REGULATION (EEC) No 859/75 OF THE COMMISSION

of 2 April 1975

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1107/68 on detailed rules of application for intervention on the market in Grana Padano and Parmigiano Reggiano cheeses

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

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 740/75 (2), and in particular Article 8 (5) thereof;

Whereas Article 17 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1107/68 (3) of 27 July 1968 on detailed rules of application for intervention on the market in Grana padano and Parmigiano Reggiano cheeses, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 699/75 (4), laid down the amount of private storage aid for Grana Padano and Parmigiano Reggiano cheeses; whereas, having regard to the increase with effect from 3 March 1975 in the intervention prices for these cheeses, and to market trends, this amount should be amended in respect of those quantities of cheeses for which storage contracts have been concluded after the entry into force of the new intervention prices;

Whereas, moreover, certain of the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1107/68 concerning inspection arrangements should be amended to comply with the current text of Council Regulation (EEC) No 971/68 (5) of 15 July 1968 laying down general rules for intervention on the market in Grana Padano and Parmigiano Reggiano cheeses, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 473/75 (6);

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

Paragraph 1 of Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1107/68 is amended to read as follows:

'1. The buying-in contract shall be concluded subject to the condition than when a second inspection is carried out not less than two months but not more than four months after the cheese has been placed in store, Grana Padano cheese as specified in Article 1 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 971/68 and Parmigiano Reggiano cheese meet the requirements for the "scelto 0/1" quality.'

Article 2

In Article 17 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1107/68 the expression '3·23 units of account per 100 kg' is replaced by '3·54 units of account per 100 kg'.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 3 March 1975.

The provisions of Article 2 shall not, however, affect storage contracts concluded before that date.

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

Done at Brussels, 2 April 1975.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
(2) OJ No L 74, 22. 3. 1975, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 184, 29. 7. 1968, p. 29.
(4) OJ No L 69, 18. 3. 1975, p. 10.
(5) OJ No L 166, 17. 7. 1968, p. 8.
(6) OJ No L 52, 28. 2. 1975, p. 23.