COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1923/76

of 2 August 1976

fixing for the marketing year 1976/77 the amounts by which import levies and export refunds fixed in advance for rice are to be adjusted

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice [1], and in particular Articles 13 (5) and 17 (6) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1428/76 of 21 June 1976 on rules for the advance fixing of levies on rice and broken rice [2], and in particular Article 10 (2) thereof,

Whereas the aforesaid Regulation (EEC) No 1428/76 and Council Regulation (EEC) No 1431/76 of 21 June 1976 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on rice and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds [3], provide that when the import levy or the export refund on rice is fixed in advance adjustments thereto are to be made on the basis of the conversion rates for the various stages of processing; whereas it follows from this provision that the monthly price increases for paddy rice are to be calculated by applying the relevant conversion rate to the amounts of such increases in respect of husked rice and that the like increases for semi-milled rice are to be calculated by applying the relevant conversion rate to the amounts of such increases in respect of milled rice;

Whereas for the marketing year 1976/77 the monthly increases applicable to the threshold price for husked rice were fixed by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1427/76 of 21 June 1976 [4]; whereas, by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1922/76 of 2 August 1976 determining for the marketing year 1976/77 the variety of long grain rice representative of Community production, the difference in value between this variety of round grain rice corresponding to the standard quality and the threshold prices for long grain husked rice and for milled rice [5], the monthly increases applicable to milled rice have been included in the threshold prices for such rice such prices being calculated for a variety of round grain and for a variety of long grain milled rice; whereas the conversion rates to be taken into account were fixed by Commission Regulation No 467/67/EEC of 21 August 1967 [6], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1484/75 [7];

Whereas for each stage of processing of the rice concerned application of the relevant conversion rate to the amounts of the monthly price increases results in the amounts shown in the tables annexed to this Regulation; whereas the amount of the levy or refund applicable for the month of importation or exportation will thus be obtained by adding those amounts to the amount of the levy or refund in force during the month of advance fixing;

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

Where the import levy or the export refund on paddy rice or semi-milled rice is fixed in advance, the adjustment of such levy or refund on the basis of the threshold price shall for the marketing year 1976/77 be made in accordance with the tables annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

Where such advance fixing shall have taken place:

1. before 1 July 1976 in respect of a transaction to be effected on or after 1 September 1976, the adjustment on the basis of the threshold price shall be made as follows:

   (a) add to the amount of the levy or refund as fixed in advance the amount shown in the 'July/August 1976' column against the month of advance fixing in the tables annexed to Regulation (EEC) No 2162/75;

   (b) increase the amount obtained:

   — in the case of paddy rice, by 1·52 units of account per metric ton,

   — in the case of round grain semi-milled rice, by 2·30 units of account per metric ton,

   — in the case of long grain semi-milled rice, by 2·57 units of account per metric ton;

[1] OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 30.
[3] OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 36.
[4] OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 29.
[5] See page 9 of this Official Journal.
[6] OJ No 204, 24. 8. 1967, p. 1.
[7] OJ No L 150, 11. 6. 1975, p. 7.

(c) add the amount, if any, shown in the tables annexed to this Regulation in the column corresponding to the month in which the transaction is effected;

2. in July or August 1976 in respect of a transaction to be effected on or after 1 September 1976, the adjustment on the basis of the threshold price shall, for paddy rice and for semi-milled rice, be made by increasing the amount of the levy or refund as fixed in advance by the relevant amount shown in paragraph 1 (b) and, where appropriate, the amount referred to in paragraph 1 (c).

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following 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, 2 August 1976.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

ANNEX

Table 1

PADDY RICE

(u.a./metric ton)

Month of advance fixing	Amount to be added to the levy or refund in force on the day of advance fixing for a transaction effected, subject to the limits on the period of validity of the relevant licence as laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2042/75, in :									
	October 1976	November 1976	December 1976	January 1977	February 1977	March 1977	April 1977	May 1977	June 1977	July/ August 1977
September 1976	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96	8·70	10·44	12·18	13·92	15·66	17·40
October 1976	—	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96	8·70	10·44	12·18	13·92	15·66
November 1976	—	—	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96	8·70	10·44	12·18	13·92
December 1976	—	—	—	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96	8·70	10·44	12·18
January 1977	—	—	—	—	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96	8·70	10·44
February 1977	—	—	—	—	—	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96	8·70
March 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·74	3·48	5·22	6·96
April 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·74	3·48	5·22
May 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·74	3·48
June 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·74

Table 2

ROUND GRAIN SEMI-MILLED RICE

(u.a./metric ton)

Month of advance fixing	Amount to be added to the levy or refund in force on the day of advance fixing for a transaction effected, subject to the limits on the period of validity of the relevant licence as laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2042/75, in :									
	October 1976	November 1976	December 1976	January 1977	February 1977	March 1977	April 1977	May 1977	June 1977	July/ August 1977
September 1976	2·64	5·29	7·93	10·57	13·21	15·85	18·49	21·13	23·78	26·42
October 1976	—	2·65	5·29	7·93	10·57	13·21	15·85	18·49	21·14	23·78
November 1976	—	—	2·64	5·28	7·92	10·56	13·20	15·84	18·49	21·13
December 1976	—	—	—	2·64	5·28	7·92	10·56	13·20	15·85	18·49
January 1977	—	—	—	—	2·64	5·28	7·92	10·56	13·21	15·85
February 1977	—	—	—	—	—	2·64	5·28	7·92	10·57	13·21
March 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·64	5·28	7·93	10·57
April 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·64	5·29	7·93
May 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·65	5·29
June 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·64

Table 3

LONG GRAIN SEMI-MILLED RICE

(u.a./metric ton)

Month of advance fixing	Amount to be added to the levy or refund in force on the day of advance fixing for a transaction effected, subject to the limits on the period of validity of the relevant licence as laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2042/75, in :									
	October 1976	November 1976	December 1976	January 1977	February 1977	March 1977	April 1977	May 1977	June 1977	July/ August 1977
September 1976	2·95	5·90	8·85	11·79	14·73	17·68	20·63	23·58	26·52	29·47
October 1976	—	2·95	5·90	8·84	11·78	14·73	17·68	20·63	23·57	26·52
November 1976	—	—	2·95	5·89	8·83	11·78	14·73	17·68	20·62	23·57
December 1976	—	—	—	2·94	5·88	8·83	11·78	14·73	17·67	20·62
January 1977	—	—	—	—	2·94	5·89	8·84	11·79	14·73	17·68
February 1977	—	—	—	—	—	2·95	5·90	8·85	11·79	14·74
March 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·95	5·90	8·84	11·79
April 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·95	5·89	8·84
May 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·94	5·89
June 1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·95