COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1171/76

of 17 May 1976

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2886/75 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for newsprint, falling within subheading 48.01 A of the Common Customs Tariff (1976), and extending this quota temporarily to include certain other types of paper

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 28 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, in its Regulation (EEC) No 2886/75 [1], the Council opened and allocated among Member States a duty-free Community tariff quota of 2 250 000 metric tons in respect of newsprint falling within subheading 48.01 A of the Common Customs Tariff, and authorized the Member States to charge against this tariff quota, until 30 June 1976, types of paper complying with the definition of newsprint contained in the additional note to chapter 48, except as regards the criteria governing watermarks ;

Whereas, pending a decision on the more general problem of retaining the criterion governing watermarks in the definition of newsprint or its possible replacement by another control system, the time limit for the abovementioned authorization should be extended to 31 December 1976,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

In Article 1 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2886/75, for 'until 30 June 1976,' read 'until 31 December 1976,'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 July 1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 17 May 1976.

For the Council

The President

R. VOUEL

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[1] OJ No L 292, 12. 11. 1975, p. 30.