REGULATION (EEC) No 1421/75 OF THE COUNCIL

of 26 May 1975

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1192/74 on aid for dehydrated fodder

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1067/74 [1] of 30 April 1974 on the common organization of the market in dehydrated fodder, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1420/75 [2], and in particular Articles 3 (4) and 4 (4) thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1420/75 has extended the scope of Regulation (EEC) No 1067/74 to include dehydrated potatoes and flour, meal and flakes of potato unfit for human consumption; whereas, therefore, criteria should be determined in respect of the minimum quality of such products for the grant of aid, based essentially on commercial usage; whereas Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1192/74 [3] should consequently be amended;

Whereas, certain Member States grant national aid for potatoes intended *inter alia* for dehydration; whereas, therefore, account should be taken of the effect of such national aid on the dehydrated products obtained from these potatoes,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The text of Article 1 (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1192/74 is replaced by the following:

'(b) minimum crude protein content in dry matter:

— of not less than 8 % for the products referred to in Article 1 (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 1067/74, and

— of between 14 and 16 % for the products referred to in Article 1 (b) of that Regulation.'

Article 2

The following Article is added to Regulation (EEC) No 1192/74:

'*Article 6a*

Where a Member State pursuant to Articles 92 and 93 of the Treaty grants national aid for fresh potatoes, the amount of the aid referred to in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1067/74 shall be reduced, by the effect of the amount granted as national aid on the product referred to in Article 1 (a) of that Regulation.'

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 July 1975.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 26 May 1975.

For the Council

The President

M. A. CLINTON

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(1) OJ No L 120, 1. 5. 1974, p. 2.
(2) See page 1 of this Official Journal.
(3) OJ No L 131, 14. 5. 1974, p. 1.