COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2437/76

of 6 October 1976

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on other sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of cotton, falling within subheading 62.03 B ex II, originating in developing countries to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75 of 17 November 1975 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75 of 17 November 1975 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain cotton textile and like products originating in developing countries (1), and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to 166 % of the sum arrived at by adding together the metric tonnage of the products in question, imported into the Community in 1968 and coming from countries listed in Annex B to that Regulation, but not including products coming from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the 1970 metric tonnage of such arrangements ; whereas Article 2 (1) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time once the Community ceiling has been reached ;

Whereas, in respect of other sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of cotton, falling within subheading 62.03 B ex II, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 307 metric tons ; whereas on 30 September 1976 the amounts of imports into the Community of the products in question, originating in countries covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that ceiling ; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75, which provides that the ceiling should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

As from 10 October 1976 customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3002/75 of 17 November 1975, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community :

CCT heading No	Description of goods
62.03	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods : B. Of other textile materials : ex II. Other : — Of cotton

Article 2

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, 6 October 1976.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 310, 29. 11. 1975, p. 9.