COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1458/76

of 23 June 1976

amending Regulation (EEC) No 358/76 on an invitation to tender for the levy and/or the refund for the export of wholly milled rice to certain third countries

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 668/75 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2737/73 of 8 October 1973 laying down general rules to be applied in the event of the rice market being disturbed (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 477/75 (4), and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 366/67/EEC of 25 July 1967 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on rice and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 478/75 (6), and in particular Article 3a thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 358/76 (7) of 19 February 1976 opened an invitation to tender for the levy and/or refund for the export of wholly milled rice to certain third countries ; whereas Article 1 (3) thereof provided that the invitation should remain open until 25 June 1976 ; whereas, to ensure a continuous outlet on those markets which traditionally import wholly milled long grain rice from the Community, the quantity specified in the notice of invitation to tender and to which the invitation relates, should be increased ; whereas in view of this increase the invitation to tender should remain open until 26 August 1976 ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

In Article 1 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 358/76, the date '25 June 1976' shall read '26 August 1976'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 23 June 1976.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 72, 20. 3. 1975, p. 18.
(3) OJ No L 282, 9. 10. 1973, p. 13.
(4) OJ No L 52, 28. 2. 1975, p. 33.
(5) OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 34.
(6) OJ No L 52, 28. 2. 1975, p. 34.
(7) OJ No L 44, 20. 2. 1976, p. 13.