in accordance with Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2557/74 [4] of 4 October 1974 concerning the invitation to tender for the costs of delivery, as food aid, of skimmed-milk powder to certain third countries;

Whereas, however, for the purpose of applying Regulation (EEC) No 2557/74, certain points must be specified, in particular the time limit for the submission of tenders and the terms for delivering the skimmed-milk powder;

Whereas the measures 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

In accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 2557/74, tenders shall be invited for the costs of delivery of a lot of 100 metric tons of skimmed-milk powder for Uruguay.

Article 2

1. The skimmed-milk powder shall be collected from the Belgian intervention agency.

2. The intervention agency concerned shall have the packing marked, in letters at least two centimetres high, as follows:

'Leche desnatada en polvo — Donaciòn de la Comunidad economica europea for la Republica de Uruguay.'

Article 3

1. Delivery shall be effected at a Community port accessible for ocean-going ships.

2. Delivery shall be effected on a date fixed by the intervention agency concerned which must be after 6 and before 22 February 1975.

Article 4

The time limit for the submission of tenders is 14 January 1975 at 12 noon.

Article 5

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, 20 December 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

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(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
(2) OJ No L 85, 29. 3. 1974, p. 51.
(3) OJ No L 190, 13. 7. 1974, p. 22.
(4) OJ No L 274, 9. 10. 1974, p. 7.