REGULATION (EEC) No 3308/75 OF THE COUNCIL

of 16 December 1975

supplementing Regulation (EEC) No 2455/70 determining common marketing standards for certain fresh or chilled fish

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic 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 1182/75 (2), and in particular Article 2 (3) thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 2142/70 provides for the adoption of common marketing standards; whereas the application of such standards should help to improve the quality of the fish marketed and thus facilitate its sale; whereas such rules were laid down for products listed in Annex I (A) to that Regulation in its original version by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2455/70 (3) of 30 November 1970 determining common marketing standards for certain fresh or chilled fish, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1082/71 (4);

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1182/75 added hake to Annex I (A) of Regulation (EEC) No 2142/70; whereas, therefore, marketing standards should be determined for this species,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The following species shall be added to the list in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2455/70: 'Hake (Merluccius sp.p.)'.

Article 2

The following size scale for hake shall be added to Annex B to Regulation (EEC) No 2455/70:

	Hake
	kg/fish
Size 1	1·2 and over
Size 2	From 0·6 up to but excluding 1·2
Size 3	From 0·250 up to but excluding 0·6
Size 4	Less than 0·250

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 16 December 1975.

For the Council

The President

G. MARCORA

(1) OJ No L 236, 27. 10. 1970, p. 5.
(2) OJ No L 118, 8. 5. 1975, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 264, 5. 12. 1970, p. 1.
(4) OJ No L 116, 28. 5. 1971, p. 10.